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HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT

(7)

Date Referred to Committee: April 1, 2009

FURTHER REFERRALS:

Date of Committee Action: 4-9-09

The STATE AFFAIRS Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 24

"An Act relating to a public procurement preference for Alaska veterans."

HB 24 PROCUREMENT PREFERENCE FOR VETERANS

Recommends it be replaced with HCS or CS for HB 24 (MLV)
 For Senate Bills with new title: Technical Title New Title: HCR _____ | Same Title New Title

- attach amendments
- add new referral to _____ Committee
- Letter of Intent _____ Committee

List of Abbrev for Depts:
 ADM
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NEW FISCAL NOTES				
*Assigned by Chief Clerk's Office				
List by Dept(s):	*FN#	Fiscal	Indet.	Zero

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTES				
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Admin				X

Signing with recommendations	Printed Last Name	DP	DNP	NR	AM
<i>Craig Johnson</i>	Johnson	✓			
<i>Paul K Seaton</i>	Seaton	✓			
<i>Pete Petersen</i>	Petersen	X			
Chair: <i>Bob Linn</i>	LINN	X			
Chair: _____					

non-deployed troops.

- Fibromyalgia, a persistent body pain lasting at least three months, was present in 20 of every 1,000 deployed GIs and 12 of every 1,000 non-deployed GIs.
- Skin rashes occurred in 346 of every 1,000 deployed troops and 268 of every 1,000 non-deployed troops.
- Stomach pain was reported by 91 of every 1,000 Gulf vets compared to 60 of every 1,000 non-deployed troops.

Decorated Vets Comprise Commission

Listed below are members of the Veterans Disability Benefits Commission (see *Issues Up Front* on page 16). Law states that seven members must hold the Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Cross, Navy Cross, Air Force Cross or Silver Star.

Appointments were made by President Bush, Senate Majority Leader Bill Frist (R-Tenn.), Senate Minority Leader Harry Reid (D-Nev.), Speaker of the House Dennis Hastert (R-Ill.) and House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi (D-Calif.). One position is still vacant. Appointees are:

- James T. Scott, retired Army lieutenant general. He is commissioner.
- Nick D. Bacon, director, Arkansas Dept. of Veterans Affairs
- Larry G. Brown, retired Army colonel
- Jennifer S. Carroll, former executive director, Florida Department of Veterans Affairs
- Donald M. Cassidy, retired Air Force colonel
- John H. Grady, former chairman, Department of Defense Retirement Board of Actuaries
- Charles Joeckel, former national adjutant, Disabled American Veterans
- Ken Jordan, retired Marine Corps colonel
- James Livingston, retired Marine Corps major general
- Dennis V. McGinn, retired Navy vice admiral
- Rick Surrat, deputy national legislative director, Disabled American Veterans
- Joe Wynn, regional director, National Association for Black Veterans

SECURITY

16 Killed in Afghanistan Crash

The worst single combat loss for Americans in the Afghanistan War occurred June 28 when an MH-47 helicopter carrying eight soldiers and eight sailors was shot down near Asadabad. All 16 aboard were killed.

Seven of the soldiers were assigned to 3rd Bn., 160th Special Operations Aviation Regt. They were: Staff Sgt. Shamus O. Goare; Chief Warrant Officer Corey J. Goodnature; Sgt. Kip A. Jacoby; Sgt. 1st Class Marcus V. Muralles; Maj. Stephen C. Reich; Sgt. 1st Class Michael L. Russell; and Chief Warrant Officer Chris J. Scherkenbach.

Master Sgt. James W. Ponder III of the regiment's HQ Company also was killed.

Five of the sailors were assigned to SEAL Team 10: Chief Petty Officer Jacques J. Fontan; Lt. Cmdr. Erik S. Kristensen; Petty Officer 1st Class Jeffery A. Lucas; Lt. Michael M.

McGreevy, Jr.; and Petty Officer 1st Class Jeffrey S. Taylor.

Three sailors were assigned to SEAL Delivery Vehicle Team One: Senior Chief Petty Officer Daniel R. Healy; Petty Officer 2nd Class Eric S. Patton; and Petty Officer 2nd Class James Suh.

The helicopter was responding to a call from four Navy SEALs: Petty Officer 2nd Class Matthew G. Axelson; Petty Officer 2nd Class Danny P. Dietz; and Lt. Michael P. Murphy were KIA. The fourth SEAL was rescued.

VFW Travels to Indochina

Three VFW officials traveled to Southeast Asia in March to gather firsthand knowledge of U.S. efforts to account for Americans missing from the Vietnam War. Senior Vice Commander-in-Chief Jim Mueller, Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief Gary Kurpius and Washington Office Executive Director Bob Wallace visited Hawaii, Thailand, Vietnam and Laos on the 14th such trip taken by VFW leaders since 1991.

They learned that 1,836 Americans are still unaccounted for from the war. Of that figure, 1,399 were lost in Vietnam, 375 in Laos, 55 in Cambodia and seven in China.

Mueller, Kurpius and Wallace met with personnel from the Joint POW/MIA Accounting Command (JPAC). JPAC's 425-person organization is divided into three detachments. Det. 1 in Bangkok, Thailand investigates cases in Cambodia. Det. 2, based in Hanoi, coordinates operations in Vietnam. Det. 3 is in Laos. Additional efforts are aimed at investigating cases from WWII, the Korean War and the Cold War.

"These trips emphasize that VFW is serious about attaining the fullest possible accounting of our MIAs," Mueller said. "We are able to see firsthand what is going on and personally thank the U.S. troops and diplomats who are working daily on this issue."

EMPLOYMENT

Tax Credits for Hiring New Vets

A bill pending in the House offers tax credits of up to \$2,400 to employers who hire veterans of Iraq and Afghanistan. The proposal also extends to dependents of National Guardsmen and reservists called to active duty in either country, as well as dependents of GIs killed in either war.

H.R. 1352—the *Veterans Employment and Respect Act of 2005*—was introduced by Rep. Allyson Schwartz (D-Pa.), daughter of a Korean War vet, and is co-sponsored by 161 House members, including Rep. Joe Schwarz (R-Mich.), a Vietnam vet. Schwarz told the *New York Times* that the tax credits could be a "mini-windfall" for a small company: "It will make a difference." At press time, the bill had been referred to the House Ways and Means Committee.



VFW VETERANS HELPLINE

Call VFW's Tactical Assessment Center if you have questions, concerns or issues about VA care you are receiving.

(800) VFW-1899



Alaska State Legislature

Representative Anna Fairclough – House District 17

House Bill 24

"An Act relating to a public procurement preference for Alaska veterans"

Alaska law, Sec. 36.30.180, states that "The purpose of bidder preference for resident firms when the state acts as a market participant is to encourage local industry, strengthen and stabilize the economy, decrease unemployment, and strengthen the tax and revenue base of the state." House Bill 24 will expand this preference to include Alaska Veteran Owned Businesses.

The National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL) identified 132 state bills (either introduced, in process, or passed into law in the past two years) that address, to some degree, the veteran business communities concerns at the state level. House Bill 24 brings Alaska into the national effort to encourage veterans to start businesses in Alaska and help them succeed.

I urge your support on this piece of legislation.

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CS House Bill 24 (MLV)

"An Act relating to a public procurement preference for Alaska veterans."

Explanation of Changes

Page 1, Lines 12 through line 16, until "In"

Removed language that stated if an Alaska bidder, is a qualifying entity, is on the register established under (d) of this section, and is the lowest responsible and responsive bidder with a bid that is not more than 10 percent higher than the lowest bid, the procurement officer shall award the contract to that bidder.

Inserted:

"and is a qualifying entity, a 5 percent cost preference shall be applied to the bid price. The preference shall not exceed five thousand dollars."

Page 2, Lines 14 & 15

Removed language that required the department to maintain a register of individuals who qualify under this section as Alaska veterans.



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Sectional Analysis

Section 1. Amends AS 36.30.170(a)

Clean up language for referencing a new section that defines Alaska veterans' preference

Section 2. Amends AS 36.30 by adding a new section

Adds in a preference for Alaska veterans and defines what a qualified entity is.

