STATE OF NEW YORK

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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

March 20, 2025

Introduced by Sen. WEBER -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Veterans, Homeland Security and Military Affairs

AN ACT to amend the civil service law, in relation to increasing civil service credits given to veterans currently returning from service

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

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 2 of section 85 of the civil service law is amended by adding two new subparagraphs 3 and 4 to read as follows:

(3) Veterans honorably discharged on or after January first, two thousand twenty-five, shall be entitled to receive ten points additional credit in a competitive examination for original appointment and five points additional credit in a competitive examination for promotion.

(4) Disabled veterans honorably discharged on or after January first, two thousand twenty-five, shall be entitled to receive fifteen points additional credit in a competitive examination for original appointment and ten points additional credit in a competitive examination for promotion.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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