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Senate Bill 59

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[Introduced January 13, 2016;

Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources; and

then to the Committee on Finance.]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section,
2 designated §20-5-19a, relating to providing a fifty-percent discount to members of the
3 West Virginia National Guard and the West Virginia National Guard Reserve for
4 campground rental fees in state parks.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

1 That the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new
2 section, designated §20-5-19a, to read as follows:

ARTICLE 5. PARKS AND RECREATION.

**§20-5-19a. Discounts for members of the West Virginia National Guard and the West
Virginia Reserves.**

1 The director shall issue a discount card to members of the West Virginia National Guard
2 and members of the West Virginia Reserves which provides a fifty percent reduction in
3 campground rental fees for each campsite to be used exclusively by the eligible camper. In order
4 to be eligible for the reduction, the person shall document that he or she is a member of the West
5 Virginia National Guard or the West Virginia Reserves. The director shall promulgate rules in
6 accordance with article three, chapter twenty-nine-a of this code setting forth the documentation
7 that is necessary to prove that an individual is a member of the West Virginia National Guard or
8 the West Virginia Reserves.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to provide a fifty percent discount to members of the West Virginia National Guard and the West Virginia Reserves in campground rental fees in state parks. The bill also provides for rulemaking..

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from the present law, and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.