



# House of Representatives

General Assembly

**File No. 56**

January Session, 2025

House Bill No. 6723

*House of Representatives, March 6, 2025*

The Committee on Veterans' and Military Affairs reported through REP. FOSTER of the 57th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

## **AN ACT DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER AS VETERANS' MONTH.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 10-29a of the general statutes is  
2 amended by adding subdivision (118) as follows (*Effective from passage*):
- 3 (NEW) (118) The Governor shall proclaim the month of November of  
4 each year to be Veterans' Month in recognition of the service and  
5 sacrifice of individuals who have served in the armed forces to protect  
6 the United States and the state of Connecticut. Suitable exercises may be  
7 held in the State Capitol and elsewhere as the Governor designates for  
8 the observance of the month.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

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| Section 1 | <i>from passage</i> | 10-29a(a)(118) |
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**VA**      *Joint Favorable*

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**OFA Fiscal Note**

**State Impact:** None

**Municipal Impact:** None

**Explanation**

There is no fiscal impact associated with the bill, which requires the Governor to designate November as "Veterans' Month."

**The Out Years**

The annualized ongoing fiscal impact identified above would continue into the future subject to inflation.

**OLR Bill Analysis****HB 6723*****AN ACT DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER AS VETERANS' MONTH.*****SUMMARY**

This bill requires the governor to proclaim November of each year as Veterans' Month in recognition of the service and sacrifice of individuals who have served in the armed forces to protect the U.S. and the state. Suitable exercises may be held in the State Capitol and elsewhere as the governor designates.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage

**COMMITTEE ACTION**

Veterans' and Military Affairs Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 20    Nay 0    (02/18/2025)