

**CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 180(STA)**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Offered: 4/1/11

Referred: Finance

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES SADDLER, Feige, Herron, Fairclough, Lynn, Petersen, Gara, Gruenberg, Gardner, Muñoz

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act authorizing the Department of Administration to note a person's status as a**  
2 **retired veteran or a veteran discharged under honorable conditions on the person's**  
3 **driver's license or identification card and to provide certain information to the**  
4 **Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs; and providing for an effective date."**

5 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

6 **\* Section 1.** AS 18.65.310 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

7           (l) The department shall provide a designation on an identification card  
8 identifying the person as a retired veteran or a veteran of the armed forces of the  
9 United States discharged under honorable conditions. The department may not charge  
10 a fee solely for the designation. To receive a veteran designation, the person shall  
11 provide proof of veteran status that shows the person is retired or discharged under  
12 honorable conditions. The department shall provide the name and address of a person  
13 receiving a veteran designation under this subsection to the Department of Military  
14 and Veterans' Affairs.

1     \* **Sec. 2.** AS 28.15.111 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

2             (c) The department shall provide a designation on a license identifying the  
3     driver as a retired veteran or a veteran of the armed forces of the United States  
4     discharged under honorable conditions. The department may not charge a fee solely  
5     for the designation. To receive a veteran designation, the driver shall provide proof of  
6     veteran status that shows that the person is retired or discharged under honorable  
7     conditions. The department shall provide the name and address of a driver receiving a  
8     veteran designation under this subsection to the Department of Military and Veterans'  
9     Affairs.

10    \* **Sec. 3.** This Act takes effect March 1, 2012.