

SENATE BILL 2467

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 30; Title 8, Chapter 50; Title 50 and Title 71, relative to state employee compensation.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 30, Part 3, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

(a) As used in this section, "state employee" means an employee in the executive or preferred service of this state.

(b) Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, a full-time state employee's annual compensation must be sufficient to disqualify the employee for state supplemental benefit or public assistance programs, including, but not limited to, the temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) program, supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP), and TennCare program.

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