



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1626

PRINTER'S NO. 3057

PRIME SPONSOR: Deasy

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2023/24	FY 2024/25
General Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY:

Amends Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes to provide for veterans' benefits and services, workplace posting of resources for veterans, and codifying the VETConnect Program.

ANALYSIS:

House Bill 1626, Printer's Number 3057 requires the Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs (DMVA) to create a standardized workplace posting that provides contact information for veterans' resources and information regarding Federal and State benefits and services for veterans. The Department of Labor and Industry would make the workplace posting available on its website. All employers in the Commonwealth with more than 50 employees are required to print the workplace posting and display it in the workplace.

The bill also codifies the PA VETConnect Program. PA VETConnect is already administered by DMVA and works to organize and coordinate various local, state, and federal benefits and resources for veterans.

This legislation would take effect in 90 days upon enactment.

FISCAL IMPACT:

According to the Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs, creating the workplace posting required by the bill can be done utilizing existing department resources and will have no fiscal impact.

Similarly, the Department of Labor and Industry will require no additional resources to share the workplace posting created by the Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs on its website.

Finally, as the VETConnect Program is already being administered by the DMVA, its codification will have no fiscal impact to the Commonwealth.

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Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.