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## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 150th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## HOUSE BILL NO. 90

AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 29 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO THE DELAWARE VETERANS TRUST FUND.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE:

- 1 Section 1. Amend § 8721, Title 29 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and 2 insertions as shown by underline as follows: 3 § 8721. Delaware Commission of Veterans' Affairs — Duties and responsibilities.
  - (f) The Commission shall establish and administer the "Delaware Veterans Trust Fund" which will provide financial assistance or grants to honorably discharged veterans with a minimum discharge of general discharge under honorable conditions to cover costs associated with medical and dental needs; medical transportation; homelessness support; home repairs and safety modifications; household utilities; and educational or retraining programs.
- 8 Section 2. This Act takes effect on January 1, 2020.

## **SYNOPSIS**

This Act makes all veterans with a minimum discharge of general discharge under honorable conditions eligible for assistance from the Delaware Veterans Trust Fund, effective January 1, 2020.

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