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Representative Williams

To enact section 2901.14 of the Revised Code 1
regarding substance use disorder and mental 2
health treatment for criminal defendants. 3

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That section 2901.14 of the Revised Code be 4
enacted to read as follows: 5

Sec. 2901.14. Notwithstanding any other section of the 6
Revised Code to the contrary, no judge, including a judge with a 7
specialized docket for the treatment of substance use disorder 8
or a mental health condition, shall require a defendant to 9
receive treatment for a substance use disorder or a mental 10
health condition at a for-profit entity or nonprofit entity, 11
including a faith-based entity, based solely on the entity's 12
for-profit or nonprofit status. 13