

CHAPTER NO. 577

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751

By Representative Maddox

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1591

By Senator Cooper

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 1, relative to the administration of noninjectable medication.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-102(10), is amended by deleting the first sentence of the item in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Persons trained according to standards set by the department of mental health and developmental disabilities to assist persons with developmental disability or mental retardation with the self-administration of noninjectable medication in programs or residential facilities licensed by the department of mental health and developmental disabilities and contracted with either the department of mental health and developmental disabilities or the department of finance and administration under the Medical Assistance Participation Agreement or the division of mental retardation services.

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

PASSED: April 12, 2004


JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 30th day of April 2004


PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR