

Amend CSHB 233 as follows:

(1) On page 1, line 7, strike "[REDUCTION]" and substitute "OR REDUCTION".

(2) On page 2, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subchapter, the department shall reduce by 50 percent any fee required for the issuance of an original, duplicate, modified, or renewed license under this subchapter if the applicant for the license is a veteran who, more than 365 days preceding the date of the application, was honorably discharged from the branch of the service in which the person served.