Amendment No. 1 to SB0229

<u>Crowe</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 229*

House Bill No. 425

by deleting the amendatory language in SECTION 1 and substituting:

(s) In addition to other categories of eligibility under this section, a woman is eligible for medical assistance up to twelve (12) months following the date on which the woman's pregnancy ends, regardless of changes in circumstances, if the woman, while pregnant, meets eligibility requirements for assistance under Section 1902 of the federal Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. § 1396a) and is enrolled in the TennCare program or a successor program. The bureau is authorized to seek a federal waiver, or an amendment to an existing waiver, to adjust financial eligibility levels for women who are made eligible under this subsection (s) and who are otherwise eligible for medicaid, subject to available appropriations.