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TO:

All Senators

FROM:

Senator Jane C. Orie

DATE:

January 5, 2011

SUBJECT: Veterans Property Tax Relief for Spouses of Service Members Killed in Action

I will soon be reintroducing *SB 592* of last session, which would extend the Property Tax Exemption for Disabled Veterans to surviving spouses of service members, including National Guard and reserves, killed in combat. Please note that this session's version will be as a Constitutional Amendment.

SB 592 was cosponsored by Senators Alloway, Boscola, Browne, Costa, Erickson, Farnese, Ferlo, Fontana, Greenleaf, Kasunic, Kitchen, Logan, Musto, Pippy, Rafferty, Stack, Stout, Tartaglione, Tomlinson, Vogel, Ward, Washington, Waugh, Williams, Wozniak, Scarnati, Baker and Vance. Veterans' groups are in support of this legislation.

If you are interested in cosponsoring this legislation, please contact Kacie Morrell at 787-6538 or kmorrell@pasen.gov.

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