

1997

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Brief Description: Providing for psychiatric outpatient commitment.

**HB 1997 - DIGEST**

Designates the circumstances when a court may order a person to obtain involuntary outpatient treatment.

Establishes hearing procedures.

Requires a definite beginning and end for the period of commitment.

Requires each regional support network to have its own psychiatric review board.