



# State of Tennessee

## PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 603

HOUSE BILL NO. 1605

By Representatives Matheny, Ragan

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1528

By Senator Bell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 63, Chapter 13, relative to the board of occupational therapy.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-235(a), is amended by deleting subdivision (8) in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-240(a), is amended by adding the following as a new appropriately designated subdivision:

( ) Board of occupational therapy, created by § 63-13-216;

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-13-216, is amended by deleting subsection (c) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(c) The occupational therapist and occupational therapy assistant members shall be appointed by the governor from lists of nominees submitted by interested occupational therapy groups including, but not limited to, the Tennessee Occupational Therapy Association. The governor shall consult with such interested groups to determine qualified persons to fill positions on the board.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: March 17, 2014

  
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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

  
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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 2014

  
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BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR