

1 TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

2 The Committee on Human Services to which was referred House Bill No.
3 555 entitled “An act relating to the commitment of a criminal defendant who is
4 incompetent to stand trial because of a traumatic brain injury” respectfully
5 reports that it has considered the same and recommends that the report of the
6 Committee on Judiciary be amended as follows:

7 First: In Sec. 13, in subsection (a), after the word “Judiciary” by inserting ,
8 the House Committee on Human Services, and the Senate Committee on
9 Health and Welfare

10 Second: In Sec. 13, by striking out subsection (c) in its entirety and
11 inserting in lieu thereof a new subsection (c) to read as follows:

12 (c) On or before October 1, 2014 and on or before February 1, 2015, the
13 Department of Disabilities, Aging, and Independent Living shall report to the
14 House and Senate Committees on Judiciary, the House Committee on Human
15 Services, and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare on the status of the
16 Department’s progress toward implementation of this act. The status reports
17 shall include updates on the Department’s progress in evaluating best practices
18 for treatment of persons with traumatic brain injuries who are unable to
19 conform their behavior to the requirements of the law, and in identifying
20 appropriate programs and services to treat those persons consistent with the
21 need for public safety. The status reports shall also include updates on the

1 Department's progress developing the programs and services needed to treat
2 persons with traumatic brain injuries who have been found not guilty by reason
3 of insanity or incompetent to stand trial as required by this act.

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5 (Committee vote: _____)

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Representative _____

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FOR THE COMMITTEE