98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2013 and 2014

HB3341

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 105/5.826 new 30 ILCS 105/6z-98 new 35 ILCS 5/507YY new

Amends the State Finance Act. Creates the Mobile Veteran's Unit Fund as a special fund in the State treasury. Provides that moneys in the Fund shall be used by the Department of Veterans' Affairs for the purpose of making grants provided under Section 36 of the Department of Veterans Affairs Act. Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act to create a tax checkoff for the Mobile Veteran's Unit Fund. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The State Finance Act is amended by adding 5 Sections 5.826 and 6z-98 as follows:
- 6 (30 ILCS 105/5.826 new)
- 7 <u>Sec. 5.826. The Mobile Veteran's Unit Fund.</u>
- 8 (30 ILCS 105/6z-98 new)

9 <u>Sec. 6z-98. The Mobile Veteran's Unit Fund; creation. The</u> 10 <u>Mobile Veteran's Unit Fund is created as a special fund in the</u> 11 <u>State treasury. Subject to appropriation, moneys in the Fund</u> 12 <u>shall be used by the Department of Veterans' Affairs for the</u> 13 <u>purpose of making grants provided under Section 36 of the</u> 14 <u>Department of Veterans Affairs Act.</u>

- Section 10. The Illinois Income Tax Act is amended by adding Section 507YY as follows:
- 17 (35 ILCS 5/507YY new)
 18 Sec. 507YY. Mobile Veteran's Unit Fund checkoff. For
 19 taxable years ending on or after December 31, 2013, the
 20 Department shall print, on its standard individual income tax

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1	form, a provision indicating that, if the taxpayer wishes to
2	contribute to the Mobile Veteran's Unit Fund, as authorized by
3	this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly, then he or
4	she may do so by stating the amount of the contribution (not
5	less than \$1) on the return and indicating that the
6	contribution will reduce the taxpayer's refund or increase the
7	amount of payment to accompany the return. The taxpayer's
8	failure to remit any amount of the increased payment reduces
9	the contribution accordingly. This Section does not apply to
10	any amended return.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.