



## **PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 1096**

### **SENATE BILL NO. 1986**

### By Rose

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2000

### By Cochran

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 3, relative to evaluations.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-302(d)(2)(B), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

() Notwithstanding this subsection (d) to the contrary, if a teacher, for the current evaluation year, does not have access to individual growth data representative of student growth, as specified in subdivision (d)(2)(B)(ii), due to changes in academic standards or assessment design requiring standards validation or standards setting in the teacher's content or subject area, then fifteen percent (15%) of the teacher's evaluation criteria must be comprised of student achievement data based on other measures of student achievement pursuant to subdivision (d)(2)(B)(iii) and eighty-five percent (85%) must be comprised of scores derived from the state board approved evaluation model for the qualitative portion of the teacher's evaluation unless using the evaluation criteria outlined in subdivision (d)(2)(B)(vii) results in a higher final evaluation score for the teacher.

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

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PASSED:

April 27, 2022

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CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this <u>27</u><sup>th</sup> day of <u>Mary</u> 2022

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BILL LEE, GOVERNOR