

AN ACT

relating to performance incentive awards for certain employees of state agencies who provide services to veterans.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Subchapter K, Chapter 659, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 659.264 to read as follows:

Sec. 659.264. VETERANS PERFORMANCE INCENTIVE AWARD. A state agency may make a performance incentive award to a classified employee for providing services to veterans as provided by the Jobs for Veterans Act (Pub. L. No. 107-288), if:

(1) the employee has been employed by the agency in the employee's current position for at least six continuous months before the effective date of the award; and

(2) the employee's documented job performance and productivity in that position are consistently above that normally expected or required.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

H.B. No. 3113

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 3113 was passed by the House on April 29, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 3113 was passed by the Senate on May 24, 2005, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor