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H.B. No. 5142

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 5142:

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C.S.H.B. No. 5142

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the issuance of specially marked driver's licenses and
3 personal identification certificates to veterans.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section [521.102](#), Transportation Code, is amended
6 by adding Subsection (b-2) to read as follows:

7 (b-2) For purposes of Subsection (b)(2), the department
8 must accept a veteran identification card issued by the United
9 States Department of Veterans Affairs or an identification card
10 issued by the United States Department of Defense as sufficient
11 proof of the veteran's military service and honorable discharge.

12 SECTION 2. Section [521.1235](#), Transportation Code, is
13 amended by adding Subsection (b-2) to read as follows:

14 (b-2) For purposes of Subsection (b)(2), the department
15 must accept a veteran identification card issued by the United
16 States Department of Veterans Affairs or an identification card
17 issued by the United States Department of Defense as sufficient
18 proof of the veteran's military service and honorable discharge.

19 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.