

1-1 By: Campbell, Lucio S.B. No. 807
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 26, 2015; March 3, 2015,
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Veteran Affairs and
1-4 Military Installations; March 23, 2015, reported adversely, with
1-5 favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 7,
1-6 Nays 0; March 23, 2015, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-9	Campbell	X		
1-10	Burton	X		
1-11	Birdwell	X		
1-12	Garcia	X		
1-13	Hall	X		
1-14	Lucio	X		
1-15	Rodríguez	X		

1-16 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 807 By: Campbell

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to occupational license application and examination fees
1-20 for certain military service members, military veterans, and
1-21 military spouses.

1-22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-23 SECTION 1. Chapter 55, Occupations Code, is amended by
1-24 adding Section 55.009 to read as follows:

1-25 Sec. 55.009. LICENSE APPLICATION AND EXAMINATION FEES.
1-26 Notwithstanding any other law, a state agency that issues a license
1-27 shall waive the license application and examination fees paid to
1-28 the state for an applicant who is:

1-29 (1) a military service member or military veteran
1-30 whose military service, training, or education substantially meets
1-31 all of the requirements for the license; or

1-32 (2) a military service member, military veteran, or
1-33 military spouse who holds a current license issued by another
1-34 jurisdiction that has licensing requirements that are
1-35 substantially equivalent to the requirements for the license in
1-36 this state.

1-37 SECTION 2. The changes in law made by this Act apply only to
1-38 an application for an occupational license filed on or after the
1-39 effective date of this Act. An application for a license filed
1-40 before the effective date of this Act is governed by the law in
1-41 effect immediately before that date, and that law is continued in
1-42 effect for that purpose.

1-43 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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