



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 7249

LCO No. 4670



Referred to Committee on VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Introduced by:
(VA)

***AN ACT CONCERNING EMERGENCY MEDICAL TRAINING IN
HEALTH CONDITIONS COMMON TO FORMER MEMBERS OF THE
ARMED FORCES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (e) of section 20-206mm of the general statutes
2 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
3 *October 1, 2019*):

4 (e) An emergency medical responder, emergency medical
5 technician, advanced emergency medical technician or emergency
6 medical services instructor shall be recertified every three years. For
7 the purpose of maintaining an acceptable level of proficiency, each
8 emergency medical technician who is recertified for a three-year
9 period shall complete thirty hours of refresher training approved by
10 the commissioner or meet such other requirements as may be
11 prescribed by the commissioner. The refresher training or other
12 requirements shall include, but not be limited to, training in (1)
13 Alzheimer's disease and dementia symptoms and care, and (2) health
14 conditions common to former members of the armed forces, as defined
15 in section 27-103, such as post-traumatic stress disorder symptoms and

16 care, and how to identify former members of the armed forces
17 experiencing such health conditions.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	October 1, 2019	20-206mm(e)

VA *Joint Favorable*