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AN ACT to amend and reenact §15-1F-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to activities for which members of the National Guard or armed forces reserve who are also public officials and employees are entitled to a leave of absence; setting the maximum number of hours eligible for leave in a calendar year; and limiting applicability to public officials and employees permanently employed.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That §15-1F-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 1F. PRIVILEGES AND PROHIBITIONS.

§15-1F-1. Leave of absence for public officials and employees for drills, parades, active duty, etc.

- 1 (a) Any officer or employee of state, county or municipal
- $2\,$ government hired for permanent employment who is a

3 member of the National Guard or armed forces reserve, is 4 entitled to a military leave of absence from his or her 5 respective office or employment without loss of pay, status or 6 efficiency rating, on the days during which he or she is ordered, by properly designated authority, to be engaged in 7 drills, inactive duty training, parades, funeral details, service 8 schools or other duty, during business hours, field training, 9 annual training or other full-time National Guard duty 10 11 pursuant to Title 10 or Title 32 of the United States Code, or 12active service of the state, for a maximum period of thirty working days, not to exceed two hundred forty hours in any 13 14 one calendar year.

15 (b) Any officer or employee of state, county or municipal 16 government hired for permanent employment ordered or called to active duty for a mobilization or deployment under 17 18 Title 10 of the United States Code or in support of a contingency operation as defined in 10 U.S.C. §101(a)(13) by the 19 20properly designated federal authority is entitled to a military leave of absence from his or her respective office or employ-2122ment without loss of pay, status or efficiency rating for a maximum period of thirty working days, not to exceed two 23hundred forty hours for a single call to active duty: Provided, 24 That an officer or employee of state, county or municipal 25government called to active duty who has not used all or 2627some portion of the thirty working days of military leave of 28 absence granted by subsection (a) of this section is entitled 29 to add the number of unused days from that calendar year to 30 the thirty working days, not to exceed two hundred forty hours granted by this subsection, up to a maximum of sixty 31days for a single call to active duty: Provided, however, That 32none of the unused days of military leave of absence granted 33 by subsection (a) of this section may be carried over and used 34 in the next calendar year. 35

36 (c) The term "without loss of pay" means that the officer or
37 employee shall continue to receive his or her normal salary
38 or compensation, notwithstanding the fact that the officer or
39 employee may have received other compensation from
40 federal or state sources during the same period.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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