

OF ARTICLE 43, OR HIS DESIGNEE, WHO UPON EXAMINATION HAS REASON TO BELIEVE THAT A PERSON IS MENTALLY DISORDERED AND IS IN CLEAR AND IMMINENT DANGER OF CAUSING PERSONAL HARM TO HIMSELF OR OTHERS, MAY COMPLETE AND SIGN A PETITION FOR THE EMERGENCY EVALUATION OF SUCH PERSON AND SUBMIT THE PETITION TO A PEACE OFFICER.

(E) A PEACE OFFICER, WHO UPON PERSONAL OBSERVATION HAS REASON TO BELIEVE THAT A PERSON IS MENTALLY DISORDERED AND IS IN CLEAR AND IMMINENT DANGER OF CAUSING PERSONAL HARM TO HIMSELF OR OTHERS MAY COMPLETE AND SIGN A PETITION FOR THE EMERGENCY EVALUATION OF SUCH PERSON.

(F) (1) UPON THE COURT'S ENDORSEMENT OF A PETITION OR UPON A PETITION COMPLETED, SIGNED, AND SUBMITTED BY A PERSON LISTED IN SUBSECTION (D) OF THIS SECTION, OR UPON A PETITION COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY A PEACE OFFICER PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (E) OF THIS SECTION, THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE SHALL BE TRANSPORTED TO THE CLOSEST DESIGNATED EMERGENCY FACILITY BY A PEACE OFFICER.

(2) THE EMERGENCY FACILITY SHALL ACCEPT THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE FOR EVALUATION UPON A PROPERLY EXECUTED PETITION.

(3) IT IS NOT THE DUTY OF THE PEACE OFFICER TO ASSIST AFTER THE ASSUMPTION OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR AN EMERGENCY EVALUEE BY AN EMERGENCY FACILITY UNLESS A PHYSICIAN AT THAT FACILITY SHALL REQUEST THAT THE OFFICER CONTINUE HIS ASSISTANCE. SUCH REQUEST SHALL BE ADDRESSED IN THE MOST EXPEDITIOUS MANNER TO THE PEACE OFFICER'S SUPERVISOR AND IN SUCH CASE THE OFFICER SHALL REMAIN UNTIL THE SUPERVISOR HAS RESPONDED TO THE REQUEST.

(4) THE SUPERVISOR SHALL AUTHORIZE THE PEACE OFFICER TO REMAIN WHEN THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE IS VIOLENT. WHEN THE PEACE OFFICER IS REQUESTED TO REMAIN AT THE EMERGENCY FACILITY IT SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN TO EXAMINE THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE AS PROMPTLY AS POSSIBLE.

(G) (1) WITHIN 6 HOURS AFTER THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE IS TRANSPORTED TO AN EMERGENCY FACILITY, THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE SHALL BE EXAMINED BY A PHYSICIAN. THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN SHALL PROMPTLY DETERMINE WHETHER THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE MEETS THE CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION PURSUANT TO § 12 OF THIS ARTICLE.

(2) THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE MAY NOT BE DETAINED IN AN EMERGENCY FACILITY PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION FOR LONGER THAN 30 HOURS FROM THE TIME THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE ARRIVES IN THE EMERGENCY FACILITY.

(H) IF THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN DETERMINES THAT THE EMERGENCY EVALUEE DOES NOT MEET THE CRITERIA FOR INVOLUNTARY ADMISSION PURSUANT TO § 12 OF THIS ARTICLE, FURTHER ACTION