

Representative Glenn A. Donnelson proposes the following substitute bill:

COURT-ORDERED COUNSELING

2003 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Sponsor: Glenn A. Donnelson

This act modifies the Juvenile Court Act, providing that a person ordered to obtain counseling by the court may be counseled by a member of the clergy.

This act affects sections of Utah Code Annotated 1953 as follows:

ENACTS:

78-3a-122, Utah Code Annotated 1953

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **78-3a-122** is enacted to read:

78-3a-122. Court-ordered counseling.

If a person is ordered by the court to participate in counseling as part of a program or treatment plan, the person may be allowed to be counseled by a member of the clergy upon the request of the person and with the approval of the judge, and subject to reporting requirements prescribed within the program or treatment plan as prescribed by the judge and agreed to by the member of the clergy.