Section 3. Amends AS 36.30.250(b)

Clean up language for referencing a new section that defines Alaska veterans' preference

Section 4. Amends AS 36.30.335

Clean up language for referencing a new section that defines Alaska veterans' preference

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2009 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: _____
Bill Version: CS HB 24
() Publish Date: _____

Identifier (file name): CS(HMLV)HB024-DOA-DGS-4-02-09 Dept. Affected: Administration
Title An Act relating to a public procurement preference for Alaska veterans RDU Centralized Administrative Services
Component Purchasing
Sponsor Reps. FAIRCLOUGH, GATTO, LYNN, Dahlstrom...
Requester (H)MLV Component Number 60

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

	Appropriation Required	Information						
		FY 2010	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
OPERATING EXPENDITURES								
Personal Services	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Travel	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Contractual	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Supplies	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Equipment	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Land & Structures	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Grants & Claims	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Miscellaneous	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES								
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()								
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY 2010	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
1002 Federal Receipts	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1003 GF Match	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1004 GF	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1005 GF/Program Receipts	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1037 GF/Mental Health	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other interagency Receipts	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2009) cost: _____

POSITIONS

	FY 2010	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Full-time	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Part-time	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Temporary	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This legislation establishes a state procurement preference for Alaska veteran-owned businesses of 5 percent (up to a maximum of \$5,000 per award). The department does not anticipate additional expenses in implementing this preference. While the preference may result in awards to higher priced offers as a result of application of the preference, we are unable to determine those costs.

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Date 4/2/2009

SUMMARY:

Requires an awarding department to verify that the contractor has received certification as a disabled veteran business enterprise and that the certification is valid and to enforce the terms of any contract it enters into under the state Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Program. Provides that each contract shall require any prime contractor that enters into a subcontract with such enterprise to certify that all payments under the contract have been made.

STATUS:

09/11/2007 In SENATE. To Inactive File.

CA A 1818

AUTHOR: Fuentes [D]
TITLE: Housing: Veterans
INTRODUCED: 01/18/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that established the Multifamily Housing Program under the Department of Housing and Community Development. Authorizes the sponsor of a supportive housing development funded under the program to restrict occupancy of the development to veterans under specified circumstances.

STATUS:

06/17/2008 From SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING: Do pass.

CA A 1942

AUTHOR: Ruskin [D]
TITLE: Public Contracts: Small and Disabled Veteran Business
INTRODUCED: 02/13/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Increases the period of certification suspension for a small business or microenterprise or disabled veteran business from bidding on or participating in a state contract for fraudulent representing or withholding information. Imposes civil penalties, cancels the contract, and imposes costs against a person for fraudulently representing a disabled veteran business and revokes business certification to participate in a state contract. Provides civil penalties for contract fraudulent misrepresentation.

STATUS:

06/05/2008 To SENATE Committees on VETERANS AFFAIRS and GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION.

CA A 2360

AUTHOR: Levine [D]
TITLE: Public Contracts: State Contracts: Healthy Lifestyle
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Requires prospective bidders having a specified number of employees in the state, other than a certified small business or disabled veteran business enterprise, that bid on a contract let or under the jurisdiction of the Department of General Services involving expenditures of over a specified amount, to certify in a standard form of questionnaire that it provides fitness and wellness benefits for its employees.

STATUS:

05/22/2008 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS:
Heard, remains in Committee.

CA A 2773

AUTHOR: Price [D]
TITLE: Public Contracts: Small Business Procurement
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:

Relates to The Small Business Procurement and Contract Act. Permits a state agency to award a contract to a certified small business, including microbusiness and a disabled veteran business enterprise, without complying with specified competitive bidding requirements. Increases the maximum amount of the contract and requires the contractor to report the actual percentage of small business or disabled veteran business enterprise participation that was achieved.

STATUS:

06/12/2008 To SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL
ORGANIZATION.

CA A 3020

AUTHOR: Salas [D]
TITLE: State Contract Act: Definition: Department
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:

Expands the definition of department for purposes of contracting for a public work to include the Military Department.

STATUS:

06/10/2008 From SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL
ORGANIZATION: Do pass to Committee on
APPROPRIATIONS.

CA A 3066

AUTHOR: Veterans Affairs Cmt
TITLE: Unemployment Insurance: Training Panel: Veterans
INTRODUCED: 03/05/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:

Expands the number of employment training programs and the Employment Training Panel that qualify for priority funding to include projects that support veterans and members of the State National Guard, especially

individuals who have become disabled as a result of their military service.

STATUS:
05/29/2008 To SENATE Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS.

CA S 159 **AUTHOR:** Wyland [R]
TITLE: Prompt Payment Act: Disabled Veteran Businesses
INTRODUCED: 01/30/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Includes a disabled veteran business enterprise, as defined under the state Disabled Veteran Business Program, among the entities to whom higher penalties are payable under the state Prompt Payment Act.
STATUS:
08/30/2007 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS:
Heard, remains in Committee.

CA S 1397 **AUTHOR:** Negrete McLeod [D]
TITLE: Prison Industry Authority: Procurement
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Requires the Prison Industry Board in procuring any goods of services, to comply with certain provisions of law that give preference to small businesses and disabled veteran business enterprises in awarding contracts.
STATUS:
04/01/2008 In SENATE Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY: Not heard.

CT S 259 **INTRODUCER:** Joint Committee on Veteran Affairs
TITLE: Disable Veterans
INTRODUCED: 02/19/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Concerns a state Set Aside Program for disabled veterans; provides a Set Aside Program for disabled veterans.
STATUS:
04/07/2008 Reported out of Legislative Commissioner's Office.
04/07/2008 Reissued by Legislative Commissioner's Office with File No. 506.

FL H 687 **SIMILAR:** FL S 108
AUTHOR: Government Efficiency and Acc Council Cmt
TITLE: Service-Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises
INTRODUCED: 03/04/2008
ENACTED: 06/12/2008
DISPOSITION: Enacted

CHAPTER: 2008-155

SUMMARY:

Creates the Service-Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Opportunity Act; provides a selection preference in state contracting for certified service-disabled veteran business enterprises; provides a certification procedure to be established by the Department of Management Services and the Department of Veterans' Affairs and reviewed biennially and updated as necessary; provides for data reporting by the Small Business Development Center.

STATUS:

06/12/2008 Signed by GOVERNOR.
06/12/2008 Filed as Chapter No. 2008-155

FL S 108

SIMILAR: FL H 687

AUTHOR: Military Affairs and Domestic Security Cmt

TITLE: State Contracts

INTRODUCED: 03/04/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to state contracts; provides a statewide goal for each state agency or political subdivision to award specified governmental contracts with disabled veteran business enterprises; provides for businesses to be certified and for duties of the Department of Veterans' Affairs and the Department of Management Services.

STATUS:

04/23/2008 In SENATE. Placed on Special Order Calendar.
04/23/2008 In SENATE. Substituted on SENATE floor by H 687.
04/23/2008 In SENATE. Laid on table.

GA H 930

AUTHOR: Benton [R]

TITLE: Eligibility Certificate

INTRODUCED: 01/15/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to disabled veterans and blind persons engaging in peddling, operating businesses, or practicing professions, so as to provide that a certificate of eligibility of exemption from the payment of occupation taxes, administrative fees, or regulatory fees must first make application to the judge of the probate court of the county in which he or she resides shall be valid for a period of ten years.

STATUS:

03/27/2008 From SENATE Committee on REGULATED INDUSTRIES and UTILITIES. Favorably Reported.

GA S 114

AUTHOR: Shafer [R]

TITLE: Real Estate Brokers

INTRODUCED: 02/09/2007
ENACTED: 05/24/2007
DISPOSITION: Enacted
ACT: 249

SUMMARY:

Relates to real estate brokers and salespersons; relates to points given to disabled veterans taking examinations for licensing; provides that a certain time periods must have passed after completing a sentence for certain criminal convictions before applying for licensure; provides additional criminal offenses for which the Real Estate Commission may deny a license; change the term in-class hour to instructional hour; change the number of instructional hours for a prelicense course of study.

STATUS:

05/24/2007 Signed by GOVERNOR.
05/24/2007 Act No. 249

IA H 24

AUTHOR: Dolecheck [R]
TITLE: Nonresident Veterans State Employment Preference
INTRODUCED: 01/16/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

SUMMARY:

Concerns preference for state employment for nonresident veterans.

