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Sponsor(s): Senators Rasmussen, Oke, Swecker, Winsley, Snyder, Shin, Roach, Patterson, McAuliffe and Benton; by request of Joint Select Committee on Veterans' and Military Affairs

Brief Description: Modifying the definition of veteran.

**SB 5626.E - DIGEST**

(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Revises the definition of veteran.

Directs the higher education coordinating board and the joint committee on pension policy to each conduct a study as to the eligibility of veterans for benefits provided, respectively, by higher education and the state retirement system if the definition of veteran is modified in the manner provided in this act and report their findings to the legislature by December 1, 2002.