



**State of Tennessee**  
**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 1082**

**SENATE BILL NO. 2699**

**By Yager**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2837

By Sanderson, Sargent, Evans

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 10-7-504; Title 56 and Title 63, relative to state contracts involving pharmacy benefits.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 10-7-504(o), is amended by numbering the existing language as item (i) and then adding the following as Section 10-7-504(o)(ii);

(ii) The comptroller of the treasury, for the purpose of conducting audits or program evaluations, shall have access to the discount, rebate, pricing and descriptions of other financial arrangements cited in Section 10-7-504(n) as submitted in a procurement or as a report to the contractor; provided, however, no official, employee or agent of the State of Tennessee may release or provide for the release, in any form, of information subject to confidential custody under the provisions of subsections (n) and (o) of Section 10-7-504.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect September 1, 2012, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: May 1, 2012

  
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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 2012

  
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BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR