

SB3480



101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/14/2020, by Sen. Craig Wilcox

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-806.7

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the standard registration fee for passenger motor vehicles of the first division and motor vehicles of the second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds shall be waived for any vehicle owner who is a disabled veteran who holds proof of a service connected disability from the United States Department of Veterans Affairs.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing
5 Section 3-806.7 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-806.7)

7 Sec. 3-806.7. Registration fees for active duty military
8 personnel and disabled veterans.

9 (a) Beginning with the 2011 registration year, the standard
10 registration fee set forth in Section 3-806 of this Code for
11 passenger motor vehicles of the first division and motor
12 vehicles of the second division weighing not more than 8,000
13 pounds and registered under Section 3-815 of this Code, shall
14 be reduced by 50% for any Illinois vehicle owner who was on
15 active duty as a member of the Armed Forces of the United
16 States and stationed outside of the United States for a period
17 of 90 days or longer during the preceding registration year.

18 (b) Illinois residents who are members of the Armed Forces
19 of the United States and who have been stationed outside of the
20 United States for a period of 6 months or longer, and who
21 placed their registered motor vehicle in storage during the
22 time they served abroad, shall be entitled to credit for the
23 unused portion of that registration when they renew the

1 registration of that vehicle upon their return to the United
2 States. For each month or part thereof that the vehicle was in
3 storage and had current registration, the member of the armed
4 forces shall receive one month of registration without charge.

5 (c) Beginning with the 2017 registration year, the standard
6 registration fee set forth in Section 3-806 of this Code for
7 passenger motor vehicles of the first division and motor
8 vehicles of the second division weighing not more than 8,000
9 pounds and registered under Section 3-815 of this Code, shall
10 be waived for the year following the return of any Illinois
11 vehicle owner who is a member of the active-duty or reserve
12 component of the United States Armed Forces who can provide
13 proof of serving in a combat mission. Nothing in this
14 subsection is applicable to the additional fees incurred by
15 specialty, personalized, or vanity license plates.

16 (d) Beginning with the 2022 registration year, the standard
17 registration fee under Section 3-806 of this Code for passenger
18 motor vehicles of the first division and motor vehicles of the
19 second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds and
20 registered under Section 3-815 of this Code shall be waived for
21 any Illinois vehicle owner who has been identified as a
22 disabled veteran who holds proof of a service-connected
23 disability from the United States Department of Veterans
24 Affairs.

25 (Source: P.A. 99-32, eff. 7-10-15.)