

HOUSE BILL 978

By Terry

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,  
Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 6, relative to  
student retention.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3115(d), is amended by deleting the second sentence of the subsection and substituting instead the following:

The rules must provide that if an appeal is filed, the filing must be made by the student's parent or guardian unless the student's parent or guardian consents, in writing, to the parent's or guardian's student's principal, guidance counselor, teacher, or another administrator of the student's school filing an appeal with the department, in which case an appeal may be filed by such individual.

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