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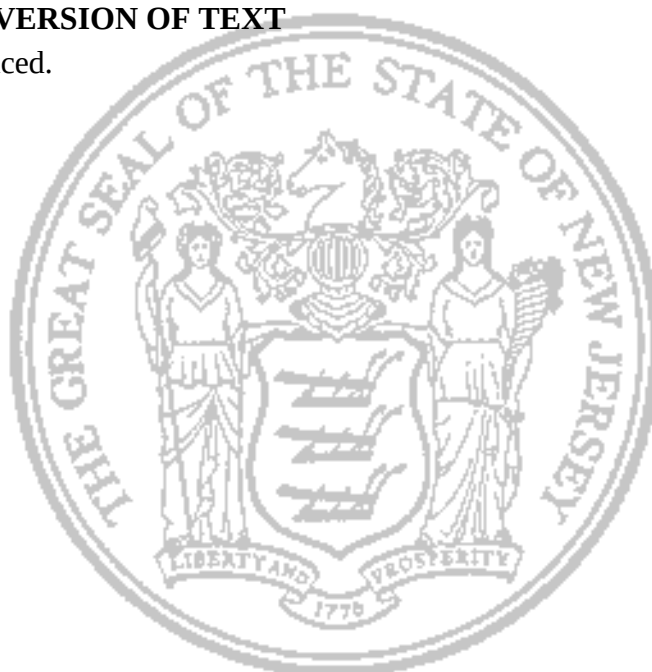
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SYNOPSIS

Requires Firefighter 1 certification of candidate who completes military firefighter training and at least 12 months active duty military service in lieu of training course requirements.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 9/21/2020)

1 AN ACT concerning firefighter certification and supplementing Title
2 52 of the Revised Statutes.

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4 BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
5 of New Jersey:

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7 1. Notwithstanding the Firefighter 1 recruit training course
8 requirements prescribed by the Division of Fire Safety in the
9 Department of Community Affairs for Firefighter 1 certification, a
10 person who meets the eligibility and examination requirements
11 established by the division for Firefighter 1 certification, but has not
12 completed the Firefighter 1 recruit training course, shall receive
13 Firefighter 1 certification if the person completed at least 12 months
14 of active duty military service and satisfactorily completed military
15 firefighter training during the period of active duty military service.

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17 2. This act shall take effect on the first day of the fourth month
18 next following the date of enactment.

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STATEMENT

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23 This bill provides that a person who completed at least 12
24 months of active duty military service and has satisfactorily
25 completed military firefighter training is eligible to receive
26 Firefighter 1 certification.

27 Under current law, a candidate for Firefighter 1 certification is
28 required to meet the eligibility, training, and examination
29 requirements established by the Division of Fire Safety in the
30 Department of Community Affairs. Under the bill, a person who
31 has not completed the training program requirements established by
32 the division, but meets the other eligibility and examination
33 requirements required for certification, is to receive a Firefighter 1
34 certificate if the person has completed at least 12 months of active
35 duty military service and has satisfactorily completed military
36 firefighter training during the period of active duty military service.