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LEGISLATIVE ACTION House Senate Comm: RCS 02/18/2020

The Committee on Criminal Justice (Gruters) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Subsections (6) through (10) of section 397.334, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (7) through (11), respectively, and a new subsection (6) is added to that section, to read:

397.334 Treatment-based drug court programs.-

(6) If the court orders a defendant to enter into a

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11 pretrial treatment-based drug court program or a 12 postadjudicatory treatment-based drug court program, and if the 13 defendant is ordered to document participation in self-help or 14 other support groups and activities as an element of ancillary 15 services, as described in s. 394.67, the court may offer the 16 defendant an option for either electronic or written 17 verification of such participation. 18 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020. 19 20 ======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========= 21 And the title is amended as follows: 22 Delete everything before the enacting clause 23 and insert: 24 A bill to be entitled 2.5 An act relating to treatment-based drug court 26 programs; amending s. 397.334, F.S.; authorizing a 27 court to offer an option for verification of

> participation in self-help groups or activities to certain defendants; providing an effective date.

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