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HB 129

DEATH CERTIFICATES FOR DECEASED VETERANS

Sponsor Statement

House Bill 129 provides a death certificate, without cost, to a surviving spouse, next of kin, or other relative of a deceased veteran. The bill is modeled after an Arizona statute and will provide one copy to the eligible recipient. HB 129 demonstrates the state's respect for Alaska's veterans and their families and will provide a valuable service to military families in their time of bereavement.

If you have any questions about the bill, please contact my legislative aide, Gretchen Staff, at 465-4940.

Thank you for your consideration of House Bill 129.