STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

January 8, 2018

Introduced by M. of A. PAULIN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the military law, in relation to paid leave for certain employees; and to amend chapter 406 of the laws of 2017, amending the military law relating to authorizing additional paid leave for certain employees, in relation to the effectiveness thereof

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 5 of section 242 of the military law, as added by chapter 406 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:

(b) Every public officer or employee employed by the state of New York who served in a combat theater or combat zone of operations as documented by a copy of his or her DD214, certificate of release or discharge from active duty, or other applicable department of defense documentation, shall be paid his or her salary or other compensation as such public officer or employee for any and all periods of absence while utilizing any healthcare related services related to such duty, not exceeding [~~eight~~] **five** working days, in any one calendar year.

§ 2. Section 2 of chapter 406 of the laws of 2017, amending the military law relating to authorizing additional paid leave for certain employees, is amended to read as follows:

§ 2. This act shall take effect on [~~the one hundred twentieth day after it shall have become a law~~] **April 1, 2019**.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately; provided however that section one of this act shall take effect on the same date and in the same manner as chapter 406 of the laws of 2017, amending the military law relating to authorizing additional paid leave for certain employees, takes effect.

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

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