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The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Garcia) recommended the following:

## Senate Amendment

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Delete lines 594 - 623

4 and insert: 5

(a) As of December 31, 2015, the department shall verify that each a managing entity's governing board meets the requirements of this section. governance structure shall berepresentative and shall, at a minimum, include consumers and family members, appropriate community stakeholders and organizations, and providers of substance abuse and mental



health services as defined in this chapter and chapter 397. If there are one or more private-receiving facilities in the geographic coverage area of a managing entity, the managing entity shall have one representative for the private-receiving facilities as an ex officio member of its board of directors.

- 1. The composition of the board shall be broadly representative of the community and include consumers and family members, community organizations that do not contract with the managing entity, local governments, area law enforcement agencies, business leaders, local providers of child welfare services, health care professionals, and representatives of health care facilities.
- 2. The managing entity must establish a technical advisory panel consisting of providers of mental health and substance abuse services that selects at least one member to serve as an ex officio member of the governing board.

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