
OLR Bill Analysis

SB 235 (File 157, as amended by Senate "A")*

AN ACT CONCERNING MILITARY LEAVE PROVISIONS UNDER THE STATE PERSONNEL ACT.

SUMMARY

This bill updates obsolete military terminology in the State Personnel Act. It also clarifies the maximum paid leave of absence that full-time, permanent state employees who serve in the state armed forces (e.g., Connecticut National Guard) or federal reserves may take each year without using their vacation time. The bill allows them to take up to 15 days (rather than three calendar weeks) per year to perform ordered military training (rather than to undergo required field training).

*Senate Amendment "A" makes technical changes to use gender-neutral language.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2024

COMMITTEE ACTION

Veterans' and Military Affairs Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 20 Nay 0 (03/14/2024)