## SENATE BILL 2674

By Faulk

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-7-2401 and Section 56-7-2402, relative to reimbursement for independent practice as a licensed clinical social worker.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-7-2401(a), is amended by deleting the language "a duly licensed independent practitioner of social work, as defined in § 63-23-103;" and by substituting instead the language "a person duly licensed to engage in independent practice as a licensed clinical social worker in accordance with § 63-23-105;".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-7-2402(a), is amended by deleting the language "or a duly licensed independent practitioner of social work as defined in former § 63-23-103 [repealed]" and by substituting instead the language "a person duly licensed to engage in independent practice as a licensed clinical social worker in accordance with § 63-23-105;".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.