

**HB 2701 - DIGEST**

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Includes in the definition of "veteran," for the purpose of RCW 41.26.520 (service credit for paid leave of absence--officers of labor organizations--unpaid leave of absence--military service--death or disability while providing emergency management services), every person or member, who at the time he or she seeks certain benefits, has received an honorable discharge, is actively serving honorably, or received a discharge for physical reasons with an honorable record and who meets certain criteria.