

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	_____	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	_____	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	_____	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	_____	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	_____	(Y/N)
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Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Intergovernmental Affairs  
Subcommittee

Representative Maney offered the following:

**Amendment (with title amendment)**

Remove lines 20-41 and insert:

(4) ADMISSION.—Entry into a postadjudicatory veterans treatment court program as a condition of probation or community control pursuant to s. 948.01 or s. 948.06 must be based upon A  
~~defendant who meets the eligibility requirements provided in~~  
~~under subsection (8) may be admitted to a veterans treatment~~  
~~court program at any stage of a criminal proceeding. A defendant~~  
~~seeking to participate in a veterans treatment court program~~  
~~must submit an application to the state attorney. The state~~  
~~attorney must review each application and determine whether the~~  
~~defendant meets the eligibility requirements in subsection (8).~~

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17 (8) ELIGIBILITY.—

18 (a) A defendant may participate in a veterans treatment  
19 court program if he or she is approved by the multidisciplinary  
20 team ~~state attorney, in consultation with the court,~~ and meets  
21 the following criteria:

22 1. The defendant has a service-related mental health  
23 condition, service-related traumatic brain injury, service-  
24 related substance use disorder, or service-related psychological  
25 problem or has experienced military sexual trauma.

26 2. The defendant's participation in the veterans treatment  
27 court program is in the interest of justice and of benefit to  
28 the defendant and the community.

29 (b) In making the determination under subparagraph (a)2.,  
30 ~~the state attorney, in consultation with the~~ multidisciplinary  
31 team ~~court,~~ must consider:

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35 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

36 Remove lines 4-6 and insert:

37 veterans treatment court programs; authorizing  
38 multidisciplinary teams to determine eligibility for  
39 veterans treatment court programs;