STATUS:

01/16/2007 INTRODUCED.
01/16/2007 To HOUSE Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS.

IA H 80

AUTHOR: Hunter [D]
TITLE: Veteran Benefits
INTRODUCED: 01/22/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

SUMMARY:

Concerns veterans; includes employment preference and other benefits.

STATUS:

01/31/2007 In HOUSE Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS:
Subcommittee assignments: D. Taylor, Bell, Granzow,
Thomas, Watts.

IA S 2113

AUTHOR: Rielly [D]
TITLE: Veterans State Job Information
INTRODUCED: 02/06/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Requires the department of administrative services to provide state job information to veterans.

STATUS:

02/13/2008 In SENATE Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS:

Subcommittee assignments: Danielson, Horn, and McKinley.

- IL H 668 **SPONSOR:** Chapa-LaVia [D]
TITLE: Veterans Preference Act
INTRODUCED: 02/06/2007
ENACTED: 08/31/2007
DISPOSITION: Enacted
PUBLIC ACT: 95-566
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans Preference Act as regards employment and public works. Increases the fine for a violation. Includes the reserve forces and the state national guard.
STATUS:
08/31/2007 Signed by GOVERNOR.
08/31/2007 Public Act No. 95-566
- IL H 678 **SPONSOR:** Mautino [D]
TITLE: Veterans Preference
INTRODUCED: 02/06/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District Act. Provides that the Director of Personnel shall give preference for original and promotional appointments to persons who have at least 180 consecutive days of active duty military service at any time in the United States Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, or Reserves. Further provides for points added to the promotion examination for certain military veterans.
STATUS:
05/15/2008 In SENATE. Committee Reading Deadline Extended to 05/22/2008.
- IL H 1172 **SPONSOR:** Franks [D]
TITLE: Vietnam Veterans
INTRODUCED: 02/09/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans' Employment Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning Vietnam veterans.
STATUS:
03/23/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
- IL H 1174 **SPONSOR:** Franks [D]
TITLE: Public Works Positions
INTRODUCED: 02/09/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends the Veterans Preference Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning a preference given to veterans in employment and appointment to fill certain public works positions.

STATUS:

03/23/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 1234

SPONSOR: Wait [R]

TITLE: Illinois Procurement Code

INTRODUCED: 02/09/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends the Illinois Procurement Code. Requires that each chief procurement officer establish a goal of at least 12% of the total dollar amount of State contracts of agencies under the officer's jurisdiction to be awarded to veteran-owned businesses.

STATUS:

05/15/2008 In SENATE. Committee Reading Deadline Extended to 05/22/2008.

IL H 1621

SPONSOR: Chapa-LaVia [D]

TITLE: Minimum Admission Standards

INTRODUCED: 02/22/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends the Board of Higher Education Act. Provides that, beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year, the minimum admission standards established by the Board of Higher Education for public community colleges and universities must provide for a preference for persons who were engaged in the active military or naval service of the United States for a period of at least one year and who were honorably discharged.

STATUS:

03/23/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 1850

SPONSOR: Chapa-LaVia [D]

TITLE: Vietnam Veterans

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends the Veterans' Employment Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning Vietnam veterans.

STATUS:

03/14/2008 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 1860

SPONSOR: Brauer [R]

TITLE: Educational Preference

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Makes technical changes in a Section concerning veteran's and educational preference.
STATUS:
03/23/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 1861 **SPONSOR:** Brauer [R]
TITLE: Veterans Preferences
INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning veterans preferences.
STATUS:
03/23/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 2180 **SPONSOR:** D'Amico [D]
TITLE: Veterans' Employment Act
INTRODUCED: 02/26/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans' Employment Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning Vietnam veterans.
STATUS:
04/27/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 2181 **SPONSOR:** Madigan [D]
TITLE: Veterans' Employment Representative Act
INTRODUCED: 02/26/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans' Employment Representative Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the qualifications and duties of a Veterans' Employment Representative.
STATUS:
04/27/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 2182 **SPONSOR:** Madigan [D]
TITLE: Veterans Preference Act
INTRODUCED: 02/26/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans Preference Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning a preference given to veterans in employment and appointment

to fill certain public works positions.

STATUS:

04/27/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 2332

SPONSOR: Bradley J [D]

TITLE: City of West Frankfort

INTRODUCED: 02/26/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that the redevelopment project in the tax increment financing district created by a specified ordinance adopted by the City of West Frankfort must be completed within a specified time frame.

STATUS:

05/15/2008 In HOUSE. Read third time. Passed HOUSE. *****To SENATE.

IL H 4612

SPONSOR: Ford [D]

TITLE: State Employment Application Act

INTRODUCED: 01/24/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed

SUMMARY:

Prohibits state employment applications from questioning if an applicant was convicted of a non-violent offense. Requires such applications to inquire if an applicant has been convicted of a felony crime of violence. Allows applications to inquire if an applicant has been convicted of a disqualifying offense. Provides preference points on entrance exams for veterans. Increases the preference points for veterans with a disability and former members of the Armed Forces, the Reserves, or the National Guard.

STATUS:

05/29/2008 In HOUSE. Placed on Short Debate Calendar Third Reading.

05/29/2008 In HOUSE. Tabled Amendment No. 2.

05/29/2008 In HOUSE. Read third time. Failed to pass HOUSE.

IL H 5389

SPONSOR: Madigan [D]

TITLE: Veterans' Employment Representative

INTRODUCED: 02/14/2008

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends the Veterans' Employment Representative Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the qualifications and duties of a Veterans' Employment Representative.

STATUS:

02/14/2008 INTRODUCED.

02/14/2008 To HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 5390 **SPONSOR:** Madigan [D]
TITLE: Veterans Preference and Public Works Positions
INTRODUCED: 02/14/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans Preference Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning a preference given to veterans in employment and appointment to fill certain public works positions.
STATUS:
02/14/2008 INTRODUCED.
02/14/2008 To HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 5826 **SPONSOR:** Cross [R]
TITLE: Veterans Preference Act
INTRODUCED: 02/15/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans Preference Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning a preference given to veterans in employment and appointment to fill certain public works positions.
STATUS:
02/15/2008 INTRODUCED.
02/15/2008 To HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 5828 **SPONSOR:** Cross [R]
TITLE: Veterans' Employment Act
INTRODUCED: 02/15/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans' Employment Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the short title.
STATUS:
02/15/2008 INTRODUCED.
02/15/2008 To HOUSE Committee on RULES.

IL H 5851 **SPONSOR:** Cross [R]
TITLE: Veterans Preferences
INTRODUCED: 02/15/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning veterans preferences.
STATUS:
02/15/2008 INTRODUCED.
02/15/2008 To HOUSE Committee on RULES.

- IL H 5906 **SPONSOR:** Wait [R]
TITLE: Participation Loans for Small Businesses
INTRODUCED: 02/15/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code. Authorizes the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity to make participation loans to small businesses that are at least a certain percentage owned and managed by one or more persons who are veterans for the purposes of promoting the creation of veteran-owned small businesses and promoting the creation of jobs within small businesses. Provides for no rule making authority.
STATUS:
05/15/2008 In SENATE. Committee Reading Deadline Extended to 05/22/2008.
- IL S 414 **SPONSOR:** Dillard [R]
TITLE: Personnel Intern Programs
INTRODUCED: 02/07/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Personnel Code. Includes intern programs within the provisions concerning trainee programs. Prohibits an intern or trainee, or former intern or trainee, who has not been granted a veteran preference from being appointed in other than an intern or trainee capacity to a position for which a qualified veteran preference recipient is eligible. Prohibits an intern or trainee, or former intern or trainee, who has not been granted a veteran preference.
STATUS:
02/07/2007 INTRODUCED.
02/07/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.
- IL S 923 **SPONSOR:** Meeks [I]
TITLE: Qualifications and Duties of Veterans
INTRODUCED: 02/08/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans' Employment Representative Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the qualifications and duties of a Veterans' Employment Representative.
STATUS:
12/03/2007 Rereferred to SENATE Committee on RULES.
- IL S 924 **SPONSOR:** Demuzio [D]
TITLE: Vietnam Veterans

INTRODUCED: 02/08/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans' Employment Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning Vietnam veterans.
STATUS:
12/03/2007 Rereferred to SENATE Committee on RULES.

