

SENATE BILL 1472

By Tracy

AN ACT relative to professional services.

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

SECTION 1.

(a) Personnel from the following entities are prohibited from assisting any state or local government entity in the selection process for professional services:

- (1) Municipal technical advisory service;
- (2) County technical advisory service;
- (3) The state planning office;
- (4) Regional development districts; and
- (5) Human resource agencies.

(b) As used in this act:

(1) "Local government entity" means any city, town, municipality, county, including any county having a metropolitan form of government, local education agency, development district, utility district, human resource agency or any other political subdivision of this state; and

(2) "State government entity" means any branch, department, agency, commission or instrumentality of state government or any official or other person acting under color of state law.

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