

SENATE BILL 53

By Green

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 27; Title 9 and Title 56, relative to insurance for public employees of the state.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-27-201, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(i) During any fiscal year in which an across-the-board salary increase is not received by state employees pursuant to the general appropriations act, the state insurance committee shall not increase premiums, copayments, or other costs paid by or collected from participating state employees, including active and retired, for basic medical, dental, life, accident, and supplemental medical insurance coverage provided under this chapter.

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