

A-Engrossed
House Bill 2843

Ordered by the House May 16
Including House Amendments dated May 16

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON VETERANS' AFFAIRS

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

Requires waiver of occupational and professional license, certificate, permit and registration fees for [*veterans*] **individuals on active federal military duty and for one year after release from active duty.**

Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2005.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to veterans; and declaring an emergency.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2005 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 408.**

5 **SECTION 2. (1) The fee for any license, certificate, permit or registration that an indi-**
6 **vidual is required by state law to possess in order to engage in an occupation or profession**
7 **or to use a particular occupational or professional title shall be waived for an individual on**
8 **active federal military duty and for an individual for one year after the individual is released**
9 **from active federal military duty.**

10 **(2) The Director of Veterans' Affairs shall adopt any rules, policies or procedures that**
11 **the director finds necessary to implement this section.**

12 **SECTION 3. This 2005 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
13 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2005 Act takes effect**
14 **on July 1, 2005.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.