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Sponsor(s): Senators Long, Hargrove, Costa and Winsley

Brief Description: Changing provisions relating to less restrictive alternative mental health commitments.

SB 6554 - DIGEST

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Declares an intent that courts consider certain factors when determining whether to continue a less restrictive alternative mental health commitment.

Provides that courts are to consider the prior history or pattern of decompensation of the committed person when deciding whether or not to continue the commitment.