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- Amend Bill, page 3, line 4, by striking out "9799.24(c)" and 1
- 2 inserting
- 3 9799.24(a), (b) introductory paragraph, (c)
- 4 Amend Bill, page 26, line 20, by striking out all of said
- line and inserting 5
- 6 (a) Order for assessment. -- After conviction but before sentencing, a court shall order an individual convicted of a 7 sexually violent offense to be assessed by the board. The order for an assessment shall be sent to the [administrative officer] executive director of the board within ten days of the date of 10 conviction for the sexually violent offense. 11
- (b) Assessment.--Upon receipt from the court of an order for 12 an assessment, a member of the board as designated by the 13 14 [administrative officer] executive director of the board shall 15 conduct an assessment of the individual to determine if the 16 individual should be classified as a sexually violent predator. 17 The board shall establish standards for evaluations and for evaluators conducting the assessments. An assessment shall 18 19 include, but not be limited to, an examination of the following: 20 * * *
- 21 Amend Bill, page 32, line 12, by inserting a bracket before
- 22 "Support"
- 23 Amend Bill, page 32, line 13, by striking out the bracket
- 24 before "Pennsylvania"
- 25 Amend Bill, page 32, lines 13 and 14, by striking out
- 26 "Department of" in line 13 and all of line 14 and inserting
- 27 The board shall employ an executive director and other staff
- 28 as necessary to carry out the board's duties under this chapter.
- 29 The executive director shall direct the operations, management
- 30 and administration of the board and organize and oversee the

- 1 work of the staff. Legal counsel for the board shall be provided
- 2 <u>in accordance with the act of October 15, 1980 (P.L.950,</u>
- 3 No.164), known as the Commonwealth Attorneys Act. Upon request
- 4 by the board, the Department of Criminal Justice shall make
- 5 <u>available facilities, administrative support and other</u>
- 6 <u>assistance to the board.</u>
- 7 Amend Bill, page 45, line 6, by striking out "a departmental"
- 8 and inserting
- 9 _an independent
- Amend Bill, page 45, line 7, by striking out "within the
- 11 department"
- 12 Amend Bill, page 46, line 4, by striking out the bracket
- 13 before "(1)"
- 14 Amend Bill, page 46, line 7, by inserting a bracket before
- 15 "(2)"
- 16 Amend Bill, page 46, line 12, by striking out the bracket
- 17 before the comma after "organizing"
- Amend Bill, page 46, line 12, by striking out the bracket
- 19 after "directing"
- 20 Amend Bill, page 48, line 24, by striking out "department"
- 21 and inserting
- 22 chairman of the board
- 23 Amend Bill, page 48, line 27, by striking out "secretary" and
- 24 inserting
- 25 chairman of the board
- Amend Bill, page 49, line 12, by striking out "The board may
- 27 <u>appoint a sufficient</u>" and inserting
- The following shall apply:
- 29 (1) The chairman of the board may appoint a sufficient
- 30 Amend Bill, page 49, by inserting between lines 14 and 15
- 31 (2) Hearing examiners shall be required to possess an
- 32 <u>advanced degree beyond a bachelor's degree, such as a</u>

- master's degree, doctorate degree or juris doctorate degree. 1
- Amend Bill, page 80, lines 2 through 11, by striking out all 2
- 3 of said lines