

SENATE BILL 1444

By Green

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 33,
Chapter 1, relative to qualified mental health
professionals.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 33-1-101(20), is amended by adding the following language between the language “nurse;” and “professional”:

licensed physician assistant with a master’s degree whose supervising physician has delegated specified mental health authority to that physician assistant in their jointly developed written protocol;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.