

# **PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 12**

### **SENATE BILL NO. 51**

### By Roberts, Powers

Substituted for: House Bill No. 276

### By Ragan

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4 and Title 33, relative to the department of mental health and substance abuse services.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-242(a), is amended by deleting subdivision (22).

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-246(a), is amended by inserting the following as a new subdivision:

( ) Department of mental health and substance abuse services, created by §§ 4-3-101 and 4-3-1601;

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

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| PASSED:      | March 8, 2021                     |       | _                              |
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| APPROVED thi | is 23 <sup>1</sup> day of <u></u> | March | _ 2021                         |

BILL LEE, GOVERNOR