


MEMORANDUM

DATE	March 2, 2017
TO	Policy and Advocacy Committee
FROM	 Konnor Leitzell Central Services Student Assistant
SUBJECT	Agenda Item #7 (a)(ii)(D) – AB 191 (Wood) Mental Health: Involuntary Treatment

Background:

This bill would include a licensed marriage and family therapist and a licensed professional clinical counselor in the list of mental health professionals who are authorized to sign the notice of certification to place a person who is a danger to themselves or others on an involuntary hold for treatment, pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code section 5150 .

Location: Assembly Health Committee

Status: 01/30/2017 to Assembly Committee on Health.

Action Requested:

No action is required at this time. Staff will continue to watch AB 191 (Wood).