IL S 926 **SPONSOR:** Demuzio [D]
TITLE: Veterans Preference
INTRODUCED: 02/08/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Veterans Preference Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning a preference given to veterans in employment and appointment to fill certain public works positions.
STATUS:
12/03/2007 Rereferred to SENATE Committee on RULES.

IL S 1685 **SPONSOR:** Jones J [R]
TITLE: Department of Veterans Affairs
INTRODUCED: 02/09/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Department of Veterans Affairs Act. Creates the office of Veterans' State Employment Ombudsman within the Department. Provides that the Ombudsman shall monitor hiring done through the Department of Central Management Services and other State agencies to ensure that veterans' hiring preferences are being followed.
STATUS:
02/09/2007 INTRODUCED.
02/09/2007 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

IL S 2620 **SPONSOR:** Jones J [R]
TITLE: Veterans State Employment Ombudsman
INTRODUCED: 02/15/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Amends the Department of Veterans Affairs Act. Creates the office of Veterans' State Employment Ombudsman within the Department. Provides that the Ombudsman shall monitor hiring done through the Department of Central Management Services and other State agencies to ensure that veterans' hiring preferences are being followed.
STATUS:
02/15/2008 INTRODUCED.
02/15/2008 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

KS H 2562 **AUTHOR:** Appropriations Cmt
TITLE: Veterans State Employment
INTRODUCED: 03/02/2007
ENACTED: 04/21/2008
DISPOSITION: Enacted
CHAPTER: 2008-99
SUMMARY:
Relates to veterans and notices of job openings for state employment; concerns veterans preference and powers of attorney; provides for a disabled veteran; includes spouses; relates to veterans service representatives.
STATUS:
06/09/2008 Chapter No. 2008-99

KY H 57 **BR:** 346
SPONSOR: Cherry [D]
TITLE: Military Service
INTRODUCED: 01/08/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Honors military service; expands the state hiring preference honoring military service; requires the adding of five or ten preference points to a military-connected individual's examination score used for state hiring in classified positions; permits the total of an examination score and preference points to exceed 100; requires that a register certificate of finalists for a state job identify all finalists entitled to preference points.
STATUS:
01/28/2008 To SENATE Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

KY S 181 **BR:** 2131
SPONSOR: Gibson [R]
TITLE: Honoring Military Service
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Relates to honoring military service; establishes a state hiring preference honoring military service; requires that certain individuals receive an additional five or ten preference points on an examination score used for state hiring in classified positions; permits the total of the examination score and the preference points to exceed 100.
STATUS:
03/11/2008 To HOUSE Committee on SENIORS, MILITARY AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC SAFETY.

MA H 2776 **AUTHOR:** Vallee [D]

TITLE: Veteran Hiring Practices
INTRODUCED: 01/10/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
 Strengthens veterans hiring practices.
STATUS:
 03/27/2008 From JOINT Committee on PUBLIC SERVICE:
 Accompanied Study Order H 4607.

MA H 3726 **AUTHOR:** Spellane [D]
TITLE: Veteran Owned Small Business
INTRODUCED: 01/10/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
 Relates to veteran owned small business.
STATUS:
 03/24/2008 From JOINT Committee on VETERANS AND
 FEDERAL AFFAIRS: Ought to pass.
 03/24/2008 To HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

MA S 528 **AUTHOR:** Morrissey [D]
TITLE: Pilots Commission
INTRODUCED: 01/10/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
 Relates to veterans preference on the pilots commission.
STATUS:
 04/24/2008 From JOINT Committee on ENVIRONMENT,
 NATURAL RESOURCES AND AGRICULTURE:
 Accompanied Study Order S 2593.

MA S 2141 **AUTHOR:** Morrissey [D]
TITLE: Employment Protection for Disabled Veterans
INTRODUCED: 01/10/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
 Provides employment protection for disabled veterans and veterans who are
 not members of civil service.
STATUS:
 03/11/2008 From JOINT Committee on VETERANS AND
 FEDERAL AFFAIRS: Accompanied Study Order S
 2547.

MD H 747 **CROSSFILED** MD S 648
WITH:
AUTHOR: Minnick [D]

TITLE: Disabled Veteran
INTRODUCED: 02/04/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:

Establishes a specified participation goal for certified service disabled veteran business enterprises for procurement contracts; requires an awarding unit to consider specified efforts by and award specified contracts to bidders or offerors that meet or make a good-faith effort to meet specified participation goals.

STATUS:
02/04/2008 INTRODUCED.
02/04/2008 To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.

MD H 1431 **AUTHOR:** Health and Government Cmt
TITLE: Small Business Preference Program
INTRODUCED: 02/11/2008
ENACTED: 05/22/2008
DISPOSITION: Enacted
CHAPTER: 695

SUMMARY:
Alters the amount of a percentage price preference that specified State agencies must establish for small businesses; establishes price preferences for businesses owned and controlled by one or more veterans or disabled veterans.

STATUS:
05/22/2008 Signed by GOVERNOR.
05/22/2008 Chapter No. 695

MD H 1435 **AUTHOR:** Appropriations Cmt
TITLE: State Employees
INTRODUCED: 02/11/2008
ENACTED: 05/22/2008
DISPOSITION: Enacted
CHAPTER: 696

SUMMARY:
Alters the calculation, for purposes of a layoff, of the total number of seniority points by providing ten points for eligible veterans and two points for eligible veterans who have a service-connected disability or are former prisoners of war.

STATUS:
05/22/2008 Signed by GOVERNOR.
05/22/2008 Chapter No. 696

MD S 648 **CROSSFILED WITH:** MD H 747

AUTHOR: Peters [D]
TITLE: Disabled Veteran Businesses
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:
Establishes a specified participation goal for certified service disabled veteran business enterprises for procurement contracts; requires an awarding unit to consider specified efforts by and award specified contracts to bidders or offerors that meet or make a good-faith effort to meet specified participation goals.

STATUS:
03/25/2008 To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.

MI S 732

SPONSOR: Richardville [R]
TITLE: Veteran Owned Businesses
INTRODUCED: 09/06/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:
Allows designation of certain veteran-owned businesses as Michigan patriot businesses.

STATUS:
10/10/2007 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE.
*****To HOUSE.

10/10/2007 To HOUSE Committee on MILITARY & VETERANS AFFAIRS & HOMELAND SECURITY.

MI S 733

SPONSOR: Allen [R]
TITLE: Economic Development Corporations
INTRODUCED: 09/06/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:
Relates to economic development corporations; requires website for certain veteran entrepreneurs.

STATUS:
10/10/2007 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE.
*****To HOUSE.

10/10/2007 To HOUSE Committee on MILITARY & VETERANS AFFAIRS & HOMELAND SECURITY.

MI S 750

SPONSOR: Basham [D]
TITLE: National Guard Military Police
INTRODUCED: 09/06/2007
ENACTED: 03/13/2008

DISPOSITION: Enacted

PUBLIC ACT: 28

SUMMARY:

Modifies employment preference for national guard military policy.

STATUS:

03/13/2008 Signed by GOVERNOR.
03/13/2008 Public Act No. 28

MI S 751

SPONSOR: Pappageorge [R]
TITLE: State Contract Veterans Preference
INTRODUCED: 09/06/2007
ENACTED: 05/21/2008
DISPOSITION: Enacted
PUBLIC ACT: 133

SUMMARY:

Increases disabled veterans' preference for contracts for expenditures for construction, goods and services.

STATUS:

05/21/2008 Signed by GOVERNOR.
05/21/2008 Public Act No. 133

MI SR 103

SPONSOR: Allen [R]
TITLE: Civil Service Commission
INTRODUCED: 09/06/2007
ADOPTED: 11/28/2007
DISPOSITION: Adopted

SUMMARY:

Urges the Michigan Civil Service Commission to amend the civil service rules regarding the veterans' hiring preference to extend the eligibility period from 5 years to 10 years following completion of active military duty.

