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SENATE BILL **90**

AN ACT establishing a committee to study developing a policy for veteran preference for government hiring and extending the commission on the effects of service-connected post-traumatic stress disorder and traumatic brain injury.

SPONSORS: Sen. Carson, Dist 14; Sen. Cataldo, Dist 6; Sen. D'Allesandro, Dist 20; Rep. Baldasaro, Rock 5; Rep. Lundgren, Rock 5; Rep. McCarthy, Hills 29; Rep. Theberge, Coos 3

COMMITTEE: Executive Departments and Administration

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill establishes a committee to study developing a policy for giving preference to veterans in government hiring.

This bill also extends the commission on the effects of service-connected post-traumatic stress disorder and traumatic brain injury.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.
Matter removed from current law appears [~~in brackets and struck through~~].
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Thirteen

AN ACT establishing a committee to study developing a policy for veteran preference for government hiring and extending the commission on the effects of service-connected post-traumatic stress disorder and traumatic brain injury.

Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

1 229:1 Committee Established. There is established a committee to study developing a policy for
2 veteran preference in government hiring.

3 229:2 Membership and Compensation.

4 I. The members of the committee shall be as follows:

5 (a) Three members of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate.

6 (b) Three members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the
7 house of representatives.

8 II. Members of the committee shall receive mileage at the legislative rate when attending to
9 the duties of the committee.

10 229:3 Duties. The committee shall study issues involved in developing a policy that gives
11 preference to veterans in government hiring.

12 229:4 Chairperson; Quorum. The members of the study committee shall elect a chairperson
13 from among the members. The first meeting of the committee shall be called by the first-named
14 senate member. The first meeting of the committee shall be held within 45 days of the effective date
15 of this section. Four members of the committee shall constitute a quorum.

16 229:5 Report. The committee shall report its findings and any recommendations for proposed
17 legislation to the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of representatives, the senate
18 clerk, the house clerk, the governor, and the state library on or before November 1, 2013.

19 229:6 Commission on the Effects of Service-Connected Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and
20 Traumatic Brain Injury; Report. Amend RSA 115-D:5 to read as follows:

21 115-D:5 Report. The commission shall make [~~an interim report on or before May 1, 2012 and~~] a
22 final report on or before November 1, [~~2013~~] **2014** of its findings and any recommendations for
23 proposed legislation to the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of representatives, the
24 chairman of the house health, human services and elderly affairs committee, the chairman of the
25 senate health, education and human services committee, the chairman of the house state-federal
26 relations and veterans affairs committee, the senate clerk, the house clerk, the governor, the
27 members of the New Hampshire congressional delegation, and the state library.

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1 229:7 Effective Date of Repeal of Commission. Amend 2011, 84:3, I, as amended by 2012, 81:4 to
2 read as follows:

3 I. Section 2 of this act shall take effect November 1, [~~2013~~] **2014**.

4 229:8 Effective Date. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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6 Approved: July 15, 2013

7 Effective Date: July 15, 2013