

HOUSE BILL 1405

By Parkinson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,  
relative to education.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3017(b), is amended by deleting subdivision (1) and substituting instead the following:

Enrolled and making satisfactory academic progress in a course leading to a general educational development certificate (GED®) or high school equivalency test (HiSET®) from a state-approved institution or organization, or has obtained a GED® or HiSET®;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3017(d), is amended by deleting the language "GED® or high school diploma" and substituting instead the language "GED®, HiSET®, or high school diploma".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3017(f), is amended by deleting the language "GED®" wherever it appears in the subsection and substituting instead the language "GED® or HiSET®".

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.