SENATE BILL 463

By Yager

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-2-105 and Section 71-5-1418, relative to programs for older Tennesseans.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-2-105, is amended by deleting subsections (c) and (d) in their entirety.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-5-1418(h), is hereby amended by deleting the first sentence of the subsection in its entirety and inserting in its place the following:

On or after July 1, 2013, subject to funding being specifically appropriated in the general appropriations act for this program, the area agencies on aging will operate or contract for a home care ombudsman program supervised by the commission on aging, office of the state long-term care ombudsman.

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