

# House File 24

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## A BILL FOR

1 An Act concerning preference for state employment for nonresident  
2 veterans.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:  
4 TLSB 1529YH 82  
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1 1 Section 1. Section 8A.413, subsection 21, Code 2007, is  
1 2 amended to read as follows:  
1 3 21. a. For veterans preference through a provision that  
1 4 veterans, ~~as defined in section 35.1,~~ shall have ~~five the~~  
1 5 ~~following applicable~~ points added to the grade or score  
1 6 attained in qualifying examinations for appointment to jobs:  
1 7 (1) ~~For resident veterans, five points.~~  
1 8 (2) ~~For nonresident veterans, four points.~~  
1 9 (3) ~~For resident disabled veterans, ten points.~~  
1 10 (4) ~~For nonresident disabled veterans, eight points.~~  
1 11 b. For purposes of this subsection:  
1 12 (1) ~~"Disabled veterans" means Veterans veterans~~ who have a  
1 13 ~~service-connected disability or are receiving compensation,~~  
1 14 ~~disability benefits, or pension under laws administered by the~~  
1 15 ~~veterans administration shall have ten points added to the~~  
1 16 ~~grades attained in qualifying examinations. A veteran or who~~  
1 17 ~~has have~~ been awarded the purple heart for disabilities  
1 18 ~~incurred in action shall be considered to have a~~  
1 19 ~~service-connected disability.~~  
1 20 (2) ~~"Resident veterans" means a veteran as defined in~~  
1 21 ~~section 35.1.~~  
1 22 (3) ~~"Nonresident veterans" means veterans who do not~~  
1 23 ~~reside in this state but otherwise qualify as a veteran as~~  
1 24 ~~defined in section 35.1.~~

## EXPLANATION

1 25 This bill provides that nonresident veterans be granted a  
1 26 veterans preference for purposes of state employment  
1 27 qualifying examinations. The bill provides that nonresident  
1 28 veterans have four points added to their grade or score and  
1 29 nonresident disabled veterans have eight points added to their  
1 30 score. Under current law, resident veterans have five points  
1 31 added and disabled resident veterans have 10 points added to  
1 32 their grade or score.  
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