

SENATE BILL 426

By Stevens

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4,
Chapter 15 and Title 4, Chapter 3, relative to
employees of the state building commission.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-1005, is amended by deleting the section in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 24, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

There shall be attached to the department of treasury personnel employed by the state building commission for all administrative purposes, except the discharge of the duties and functions directly required of such personnel by the state building commission.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-15-103, is amended by deleting the language in the section in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(a) The members of the commission shall serve without additional compensation, but shall be entitled to reimbursement for their necessary expenses. All reimbursement for travel expenses shall be in accordance with the comprehensive travel regulations as promulgated by the department of finance and administration and approved by the attorney general and reporter.

(b) The commission shall have such administrative personnel as are necessary to carry out its purpose and charge, who shall be attached to the department of treasury for administrative purposes. The personnel shall be subject to personnel policies and

regulations which are applicable to employees of the department of treasury, such as leave, compensation, classification, and travel requests.

(c) The commission has the authority to employ, terminate, control and establish the compensation of, the state architect. The state treasurer has the authority to employ, terminate, control and set the compensation of, all other personnel of the commission. The state treasurer shall consult with members of the commission prior to taking any personnel action.

SECTION 4. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to that end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.