STATUS:

11/28/2007 In SENATE. Passed SENATE.

MN H 30

AUTHOR: Severson [R]
TITLE: State Government
INTRODUCED: 01/08/2007
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to state government; veterans; designates veteran-owned small businesses as targeted group businesses for purposes of awarding certain state and metro agency procurement contracts.

STATUS:

01/08/2007 INTRODUCED.
01/08/2007 To HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE, RURAL ECONOMIES AND VETERANS AFFAIRS.

MN H 137

COMPANION: MN S 255
AUTHOR: Haws [DFL]

TITLE: State Government
INTRODUCED: 01/16/2007
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Relates to state government; veterans; designates veteran-owned small businesses as targeted group businesses for purposes of awarding certain state and metro agency procurement contracts.
STATUS:
01/16/2007 INTRODUCED.
01/16/2007 To HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE, RURAL ECONOMIES AND VETERANS AFFAIRS.

MN H 780 **COMPANION:** MN S 819
AUTHOR: Tschumper [DFL]
TITLE: State Government
INTRODUCED: 02/08/2007
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Relates to state government; designates veteran-owned small businesses as targeted group businesses for purposes of awarding certain state and metro agency procurement contracts.
STATUS:
02/08/2007 INTRODUCED.
02/08/2007 To HOUSE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS, REFORM, TECHNOLOGY AND ELECTIONS.

MN H 3344 **COMPANION:** MN S 3652
AUTHOR: Severson [R]
TITLE: Veterans
INTRODUCED: 02/21/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Relates to veterans; changes veteran's preference provisions.
STATUS:
03/10/2008 From HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE, RURAL ECONOMIES AND VETERANS AFFAIRS:
Do pass as amended.
03/10/2008 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS, REFORM, TECHNOLOGY AND ELECTIONS.

MN H 3417 **COMPANION:** MN S 3067
AUTHOR: Tillberry [DFL]
TITLE: Business Organizations
INTRODUCED: 02/25/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to business organizations; waiver of reinstatement fee after certain dissolution of an entity when a principal of the entity is a returns combat veteran.

STATUS:

03/17/2008 From HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE,
RURAL ECONOMIES AND VETERANS AFFAIRS:
Do pass as amended.

03/17/2008 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on FINANCE.

MN H 3427

COMPANION: MN S 3055

AUTHOR: Dettmer [R]

TITLE: Veterans

INTRODUCED: 02/25/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to veterans; establishes a loan program of a onetime interest free to borrowers of eligible businesses that have sustained or likely to sustain economic injury as a result of the call to active service for a certain amounts of time; adds certain veterans to those eligible for a program; changes an unemployment compensation provision; makes an appropriation to the Commissioner of Employment and Economic Development to establish a revolving loan account.

STATUS:

03/17/2008 From HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE,
RURAL ECONOMIES AND VETERANS AFFAIRS:
Do pass as amended.

03/17/2008 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on FINANCE.

MN S 32

AUTHOR: Kubly [DFL]

TITLE: Veterans

INTRODUCED: 01/08/2007

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to veterans; allows a classified government service preference for the parent of a disabled veteran.

STATUS:

01/08/2007 INTRODUCED.

01/08/2007 To SENATE Committee on AGRICULTURE AND
VETERANS.

MN S 255

COMPANION: MN H 137

AUTHOR: Wergin [R]

TITLE: State Government

INTRODUCED: 01/25/2007

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to state government; veterans; designates veteran-owned small businesses as targeted group businesses for purposes of awarding certain state and metro agency procurement contracts.

STATUS:

03/05/2007 From HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE,
RURAL ECONOMIES AND VETERANS AFFAIRS:
Do pass.

03/05/2007 Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on FINANCE.

MN S 819

COMPANION: MN H 780

AUTHOR: Erickson Ropes [DFL]

TITLE: Agency Procurement Contracts and Veterans

INTRODUCED: 02/15/2007

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to state government; designates veteran-owned small businesses as targeted group businesses for purposes of awarding certain state and metro agency procurement contracts.

STATUS:

02/15/2007 INTRODUCED.

02/15/2007 To SENATE Committee on STATE AND LOCAL
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND OVERSIGHT.

MN S 3055

COMPANION: MN H 3427

AUTHOR: Koch [R]

TITLE: Military Reservist Economic Injury Loans

INTRODUCED: 02/25/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Establishes the Military Reservist Economic Injury Loans program; authorizes the issuance of interest free loans to businesses that sustain economic injury as a result of the call to service of an employee; amends workforce development articles to include veterans in the definition of dislocated worker; provides that unemployment benefits paid shall not be used to compute the tax rate of an employer when an applicant was a replacement worker and was laid off because the employee returned from active duty.

STATUS:

03/25/2008 From SENATE Committee on STATE AND LOCAL
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND OVERSIGHT:
Do pass.

03/25/2008 Rereferred to SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

MN S 3067

COMPANION: MN H 3417

AUTHOR: Olson M [DFL]
TITLE: Business Organizations
INTRODUCED: 02/25/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Relates to business organizations; concerns waiver of reinstatement fee after certain dissolution of an entity when a principal of the entity is a returning combat veteran.
STATUS:
03/11/2008 From SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY: Do pass as amended.
03/11/2008 Rereferred to SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

MN S 3652 **COMPANION:** MN H 3344
AUTHOR: Dille [R]
TITLE: Veterans
INTRODUCED: 03/11/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Relates to veterans; changes veteran's preference provisions.
STATUS:
03/11/2008 INTRODUCED.
03/11/2008 To SENATE Committee on AGRICULTURE AND VETERANS.

MO H 1313 **SPONSOR:** Wright B [R]
TITLE: Veterans Contracting Preference
INTRODUCED: 01/09/2008
DISPOSITION: To Governor
SUMMARY:
Gives a preference in all state purchasing contracts to certain disabled veterans doing business in the state when the quality of work is equal to, or better than, and the price is the same as, or less than, that of the competition.
STATUS:
05/29/2008 *****To GOVERNOR.

NC H 1412 **AUTHOR:** Martin [D]
TITLE: Veterans Preference
INTRODUCED: 04/12/2007
ENACTED: 07/27/2007
DISPOSITION: Enacted
CHAPTER #: 2007-286
SUMMARY:
Clarifies the veterans preference with State departments, agencies and institutions.
STATUS:

07/27/2007 Signed by GOVERNOR.
07/27/2007 Session Law Number 2007-286

NJ A 769 **SPONSOR:** Conners [D]
TITLE: Veterans Civil Service Preference
INTRODUCED: 01/08/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Expands eligibility for veterans' civil service preference; creates additional preference benefits.
STATUS:
05/22/2008 From ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

NJ A 2923 **SPONSOR:** Chiappone [D]
TITLE: Civil Service Examinations Fee
INTRODUCED: 06/12/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Exempts veterans from \$15 fee for open and competitive civil service examinations and from local residency requirements.
STATUS:
06/12/2008 INTRODUCED.
06/12/2008 To ASSEMBLY Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT.

NJ ACR 98 **IDENTICAL:** NJ SCR 24
SPONSOR: Conners [D]
TITLE: Civil Service Preference
INTRODUCED: 01/08/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Proposes constitutional amendment to permit disabled veterans who served in U.S. Armed Forces at any time to receive civil service preference.
STATUS:
02/28/2008 From ASSEMBLY Committee on MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS.

NJ S 800 **SPONSOR:** Cunningham [D]
TITLE: Civil Service Exams
INTRODUCED: 01/28/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Exempts veterans from \$15 fee for open and competitive civil service examinations and from local residency requirements.
STATUS:

01/28/2008 INTRODUCED.
01/28/2008 To SENATE Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT.

NJ S 1453 **SPONSOR:** Girgenti [D]
TITLE: Veterans Civil Service Preference
INTRODUCED: 03/06/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Expands eligibility for veterans' civil service preference; creates additional preference benefits.
STATUS:
03/06/2008 INTRODUCED.
03/06/2008 To SENATE Committee on LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS.

NJ S 1612 **SPONSOR:** Allen [R]
TITLE: Operation Noble Eagle
INTRODUCED: 05/05/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Provides civil service preference to veterans of Operation Noble Eagle.
STATUS:
05/05/2008 INTRODUCED.
05/05/2008 To SENATE Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT.

