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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Joyner moved the following:

1 **Senate Amendment to Amendment (902964) (with title**
2 **amendment)**

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4 Delete lines 2747 - 2757

5 and insert:

6 representative, and the state attorney and public defender or
7 office of criminal conflict and civil regional counsel of the
8 judicial circuit in which the individual ~~patient~~ is located. A
9 ~~No~~ fee may not shall be charged for the filing of a petition
10 under this subsection.

11 (4) APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL.—Within 1 court working day



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12 after the filing of a petition for involuntary inpatient
13 placement, the court shall appoint the public defender to
14 represent the individual if the individual ~~person who~~ is the
15 subject of a mental illness ~~the~~ petition and the office of
16 criminal conflict and civil regional counsel to represent the
17 individual if the individual is the subject of a substance abuse
18 petition, unless the individual ~~person~~ is otherwise represented
19 by counsel. The clerk of the court shall immediately notify the
20 public defender or the office of criminal conflict and civil
21 regional counsel of the ~~such~~ appointment. Any attorney
22 representing
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24 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

25 And the title is amended as follows:

26 Delete line 5683

27 and insert:

28 substance abuse impairment; requiring the court to
29 appoint the office of criminal conflict and civil
30 regional counsel under certain circumstances;
31 providing guidelines for