

ACT 47

S. B. NO. 99

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Establishment of a Correctional Diagnostic Center.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:*

SECTION 1. Chapter 353, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section thereto to read:

**“353- Establishment of correctional diagnostic center.** The director of social services and housing shall establish a correctional diagnostic center which shall be staffed by a team of psychiatrists, social and correctional workers, technicians, and other personnel as may be necessary. Diagnostic examinations shall be undertaken at the center for the purpose of determining which correctional treatment program and facility will best rehabilitate the prisoner. The correctional diagnostic team services of the diagnostic center shall be available to the district and circuit courts of Hawaii when requested by any presiding judge.”

SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 10, 1971.)