NJ SCR 24 **IDENTICAL:** NJ ACR 98
SPONSOR: Allen [R]
TITLE: Civil Service Disabled Veterans
INTRODUCED: 01/08/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Proposes constitutional amendment to permit disabled veterans who served in United States Armed Forces at any time to receive civil service preference.
STATUS:
01/08/2008 INTRODUCED.
01/08/2008 To SENATE Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT.

NM H 453 **AUTHOR:** Cote [D]
TITLE: Economic Development
INTRODUCED: 01/24/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Relates to economic development; protects certain New Mexico small businesses; amends the procurement code to provide for preferences for disabled veteran-owned businesses; enacts a new section of the procurement

code to provide for separate pricing of certain components in certain circumstances.

STATUS:

01/24/2008 INTRODUCED.

01/24/2008 To HOUSE Committee on RULES AND ORDER OF BUSINESS.

NY A 2398

SAME AS: NY S 5297

SPONSOR: Morelle [D]

TITLE: Veterans Credits Added to Civil Service Examination

INTRODUCED: 01/17/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Authorizes veteran's credits to be added to an individual's civil service examination.

STATUS:

04/30/2008 Passed ASSEMBLY. *****To SENATE.

04/30/2008 To SENATE Committee on VETERANS, HOMELAND SECURITY AND MILITARY AFFAIRS.

NY A 3125

SPONSOR: Tonko [D]

TITLE: Federal Veterans Reemployment Act

INTRODUCED: 01/23/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Relates to veterans' credit received under the Federal Veterans' Reemployment Act.

STATUS:

01/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

01/23/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES.

NY A 4328

SAME AS: NY S 1568

SPONSOR: Ortiz [D]

TITLE: Disability Payments for Disabled Veterans

INTRODUCED: 02/02/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Proposes constitutional amendment to eliminate requirement that disabled veterans receive disability payments in order to qualify for the crediting of additional points on a civil service exam for appointment or promotion in the civil service system.

STATUS:

05/15/2007 Substituted by S 1568.

NY A 4353 **SPONSOR:** Zebrowski [D]
 TITLE: Veterans Injured in Combat
 INTRODUCED: 02/02/2007
 DISPOSITION: Pending
 SUMMARY:
 Authorizes veterans injured in combat after September 11, 2001 to receive
 extra credit on competitive examinations.
 STATUS:
 04/20/2007 Enacting clause stricken.

NY A 5402 **SPONSOR:** Pretlow [D]
 TITLE: Age Limit for Firefighter Appointment
 INTRODUCED: 02/15/2007
 DISPOSITION: Pending
 SUMMARY:
 Requires that any person applying for appointment as a firefighter in civil
 service be not more than 29 years of age on the date he or she takes the
 written competitive examination for such appointment; provides that any
 time spent on military duty or terminal leave, not to exceed 6 years, shall be
 subtracted from such age limit.
 STATUS:
 02/15/2007 INTRODUCED.
 02/15/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL
 EMPLOYEES.

NY A 5664 **SPONSOR:** Tedisco [R]
 TITLE: Positions for Disabled Veterans
 INTRODUCED: 02/21/2007
 DISPOSITION: Pending
 SUMMARY:
 Establishes that by enactment of a local law, any county, city, town or
 village may determine a number of positions that may be performed by
 disabled veterans and veterans with disabilities who are found otherwise
 qualified to perform satisfactorily the duties of any such position.
 STATUS:
 02/21/2007 INTRODUCED.
 02/21/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL
 EMPLOYEES.

NY A 5797 **SPONSOR:** Tedisco [R]
 TITLE: Employment of Veterans With Disabilities
 INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007
 DISPOSITION: Pending
 SUMMARY:
 Provides for employment of veterans with disabilities by municipalities;
 allows municipal civil service commissions in the state to prescribe a

number of positions, not to exceed two hundred, with duties to be performed by disabled veterans.

STATUS:

02/23/2007 INTRODUCED.

02/23/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES.

NY A 5799

SPONSOR: Towns [D]

TITLE: Civil Service Exam Credit Entitlement

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Proposes an amendment to the New York state constitution which would expand the entitlement to civil service exam credit of certain members of the United States armed forces who were disabled during service by eliminating the requirement that the service be wartime service and allowing the credit regardless of dates of service; changes the reference to the veterans administration to the department of veterans affairs.

STATUS:

02/19/2008 Opinion referred to JUDICIARY.

NY A 5812

SAME AS: NY S 304

SPONSOR: Towns [D]

TITLE: Preference To Disabled Veterans

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Grants a preference to disabled veterans for the purposes of occupancy in Mitchell Lama projects; provides for disabled veterans to have the same preference as displaced families.

STATUS:

06/13/2007 From ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.

06/13/2007 Substituted by S 304.

NY A 6025

SPONSOR: McDonald [R]

TITLE: Affordable Housing Veterans Preference

INTRODUCED: 02/28/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Provides for preferences under the affordable home ownership program for service related disabled veterans.

STATUS:

02/28/2007 INTRODUCED.

02/28/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on HOUSING.

NY A 6106

SAME AS: NY S 3305

SPONSOR: Thiele [R]
TITLE: Veterans With Disabilities
INTRODUCED: 03/02/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Authorizes veterans with disabilities who were classified as veterans and used such classification in his or her original appointment or promotion and were later classified as a veteran with disabilities, to be afforded the same opportunity to receive additional credits granted by section 85 of the civil service law.

STATUS:

06/20/2007 From ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.
06/20/2007 Substituted by S 3305.

NY A 7172

SAME AS: NY S 3946
SPONSOR: Ortiz [D]
TITLE: Preferred Sources in Procurement Among Veterans
INTRODUCED: 03/30/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Relates to preferred sources in procurement; provides for a separate agency to facilitate distribution of orders among veterans' workshops.

STATUS:

03/30/2007 INTRODUCED.
03/30/2007 To ASSEMBLY Committee on VETERANS
AFFAIRS.

NY A 7733

SAME AS: NY S 4218
SPONSOR: Ortiz [D]
TITLE: Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Businesses
INTRODUCED: 04/25/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Gives preference to service disabled veteran owned small businesses with respect to state contracts.

STATUS:

06/02/2008 Amended in ASSEMBLY Committee on
GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS.

NY A 7734

SAME AS: NY S 3547
SPONSOR: Quinn [R]
TITLE: Service Related Disabled Veteran Owned Businesses
INTRODUCED: 04/25/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Creates the Service Related Disabled Veteran Owned Business Enterprise

Act to promote such business enterprises.

STATUS:

04/25/2007

INTRODUCED.

04/25/2007

To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS.

NY A 9935

SPONSOR: Towns [D]

TITLE: Points Granted to Disabled Veterans

INTRODUCED: 02/06/2008

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Increases from 10 to 13, the number of additional points granted to disabled veterans on competitive civil service original appointment exams; increases from 5 to 6 the number of additional points granted on promotion exams; and increases such points for non-disabled veterans from 5 to 8 on original appointment exams and from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 on promotion exams.

STATUS:

02/06/2008

INTRODUCED.

02/06/2008

To ASSEMBLY Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS.

NY A 10486

SPONSOR: Abbate [D]

TITLE: State Employment of Veterans with Disabilities

INTRODUCED: 04/08/2008

DISPOSITION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Relates to the employment by the state of veterans with disabilities, allowing for up to five hundred positions with duties such as can be performed by disabled veterans.

STATUS:

05/28/2008

From SENATE Committee on VETERANS, HOMELAND SECURITY AND MILITARY AFFAIRS.

05/28/2008

Substituted for S 7791.

05/28/2008

Passed SENATE.

NY S 304

SAME AS: NY A 5812

SPONSOR: Maltese [R]

TITLE: Housing Preference to Disabled Veterans

INTRODUCED: 01/03/2007

ENACTED: 08/01/2007

DISPOSITION: Enacted

CHAPTER: 420

SUMMARY:

Grants a preference to disabled veterans for the purposes of occupancy in Mitchell Lama projects with a closed list; provides that such preference shall

be given upon the opening of the waiting list; provides that persons residing in a limited-profit housing project shall be given first priority for an internal transfer in the project in which they are residing in accordance with existing rules and regulations.

