

SENATE BILL 2946

By Norris

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-2005, relative to the Tennessee higher education commission.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-2005, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

(d) Any rule or regulation that is proposed or promulgated by the commission shall not become effective until a public hearing before the entire commission on the rule or regulation. Any affected institutions shall be given notice of the proposed rule or regulation and hearing and shall have a reasonable opportunity to present evidence at the hearing in support of or in opposition to the rule or regulation.

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