

SENATE BILL 2555

By Jackson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 33,
relative to the department of mental health and
substance abuse services.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 33-1-307, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following as a new subsection:

(b) The department shall submit to the members of the general assembly, by December 31 of each year, a report of data collected related to the use of medication-assisted treatment for opiate addiction by providers in this state. The report shall include information on:

- (1) The use of medication-assisted treatment in recovery courts, jails, safe baby courts, and the TennCare program; and
- (2) Medication-assisted treatment paid for with grant dollars, direct or indirect appropriations, and expenditures of state, federal, or local dollars.

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