



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

HB3150

Introduced 2/19/2021, by Rep. Dave Vella

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

55 ILCS 5/5-1186 new
65 ILCS 5/11-42-17 new

Amends the Counties Code and Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that a veteran who is honorably discharged from the Armed Forces of the United States and is a resident of a county or municipality shall not be required to pay any county or municipal license fee for a business selling or providing services if the veteran is the sole proprietor of the business. Limits home rule powers.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

HOME RULE NOTE
ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

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

4 Section 5. The Counties Code is amended by adding Section
5 5-1186 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 5/5-1186 new)

7 Sec. 5-1186. License fees for veterans.

8 (a) A veteran who is honorably discharged from the Armed
9 Forces of the United States and is a resident of a county shall
10 not be required to pay any county license fee for a business
11 selling or providing services if the veteran is the sole
12 proprietor of the business.

13 (b) A home rule county may not regulate license fees in a
14 manner inconsistent with this Section. This Section is a
15 limitation under subsection (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of
16 the Illinois Constitution on the concurrent exercise by home
17 rule units of powers and functions exercised by the State.

18 Section 10. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by
19 adding Section 11-42-17 as follows:

20 (65 ILCS 5/11-42-17 new)

21 Sec. 11-42-17. License fees for veterans.

1 (a) A veteran who is honorably discharged from the Armed
2 Forces of the United States and is a resident of a municipality
3 shall not be required to pay any municipal license fees for a
4 business selling or providing services if the veteran is the
5 sole proprietor of the business.

6 (b) A home rule municipality may not regulate license fees
7 in a manner inconsistent with this Section. This Section is a
8 limitation under subsection (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of
9 the Illinois Constitution on the concurrent exercise by home
10 rule units of powers and functions exercised by the State.