

**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 748**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 4015**

**By Representatives Armstrong, Shaw, Miller, Favors, Odom, Maddox, Lois DeBerry, Harrison, McDaniel, Mumpower, Hill, Tindell, Williams**

**Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 3710**

**By Senators Tate, Marrero**

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 3; Title 4 and Title 68, relative to the black health care commission.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 3-15-401, 3-15-402, 3-15-403 and 3-15-404, are amended by deleting the language "black health care commission" wherever it appears in such sections and by substituting instead the language "health equity commission".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 3-15-401, is amended by deleting the language "black health care matters" wherever it appears and by substituting instead the language "matters relating to health equity".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 3-15-402, is amended by deleting the language "black health care" and by substituting instead the language "health equity".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 3-15-404, is amended by deleting the language "black health care" wherever it appears and by substituting instead the language "health equity" in each instance.

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-15-405, is amended by deleting the section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Effective January 15, 1995, the speakers of each house of the general assembly shall appoint a new board, as provided in § 3-15-401.

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 68-1-1202(11)(B)(ii), is amended by deleting the language "black health care commission" and by substituting instead the language "health equity commission".

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 4-29-229(a)(4), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety.

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: March 24, 2008



JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY, SPEAKER  
SENATE OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 10th day of April 2008



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR