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House of Representatives, April 13, 2017

An Act To Support Maine Military Charities

(AFTER DEADLINE)

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.

Reference to the Committee on Veterans and Legal Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

ROBERT B. HUNT Clerk

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Presented by Representative FREDETTE of Newport. Cosponsored by Senator MASON of Androscoggin and

Representatives: CASÁS of Rockport, DILLINGHAM of Oxford, FARRIN of Norridgewock, HANINGTON of Lincoln, LONGSTAFF of Waterville, LUCHINI of Ellsworth, PICCHIOTTI of Fairfield, SCHNECK of Bangor.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
Sec. 1. 37-B MRSA §159 is enacted to read:
§159. Authority to provide space to certain nonprofit organizations
The Military Bureau may provide space in a military facility under the jurisdiction of the Military Bureau to a statewide nonprofit organization established for the purpose of providing assistance to members or families of members of the Maine National Guard. A nonprofit organization provided space under this section may use the space only for the purpose of providing assistance to members or families of members of the Maine National Guard.
SUMMARY
This bill authorizes the Military Bureau to provide space in military facilities to nonprofit organizations that provide assistance to members or families of members of the Maine National Guard. Under the bill, space provided to a nonprofit organization by the Military Bureau may be used only to provide assistance to members or families of members of the Maine National Guard.