

1 TO THE HONORABLE SENATE:

2 The Committee on Appropriations to which was referred Senate Bill No.
3 192 entitled “An act relating to forensic facility admissions criteria and
4 processes” respectfully reports that it has considered the same and
5 recommends that the report of the Committee on Health and Welfare be
6 amended as follows:

7 First: In Sec. 1, purpose and legislative intent, by striking out the second
8 sentence

9 Second: In Sec. 13, rulemaking; conforming amendments, in the first
10 sentence, by striking out “On or before August 1, 2024, the” and inserting in
11 lieu thereof “The”

12 Third: By striking out Sec. 14, effective dates, in its entirety and inserting in
13 lieu thereof a new Sec. 14 to read as follows:

14 Sec. 14. EFFECTIVE DATES

15 This section, Sec. 12 (report; competency restoration program; fiscal
16 estimate), and Sec. 13 (rulemaking; conforming amendments) shall take effect
17 on passage. All remaining sections shall take effect upon the delivery of the
18 Commissioners of Mental Health and of Disabilities, Aging, and Independent
19 Living’s joint written confirmation to the Speaker of the House and the Senate
20 President Pro Tempore, which shall be posted on the General Assembly’s

1 website, that the forensic facility is operational due to proper siting, licensing,
2 and funding.

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8 (Committee vote: _____)

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Senator _____

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FOR THE COMMITTEE