SENATE BILL 9003

By Hensley

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2 and Title 49, Chapter 2, relative to local boards of education.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-201(a)(1), is amended by deleting the last sentence of the subdivision and substituting:

Elections for school board members may be conducted on a partisan basis, and a person seeking a position on a board may campaign as the nominee or representative of a political party.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to school board elections held on or after that date.