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**House Bill 113  
Summary of Changes**

- Clarification that active-duty service members, their spouses and their dependents qualify for hiring preferences. Step children were added to the definition of dependents.
- Added definitions to the to the State Personnel Act in Section 3 for consistency and removed redundant language in other sections.
- Added the words “disabled veteran” to section 4 for consistency with federal definitions.
- Clarified that the HB 113 should not be interpreted to amend the terms of a collective bargaining agreement.