



**SENATE BILL 1012**

By Oliver

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71,  
Chapter 3, Part 5, relative to child care.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-501(12), is amended by deleting the language "siblings of the whole or half-blood, step-siblings, nieces, nephews" and substituting instead "siblings of the whole or half-blood, step-siblings, nieces or nephews of the whole or half-blood,".

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

Amendment No. 1 to SB1012

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Signature of Sponsor

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 1012**

**House Bill No. 936\***

by deleting SECTION 2 and substituting:

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71, Chapter 3, Part 5, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

The commissioner of human services shall develop an attestation form that may be used by a primary caregiver for the purpose of attesting, under penalty of perjury, to the primary caregiver's direct family bloodline to a child enrolled in the primary caregiver's child care agency, indicating that the child is related to the primary caregiver as a half-niece or half-nephew. The commissioner shall make the attestation form available in a downloadable format for free on the department's public website.

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