STATUS:

08/01/2007 Signed by GOVERNOR.
08/01/2007 Chapter No. 420

NY S 1568

SAME AS: NY A 4328
SPONSOR: LaValle [R]
TITLE: Disability Payments for Disabled Veterans
INTRODUCED: 01/23/2007
ADOPTED: 05/17/2007
DISPOSITION: Adopted
SUMMARY:

Proposes a constitutional amendment to eliminate the requirement that disabled veterans receive disability payments in order to qualify for the crediting of additional points on a civil service exam for appointment or promotion in the civil service system.

STATUS:

05/17/2007 Filed with Secretary of State.

NY S 1790

SPONSOR: Kruger [D]
TITLE: Public Housing Veterans Preference
INTRODUCED: 01/25/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:

Provides preferences in certain public housing projects for certain service in the armed forces; provides recipients of expeditionary medals in Vietnam, Lebanon, Granada, Panama and Persian Gulf conflict same preference to public housing as Vietnam veterans.

STATUS:

01/25/2007 INTRODUCED.
01/25/2007 To SENATE Committee on HOUSING,
CONSTRUCTION AND COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT.

NY S 1902

SPONSOR: Sampson [D]
TITLE: Disabled Veterans Civil Service Exam Points
INTRODUCED: 01/29/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:

Increases from 10 to 13, the number of additional points granted to disabled veterans on competitive civil service original appointment exams; increases from 5 to 6 the number of additional points granted on promotion exams; and increases such points for non-disabled veterans from 5 to 8 on original

appointment exams and from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 on promotion exams.

STATUS:

01/29/2007

INTRODUCED.

01/29/2007

To SENATE Committee on VETERANS,
HOMELAND SECURITY AND MILITARY
AFFAIRS.

NY S 2565

SPONSOR: Kruger [D]

TITLE: Veteran Civil Service Credits

INTRODUCED: 02/07/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Provides that every person who has served in more than 1 time of war shall be entitled to additional credit as a veteran or disabled veteran in competitive examinations for original appointment or promotion for every such time of war during which person served regardless of whether any such person has utilized such credit for a competitive examination for original appointment or a competitive examination for promotion.

STATUS:

02/07/2007

INTRODUCED.

02/07/2007

To SENATE Committee on VETERANS,
HOMELAND SECURITY AND MILITARY
AFFAIRS.

NY S 3305

SAME AS: NY A 6106

SPONSOR: LaValle [R]

TITLE: Veterans With Disabilities

INTRODUCED: 03/02/2007

VETOED: 08/28/2007

DISPOSITION: Vetoed

SUMMARY:

Authorizes veterans with disabilities who were classified as veterans and used such classification in his or her original appointment or promotion and were later classified as a veteran with disabilities, shall be entitled to credits due a disabled veteran less the number of credits allowed for the prior appointment.

STATUS:

08/28/2007

Vetoed by GOVERNOR. Veto No. 146 of 2007.

NY S 3547

SAME AS: NY A 7734

SPONSOR: DeFrancisco [R]

TITLE: Disabled Veteran Owned Business Enterprise Act

INTRODUCED: 03/08/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Creates the Service Related Disabled Veteran Owned Business Enterprise

Act to promote such business enterprises.

STATUS:

05/27/2008 From SENATE Committee on VETERANS,
HOMELAND SECURITY AND MILITARY
AFFAIRS.

05/27/2008 To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

NY S 3946

SAME AS: NY A 7172
SPONSOR: Seward [R]
TITLE: Preferred Sources In Procurement
INTRODUCED: 03/21/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Relates to preferred sources in procurement; provides for a separate agency to facilitate distribution of orders among veterans' workshops.

STATUS:

01/09/2008 Withdrawn from SENATE Committee on RULES.

01/09/2008 To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

NY S 4218

SAME AS: NY A 7733
SPONSOR: Leibell [R]
TITLE: Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Businesses
INTRODUCED: 03/30/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Gives preference to service disabled veteran owned small businesses with respect to state contracts.

STATUS:

06/12/2008 Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY.

06/12/2008 To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL
OPERATIONS.

NY S 5297

SAME AS: NY A 2398
SPONSOR: Robach [R]
TITLE: Civil Service Examination Veterans Credits
INTRODUCED: 04/25/2007
DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Authorizes veteran's credits to be added to an individual's civil service examination.

STATUS:

05/13/2008 From SENATE Committee on VETERANS,
HOMELAND SECURITY AND MILITARY
AFFAIRS.

NY S 6713

SPONSOR: LaValle [R]

TITLE: Veterans With Disabilities

INTRODUCED: 01/10/2008

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Authorizes veterans with disabilities who were classified as veterans and used such classification in his or her original appointment or promotion and were later classified as a veteran with disabilities, to be afforded the same opportunity to receive additional credits granted by section 85 of the civil service law.

STATUS:

02/20/2008 Opinion referred to JUDICIARY.

NY S 7344

SPONSOR: Adams [D]

TITLE: Veteran Examination Credit

INTRODUCED: 04/02/2008

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Authorizes veterans who served in combat during Operation Iraqi Freedom after March 20, 2003 to receive extra credit on competitive examinations.

STATUS:

06/16/2008 Passed SENATE. *****To ASSEMBLY.

06/16/2008 To ASSEMBLY Committee on GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES.

NY S 7791

SPONSOR: Leibell [R]

TITLE: State Employment of Disabled Veterans

INTRODUCED: 04/28/2008

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Relates to the employment by the state of veterans with disabilities, allowing the commission to determine up to five hundred positions with duties such as can be performed by disabled veterans.

STATUS:

05/28/2008 Substituted by S 10486.

NY S 7792

SPONSOR: Leibell [R]

TITLE: Military Civil Service Exams

INTRODUCED: 04/28/2008

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Relates to providing members of the armed forces of the United States with the opportunity to take special military make-up civil service exams.

STATUS:

05/29/2008 Substituted by A 10381.

OR H 3626 a

AUTHOR: Elections, Ethics, and Rules Cmt

TITLE: Pre Disaster Mitigation Fund

INTRODUCED: 02/04/2008

ENACTED: 03/11/2008

DISPOSITION: Enacted

SUMMARY:

Clarifies authority of a local government officer with custody of public money; creates the Pre-Disaster Mitigation Fund and the Disaster Response Fund; appropriates money to the Military Department for certain purposes; requires the Department of Human Services to consider certain issues before granting initial residential care facility license; creates the Veterans' Small Business Repair Loan Program; requires evaluation of the community mental health care component of mental health care delivery system.

STATUS:

03/11/2008 *****To GOVERNOR.

03/11/2008 Signed by GOVERNOR.

PA H 62

PN: 87

AUTHOR: Markosek [D]

TITLE: Military Affairs Code

INTRODUCED: 01/30/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends the Military Affairs Code. Provides for service-disabled veteran-owned business participation goals.

STATUS:

01/30/2007 INTRODUCED.

01/30/2007 To HOUSE Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS.

PA S 87

PN: 1197

AUTHOR: Tomlinson [R]

TITLE: Procurement Code

INTRODUCED: 02/13/2007

DISPOSITION: Pending

SUMMARY:

Amends the Procurement Code. Provides for contracting with veteran-owned businesses. Imposes duties on the Department of General Services and other state purchasing agencies.

STATUS:

06/20/2007 In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE.

*****To HOUSE.

06/20/2007 To HOUSE Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS.

SC S 1009

AUTHOR: Ford [D]

TITLE: Shelter Preference to Homeless Veterans

INTRODUCED: 01/17/2008
DISPOSITION: Pending
SUMMARY:
Gives preference to homeless veterans at all shelters funded in whole or in part by public funds.
STATUS:
01/17/2008 INTRODUCED.
01/17/2008 To SENATE Committee on GENERAL COMMITTEE.

VA H 1386 **AUTHOR:** Miller J [R]
TITLE: Small Business Programs
INTRODUCED: 01/09/2008
ENACTED: 03/10/2008
DISPOSITION: Enacted
CHAPTER: 521.
SUMMARY:
Relates to service-disabled veteran-owned businesses; provides for a program with federal eligibility requirements set by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs for service disabled veteran owned small business; provides for small businesses owned by non-citizens who are in full compliance with immigration law..
STATUS:
03/28/2008 Acts of Assembly. Chapter No. 521.

