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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR Hochman-Vigil ORIGINAL DATE 1/22/2020
LAST UPDATED _____ HB 22
SHORT TITLE Clarify Military Leave SB _____
ANALYST Rabin

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY20	FY21	FY22	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total	No Fiscal Impact					

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

Department of Military Affairs (DMA)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 22 modifies Section 20-7-5 NMSA 1978 to allow members of the Civil Air Patrol to use military leave pursuant to Section 20-4-7 NMSA 1978 for “official duties as assigned by the director of the civil air patrol of the department of military affairs or an incident commander of an active mission” instead of strictly for “search and rescue missions.”

The effective date of this bill is July 1, 2020.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

DMA does not anticipate this bill will have any fiscal impact on state agencies.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

DMA notes this bill would allow the Civil Air Patrol to utilize military leave for other official duties not specific to search and rescue missions; as a result, Civil Air Patrol members who are public employees could be more flexible in accomplishing training and other exercises as required by the Civil Air Patrol.

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