## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

## Session 2011

## **Legislative Fiscal Note**

**BILL NUMBER**: House Bill 159 (Third Edition)

**SHORT TITLE**: Military Service Notation on Licenses.

SPONSOR(S):

## FISCAL IMPACT

Yes ( ) No (X) No Estimate Available ( )

FY 2011-12 FY 2012-13 FY 2013-14 FY 2014-15 FY 2015-16

**REVENUES** 

**EXPENDITURES** 

**POSITIONS** (cumulative):

PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT(S) & PROGRAM(S) AFFECTED:

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

**BILL SUMMARY**: Directs the Division of Motor Vehicles to develop a new veteran military designation on license and identification cards for residents honorably discharged from military service. Applicants requesting this designation must furnish a Form DD-214 for issuance. The act is effective upon implementation of the Division's Next Generation Secure Driver License System, or July 1, 2012, whichever comes first.

**ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODOLOGY:** Per the existing designation for active duty members of the military (G.S. 20-7(q)), the design of the Next Generation Secure Driver License Card will include space for symbols designating whether someone is an active or veteran member of the military. As this designation capacity is included in the new system, no additional costs are anticipated.

**SOURCES OF DATA**: Division of Motor Vehicles

**TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS**: None

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