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A BILL

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IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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To require the Mayor to mandate that District-level boards provide military spouses and dependents with valid professional licenses with a means to commence employment during the processing period for meeting District-specific vocational licensing requirements or licensure reciprocity.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Licensure Reciprocity and Relief For Military Families Act of 2021”.

Sec. 2.

(a) The Mayor shall require that District level certifying boards provide military families and their dependents with valid professional licenses with a means to commence employment during the processing period for meeting District-specific vocational licensing requirements or licensure reciprocity;

(b) The Mayor shall mandate this requirement for the period when the military spouse or head of household is serving in the District of Columbia and surrounding Maryland and Virginia area on military orders;

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

31           The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report as the fiscal  
32 impact statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975,  
33 approved October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D. C. Official Code § 1-301.47a).

34           Sec. 4. Effective date.

35           This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the  
36 Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of congressional review as  
37 provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December  
38 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the district of  
39 Columbia Register.