



## **Jail-Based Competency Restoration Services: Authorizing Legislation**

### **I. Eight-third Texas Legislature Regular Session, 2013:**

**Senate Bill 1475**--Caption: relating to a jail-based restoration of competency pilot program.

**Rider 74:** Included in the amounts above, and contingent on passage of SB 1475, or similar legislation relating to jail-based restoration of competency pilot program, by the Eighty-third Legislature, Regular Session, the Department of State Health Services, in addition to other funds, is appropriated \$1,307,250 for fiscal year 2014 and \$1,743,000 in fiscal year 2015 from General Revenue to strategy B.2.3, Community Mental Health Crisis Services, to implement the provisions of the legislation.

### **II. Eighty-fourth Texas Legislature Regular Session, 2015:**

**Rider 70<sup>1</sup>:** Out of funds appropriated above in Strategy B.2.3, Community Mental Health Crisis Services, the Department of State Health Services shall allocate \$1,743,000 in each fiscal year of the 2016-17 biennium in General Revenue to be used only for the purpose of conducting a jail-based restoration of competency pilot program established under Article 46B.090 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, as a continuation of the pilot program started by the 83rd Legislature.

### **III. Eighty-fifth Texas Legislature Regular Session, 2017:**

Senate Bill 1326 (Sections 29<sup>2</sup> and 30<sup>3</sup>)--Caption: relating to procedures regarding criminal defendants who are or may be persons with a mental illness or an intellectual disability and to certain duties of the Office of Court Administration of the Texas Judicial System related to persons with mental illness.

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<sup>1</sup> Appropriations referenced in Rider 70, Jail-Based Competency Restoration Pilot Program, were vetoed, resulting in a decrease of \$1,743,000 in FY 2017 out of General Revenue funds.

<sup>2</sup> Section 29 authorizes the continuation of a Jail-Based Competency Restoration Pilot Program.

<sup>3</sup> Section 30 authorizes Jail-Based Competency Restoration Program Implemented by County.