2019 Military & Veterans Legislation

LB#	Sponsor	Description	Committee	Status			
6	Blood, et al	Change residency provisions relating to persons on active duty and their dependents for college tuition purposes (Speaker PB)	Education	Signed			
12	Blood, et al	Provide a license fee exemption for servicemembers and their spouses under the Nebraska Real Estate License Act	Banking Comm & Ins	Signed			
112	Howard, et al	Provide for waiver of certain occupational and licensing fees as prescribed	HHS	Signed			
115	Blood, et al	Change provisions related to enrollment of children of members of the military	Education	Signed			
122	Crawford	Change postsecondary residency requirements for veterans, family members, and other qualified persons	Education	Signed			
138	Blood, et al	Provide for additional Military Honor Plates and Support Our Troops Plates (Blood PB)	Trans & Tele	Signed			
152	Brewer, Erdman	State rights of Nebraska National Guard members and provide for confidentiality of member's residential addresses	GM&VA	Signed			
156	Brewer, et al	Provide for the operation of former military vehicles	Trans & Tele	Signed			
192	McCollister	Change provisions relating to veteran designations on operators' licenses and state identification cards	Trans & Tele	Signed			
223	Albrecht	Provide a state-sponsored insurance program for members of the Nebraska National Guard	GM&VA	Signed			
486	Lowe, PB	Adopt the Veteran and Active Duty Supportive Postsecondary Institution Act	Education	Signed			
575	Brewer, et al	Require school district policies regarding the provision of information to and access by military recruiters	Education	Signed			
450	Wishart, et al	Change tuition assistance provisions for National Guard members, spouses, and children	GM&VA	Final Reading			
293	Scheer	Provide appropriations (Provide Internet Connectivity to Nebraska Veterans Cemetery at Alliance)	Approp	Select File			
297	Scheer	Appropriate funds for capital construction (ENVH Expansion)	Approp	Select File			
470	La Grone	Provide a tax deduction for nonparticipant contributions and remove a tax deduction limit relating to the Nebraska educational savings plan trust (La Grone PB)	Revenue	Select File			
311	Crawford, et al	Adopt the Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance Act (Cavanaugh PB)	Bus & Labor	General File			
381	Hansen, B	Change expense reimbursement provisions for state officers and agencies (including Veterans Boards and Commissions)	GM&VA	General File			
5	Blood, et al	Change the Beginning Farmer Tax Credit Act	Revenue	Hearing Jan 23			
153	Brewer, et al	Change provisions relating to the taxation of military retirement benefits (At the request of the Governor) (Lowe PB)	Revenue	Hearing Feb 7			
263	Clements, et al	Change provisions relating to the taxation of military retirement benefits	Revenue	Hearing Feb 7			
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278	IBostelman	Provide a veteran notation on an operator's license or a state identification card for certain commissioned officers as prescribed (Language approved in LB 192)	Trans & Tele	Hearing Feb 11
279	Bostelman, et al	Provide a sales and use tax exemption for food sold by veterans service organizations	Revenue	Hearing Mar 7
1325	*	Provide for motor vehicle tax exemptions for one-hundred percent service-connected disability compensation rated veterans and dependency and indemnity compensation recipients	Trans & Tele	Hearing Feb 26
	· ·	Amended into LB 470 - Provide a homestead exemption for certain dwelling complexes	Revenue	Hearing Feb 21
626	Pansing-Brooks, et al	Amended into LB 138 - Create the position of veterans' workforce development coordinator in Department of Labor	GM&VA	General File
696	Bostelman, et al	Amended into LB 138 - Change provisions relating to Military Honor Plates	Trans & Tele	Hearing Feb 5
697	Bostelman, et al	Amended into LB 138 - Eliminate a fee for issuance of military related license plates	Trans & Tele	Hearing Feb 5

New bills were introduced in the first 10 legislative days.

The session will last 90 working days and will tentatively adjourn on Thursday, June 6th.

2019 marks the 106th Legislature and is the first session of a two-year legislative cycle.

Key dates: January 23 - Day 10 February 22 - Day 30 April 16 - Day 60 June 6 - Day 90

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