

SENATE BILL 2057

By Briggs

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 63,
Chapter 1, Part 3, relative to qualifications for a
pain management specialist.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-301(9)(C), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting the following:

(C) Is board certified by the American Board of Interventional Pain Physicians (ABIPP) by passing exam 1 on or before June 30, 2016, and holds an unencumbered Tennessee license and maintains the minimum number of CME hours in pain management to satisfy retention of ABIPP diplomate status; provided, that on or after July 1, 2016, new applicants shall not qualify as a pain management specialist under this subdivision (9)(C); or

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