

REFERENCE TITLE: state agencies; veterans status; inquiry

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## **HB 2147**

Introduced by  
Representatives Andrade: Blackman, Butler, Hernandez M, Jermaine, Kaiser,  
Kavanagh, Payne, Senators Gabaldon, Terán

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE 7, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY  
ADDING SECTION 41-603.02; RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS'  
SERVICES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 41, chapter 3, article 7, Arizona Revised  
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 41-603.02, to read:

4 41-603.02. State agencies; veterans status; inquiry; forms

5 ALL STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS OR OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE  
6 UNITS OF THIS STATE SHALL:

7 1. ASK EVERY INDIVIDUAL AT THE INITIAL POINT OF SERVICE WITH THAT  
8 INDIVIDUAL AND PRINT ON EACH APPLICATION FORM THE FOLLOWING QUESTION:  
9 "HAVE YOU OR A FAMILY MEMBER EVER SERVED IN THE MILITARY?"

10 2. PROVIDE A WEBSITE ADDRESS AND CONTACT INFORMATION FOR THE  
11 DEPARTMENT AND FOR THE BE CONNECTED PROGRAM TO INDIVIDUALS WHO ANSWER IN  
12 THE AFFIRMATIVE TO THE QUESTION PRESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH 1 OF THIS SECTION.

13 Sec. 2. Effective date

14 This act is effective from and after December 31, 2022.