

SENATE BILL 4

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 2; Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 3 and Section 49-6-1007, relative to social and emotional learning.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 3, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

The state board of education shall not adopt standards or competencies for social and emotional learning.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-1007(b)(1), is amended by adding the following language at the end of the subdivision:

The department shall not provide instruction or competencies in social and emotional learning to fulfill the requirements of subsections (a), (b), and (c).

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.