

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**SENATE BILL 5101**

64th Legislature  
2015 Regular Session

Passed by the Senate February 24, 2015  
Yeas 47 Nays 0

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**President of the Senate**

Passed by the House April 14, 2015  
Yeas 97 Nays 0

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**Speaker of the House of Representatives**

Approved

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**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Hunter G. Goodman, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5101** as passed by Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

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**Secretary**

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**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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By Senators Padden and O'Ban

Read first time 01/14/15. Referred to Committee on Law & Justice.

1 AN ACT Relating to mental status evaluations; and amending RCW  
2 9.94B.080.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 9.94B.080 and 2008 c 231 s 53 are each amended to  
5 read as follows:

6 The court may order an offender whose sentence includes community  
7 placement or community supervision to undergo a mental status  
8 evaluation and to participate in available outpatient mental health  
9 treatment, if the court finds that reasonable grounds exist to  
10 believe that the offender is a mentally ill person as defined in RCW  
11 71.24.025, and that this condition is likely to have influenced the  
12 offense. An order requiring mental status evaluation or treatment  
13 (~~must~~) may be based on a presentence report and, if applicable,  
14 mental status evaluations that have been filed with the court to  
15 determine the offender's competency or eligibility for a defense of  
16 insanity. The court may order additional evaluations at a later date  
17 if deemed appropriate.

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