Labor and Public Employees Committee JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT

Bill No.:HB-6407
AN ACT REQUIRING EMPLOYERS TO DISPLAY A POSTER CONTAINING
INFORMATION ON VETERANS' BENEFITS AND SERVICES.Vote Date:3/6/2025Vote Action:Joint Favorable SubstitutePH Date:2/27/2025File No.:Veteral Service Servi

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SPONSORS OF BILL:

Labor & Public Employees Committee

REASONS FOR BILL:

The reason for this bill is to ensure that veterans in the workforce are adequately informed of applicable veterans' benefits and services.

The Substitute Language: requires the Department of Labor to create a model of such poster within available appropriations.

RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:

None provided.

NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:

Ed Hawthorne, President, Connecticut AFL-CIO: Supports the bill, states that 131,600 residents are military veterans, and many have come home and entered the civilian workforce in a variety of occupations and industries. Says this bill requires the Department of Labor to create a poster containing information about available veterans' benefits and services and requires each employer to display the poster in a conspicuous place that is accessible to all employees, as well as lists information that the poster could include. Adds in that detailing benefits available to veterans is an important way to promote awareness, and can improve the quality of life for veterans.

NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:

None provided.

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