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STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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SYNOPSIS

Permits issuance of motorcycle endorsement to certain out-of-State military personnel.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



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1 **AN ACT** concerning driver licensing and supplementing Title 39 of
2 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 provisions of any law, rule, or
8 regulation to the contrary, the chief administrator shall, upon
9 written request, and receipt of payment of the fee established
10 pursuant to subsection d. of R.S.39:3-10, issue by mail a
11 motorcycle endorsement to a person who holds a valid New Jersey
12 driver's license and is a member, the spouse of a member, or a
13 dependent of a member of the armed services of the United States
14 serving outside the State if the person provides documentation
15 suitable to the chief administrator of:

16 a. successful completion of an approved Motor Cycle Safety
17 Foundation (MSF) Rider Education Course, provided that the
18 course is substantially similar to the course established pursuant to
19 the provisions of section 1 of P.L.1991, c.452 (C.27:5F-36); and

20 b. assignment outside of the State.

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22 2. This act shall take effect on the first day of the third month
23 following enactment.

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STATEMENT

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28 This bill allows out-of-State members of the military, spouses of
29 those members, and their dependents, to receive a motorcycle
30 endorsement for their valid New Jersey driver's license while
31 serving in another state without returning to New Jersey to retake a
32 written or road test, or to complete another motorcycle safety
33 course.

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35 The bill requires the Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle
36 Commission to issue the endorsement by mail if the person pays the
37 fee, and provides documentation of the completion of an approved
38 Motorcycle Safety Foundation (MSF) Rider Education Course. The
39 person is also required to provide documentation of the person's
assignment outside of the State.