



## **Issue Brief** – Tennessee Code Annotated Review

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### **Background**

Over the last several decades, new laws have been passed addressing school districts, educators, and students. Many of these statutes require annual reports, studies, or other items that are a burden and provide little to no benefit. In some situations, laws still remain in the code even though they are no longer applicable to the current education landscape. In other instances, new laws are passed without removing older statutes which results in conflicting language. This leads to inconsistency and unclear statutory language. Removing these laws would help reduce the regulatory burden on school districts and provide clear legal standards.

### **TSBA Position - SUPPORT**

TSBA urges the General Assembly to review current laws and remove old language and statutory requirements that are no longer applicable or beneficial.