

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
A-ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 87**

1 On page 4 of the printed A-engrossed bill, delete lines 33 through 40 and
2 insert:

3 “(b) The public employer shall consider the information and materials an
4 applicant who is a veteran or disabled veteran submits that demonstrate how
5 education or experience obtained in the military qualifies as one or more
6 transferable skills for a competitive position.

7 “(c) During an interview, the public employer shall consider the de-
8 scription and explanation given by an applicant who is a veteran or disabled
9 veteran of how the education or experience obtained by the veteran or disa-
10 bled veteran in the military qualifies as one or more transferable skills for
11 a competitive position.”.

12 On page 6, line 25, after “method” insert “described in paragraph (d) of
13 this subsection”.

14 Delete lines 29 and 30 and insert:

15 “(d) A public employer must establish and apply one of the following
16 methods for giving preference to an applicant who is a veteran or disabled
17 veteran:”.

18 In line 34, delete the second “and” and insert “or”.

19 In line 43, delete “except that:” and delete lines 44 and 45 and insert “but
20 must include a minimum of the five highest ranked applicants on the com-
21 piled list who are veterans and disabled veterans. If the number of highest
22 ranked applicants who are veterans and disabled veterans is less than five,

1 the public employer shall offer initial interviews to all of the highest ranked
2 applicants who are veterans and disabled veterans.”.

3 On page 7, delete lines 1 through 5.

4 In line 24, after “decision” insert “, including a review of the veteran’s
5 or disabled veteran’s transferable skills”.

6 On page 9, line 32, after “date” insert “specified in section 8”.

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