

SENATE BILL 1376

By Johnson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 50,
Chapter 6, relative to medical expenses.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 50-6-204(a), is amended by deleting subdivision (3) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(3) Whenever it appears that the amount of medical benefits to which the employee may be entitled under this section will exceed the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the insurer shall file written notice with the division of workers' compensation, which shall, upon receipt of the notice, notify the employer that the claim for medical benefits for the employee will exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

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