

SENATE BILL 1705

By Niceley

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8,
relative to state employment.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 1, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

8-50-1_. Employment as a state employee for ten (10) or more years shall be credited as equivalent to a general education development credential (GED®) for the purposes of retention of state employment, promotion as a state employee, or return to state service.

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