HOUSE BILL 832

By Jones

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49 and Title 68, relative to feminine hygiene products in public high schools.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 4, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

- (a) As used in this section, "feminine hygiene product":
- (1) Means any product to be used by women with respect to menstruation or other genital-tract secretions; and
 - (2) Includes tampons and sanitary napkins.
- (b) Each LEA shall provide feminine hygiene products, at no charge, in all women's and girl's bathrooms and locker rooms in any public high school building where instruction is provided.

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