

1-1 By: Hayes (Senate Sponsor - Cook) H.B. No. 305  
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 14, 2025;  
1-3 May 14, 2025, read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal  
1-4 Justice; May 21, 2025, reported favorably by the following vote:  
1-5 Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 21, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Flores	X			
1-9	Parker	X			
1-10	Hagenbuch	X			
1-11	Hinojosa of Hidalgo	X			
1-12	Huffman			X	
1-13	King	X			
1-14	Miles	X			

1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-16 AN ACT

1-17 relating to the time period for conducting pretrial hearings after  
1-18 a criminal defendant has been restored to competency.

1-19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-20 SECTION 1. Article [46B.084](#)(d-1), Code of Criminal  
1-21 Procedure, is amended to read as follows:

1-22 (d-1) This article does not require the criminal case to be  
1-23 finally resolved within any specific period, except that, in a  
1-24 jurisdiction to which Subsection (d)(1) applies, a pretrial hearing  
1-25 on any evidentiary or procedural issue that must be resolved for the  
1-26 criminal proceedings in the case to proceed to trial or another  
1-27 resolution must be conducted not later than the 14th day after the  
1-28 date of the court's determination under this article that the  
1-29 defendant's competency has been restored.

1-30 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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