VA S 680 **AUTHOR:** Wagner [R]
TITLE: Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business
INTRODUCED: 01/14/2008
ENACTED: 03/27/2008
DISPOSITION: Enacted
CHAPTER: 767.
SUMMARY:
Aligns the state's eligibility requirements for participation in the Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business Program with federal eligibility requirements set by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.
STATUS:
04/21/2008 Acts of Assembly. Chapter No. 767.

WA H 1065 **COMPANION:** WA S 5029
AUTHOR: Kelley [D]
TITLE: Civil Service Examinations and Veterans Scoring
INTRODUCED: 01/08/2007
ENACTED: 05/14/2007
DISPOSITION: Enacted
CHAPTER: 2007-449
SUMMARY:

Revises veterans' scoring criteria in civil service examinations; provides that veterans points added to a promotional examination shall be added only until the first promotion.

STATUS:

05/21/2007 Chapter No. 2007-449

WA H 1665

COMPANION: WA S 5253

AUTHOR: Kelley [D]

TITLE: Veteran Owned Businesses

INTRODUCED: 01/24/2007

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Creates a list of and decal for veteran-owned businesses; requires the development and maintenance of a current list of veteran-owned businesses; and make the list available on the department's public web site.

STATUS:

01/24/2007 INTRODUCED.

01/24/2007 To HOUSE Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT
AND TRIBAL AFFAIRS.

WA H 2196

AUTHOR: Goodman [D]

TITLE: Increase State Contracts With Veteran Owned
Businesses

INTRODUCED: 02/13/2007

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Increases state contracts with businesses owned by veterans with disabilities; requires the development of a procedure for certifying businesses owned by veterans with disabilities and maintain a list of businesses owned by veterans with disabilities on the department's public web site.

STATUS:

02/13/2007 INTRODUCED.

02/13/2007 To HOUSE Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT
AND TRIBAL AFFAIRS.

WA H 2210

AUTHOR: Skinner [R]

TITLE: State Contracts With Veteran Owned Businesses

INTRODUCED: 02/13/2007

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Increases state contracts with veteran-owned businesses; recognizes the unique sacrifices made by veterans and the substantial challenges that returning veterans face after a period of military duty away from home. Recognizes that veterans who own private businesses may face particular hardships as a direct result of their military service.

STATUS:
02/16/2008 To SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATION AND ELECTIONS.

WA H 2755 **AUTHOR:** Kelley [D]
TITLE: Adjusting Veterans Scoring Criteria
INTRODUCED: 01/16/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Adjusts veterans scoring criteria; adjusts veterans' scoring criteria.
STATUS:
02/26/2008 From SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATION AND ELECTIONS: Do pass.

WA H 2806 **AUTHOR:** Schual-Berke [D]
TITLE: Diseased Veterans
INTRODUCED: 01/16/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Gives hiring preferences to children of deceased veterans and children of veterans with disabilities.
STATUS:
01/16/2008 INTRODUCED.
01/16/2008 To HOUSE Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT AND TRIBAL AFFAIRS.

WA H 2940 **AUTHOR:** Kelley [D]
TITLE: Veteran Owned Business Linked Deposit Program
INTRODUCED: 01/18/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned
SUMMARY:
Establishes the veteran-owned business linked deposit program.
STATUS:
01/31/2008 Referred to HOUSE Committee on FINANCE.

WA H 3360 **AUTHOR:** Hasegawa [D]
TITLE: Veteran Owned Business
INTRODUCED: 02/07/2008
ENACTED: 03/27/2008
DISPOSITION: Enacted
CHAPTER: 2008-187
SUMMARY:
Specifies that in order to participate in the linked deposit program a veteran owned business qualified under this section must be certified by the department as a business in which the veteran owner possesses and exercises sufficient expertise in the business's field of operation that is organized for

profit and performing a commercially useful function and that meets the criteria for a small business concern.

STATUS:

03/27/2008 Signed by GOVERNOR.

03/27/2008 Chapter No. 2008-187

WA S 5253

COMPANION: WA H 1665

AUTHOR: Kilmer [D]

TITLE: Veteran Owned Businesses

INTRODUCED: 01/15/2007

ENACTED: 04/09/2007

DISPOSITION: Enacted

CHAPTER: 2007-11

SUMMARY:

Creates a list of and logo for veteran-owned businesses; requires a current list of veteran-owned businesses available on the department's public web site; declares that, in order to qualify as a veteran-owned business, the business must be at least 51% owned and controlled by a veteran or an active or reserve member in any branch of the armed services.

STATUS:

04/09/2007 Signed by GOVERNOR.

04/09/2007 Chapter No. 2007-11

WA S 5289

AUTHOR: Kilmer [D]

TITLE: State Contracts With Veteran Owned Businesses

INTRODUCED: 01/16/2007

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Increases state contracts with veteran-owned businesses; declares that the purpose of this act is to mitigate economic damage to veteran-owned businesses as a result of military service, and to provide opportunities to them in recognition of the outstanding service they have given to their country; requires a report to the legislature outlining the progress made in implementing this agreement.

STATUS:

02/26/2007 From SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATION AND ELECTIONS: Do pass as substituted.

WI A 70

AUTHOR: Benedict [D]

TITLE: Veteran Status Employment Discrimination

INTRODUCED: 02/13/2007

DISPOSITION: Failed

SUMMARY:

Relates to employment discrimination based on veteran status and employment of veterans in the state civil service, local government, and

school districts.

STATUS:

03/21/2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

WI A 811

AUTHOR: Moulton [R]

TITLE: Procurements to Woman Owned Businesses

INTRODUCED: 02/15/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed

SUMMARY:

Relates to awarding procurements to woman-owned businesses, veteran-owned businesses, minority businesses, and small businesses.

STATUS:

03/21/2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

WI A 924

AUTHOR: Sherman [D]

TITLE: State Procurements

INTRODUCED: 03/11/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed

SUMMARY:

Relates to awarding state procurements to certified disabled veteran-owned businesses, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

STATUS:

03/21/2008 Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1.

WV H 2238

SIMILAR TO: WV S 95

SPONSOR: Hrutkay [D]

TITLE: State National Guard

INTRODUCED: 01/09/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Provides service credits for service in the State National Guard and Reserve for Public Employees Retirement System and Civil Service examinations.

STATUS:

02/15/2008 From HOUSE Committee on PENSIONS AND RETIREMENT: Do pass.

02/15/2008 To HOUSE Committee on FINANCE.

WV H 3122

SPONSOR: Longstreth [D]

TITLE: Eligible Veteran

INTRODUCED: 01/09/2008

DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Relates to the definition of eligible veteran for certain state training and employment preference benefits.

STATUS:

03/03/2008 From SENATE Committee on MILITARY: Do pass.
03/03/2008 To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.

WV H 3209 **SIMILAR TO:** WV S 95
SPONSOR: Rodighiero [D]
TITLE: Military Benefits
INTRODUCED: 01/09/2008
DISPOSITION: Failed - Adjourned

SUMMARY:

Provides benefits for those who have served in the military service; provides service credits for purposes of public employment retirement for service in any branch of the military including the West Virginia National Guard and Reserve; awards additional testing credit points in civil service examinations for members of the National Guard and Reserve who are applying for state employment.

STATUS:

01/09/2008 INTRODUCED.
01/09/2008 To HOUSE Committee on FINANCE.





Alaska State Legislature

Representative Anna Fairclough – House District 17

MEMORANDUM

Date: April 1st, 2009

To: Representative Bob Lynn
Chair

From: Representative Anna Fairclough

Re: CSHB 24 (MLV) "An Act relating to a public procurement preference for Alaska veterans"

I am requesting a hearing for CSHB 24 (MLV) "An Act relating to a public procurement preference for Alaska veterans" at your earliest convenience. I have attached relevant materials for your committee.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Attachments:

- I. Sponsor Statement
- II. Section Analysis
- III. Explanation of Changes
- IV. CSHB 24
- V. HB 24
- VI. Zero Fiscal Note
- VII. Back up Documentation