

SENATE BILL 194

By Watson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-164, relative to alternative treatments for pain.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-164(a), is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision:

"Alternative treatments" includes, but is not limited to, treatments such as chiropractic care, physical therapy, acupuncture, and other such treatments that relieve pain without the use of opioids;

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