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AN ACT to amend the real property tax law, in relation to real property tax exemptions for certain disabled veterans

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 458-a of the real property tax law is amended by adding a new paragraph (e) to read as follows:
- 3 NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPHS (A), (B) AND (C) OF THIS SUBDIVISION, A COUNTY, CITY, TOWN, VILLAGE OR SCHOOL DISTRICT ACTING BY AND THROUGH ITS GOVERNING BODY, MAY GRANT TO A VETERAN, OR THE 5 6 UNMARRIED SURVIVING SPOUSE OF SUCH VETERAN, WHO SERVED IN A COMBAT THEA-7 TRE OR COMBAT ZONE OF OPERATIONS, AS DOCUMENTED BY THE AWARD OF A UNITED STATES CAMPAIGN RIBBON OR SERVICE MEDAL, OR THE ARMED FORCES EXPEDITION-8 NAVY EXPEDITIONARY MEDAL, MARINE CORPS EXPEDITIONARY MEDAL, 9 10 OR GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPEDITIONARY MEDAL, AND WHO IS ONE 11 DISABLED AS A RESULT OF MILITARY SERVICE, A ONE HUNDRED PERCENT 12 EXEMPTION FROM REAL PROPERTY TAXATION. THE LOCAL MAXIMUM EXEMPTION
- 13 ALLOWANCE ADOPTED BY A LOCAL LAW PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (D) OF THIS 14 SUBDIVISION SHALL NOT APPLY SUCH EXEMPTIONS OF ONE HUNDRED PERCENT DISA-
- 15 BLED VETERANS.
- 16 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to assess-17 ment rolls prepared on and after January 1, 2016.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [] is old law to be omitted.

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