

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 235

February Session, 2024

LCO No. **1760**

Referred to Committee on VETERANS' AND MILITARY AFFAIRS

Introduced by: (VA)

AN ACT CONCERNING MILITARY LEAVE PROVISIONS UNDER THE STATE PERSONNEL ACT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. Subsection (c) of section 5-248 of the general statutes is
repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1*, 2024):

4 (c) Any full-time permanent employee in the state service who is a 5 member of the armed forces of the state or of any reserve component of 6 the armed forces of the United States and is required to [undergo field] 7 perform ordered military training therein shall, for [the period not 8 exceeding three calendar weeks] not more than fifteen days per year of 9 such [field] <u>military</u> training, be entitled to a leave of absence with pay 10 in addition to his annual vacation. Nothing in this section shall be 11 construed to prevent any such employee from attending ordered 12 [annual field] military training while on regularly scheduled vacation if 13 he so desires.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	July 1, 2024	5-248(c)

Statement of Purpose:

To update obsolete terminology utilized in the military leave provisions of the State Personnel Act, thereby facilitating use of such provisions by state employees who serve in the armed forces.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]