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**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT ,  
TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 19**

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 10, line 9: after that line insert:

3 **"SECTION 29m.** 45.358 (3) (f) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 45.358 (3) (f) A person who was a resident of this state at the time of his or her  
5 entry or reentry into service in the ~~Wisconsin~~ army national guard or air national  
6 guard of this or any other state or a reserve component of the U.S. armed forces or  
7 at the time of his or her death and who has 20 or more years of creditable military  
8 service for retirement pay as a member of the ~~Wisconsin~~ army national guard or air  
9 national guard of this or any other state or a reserve component of the U.S. armed  
10 forces or who would have been entitled to that retirement pay except that the person  
11 was under 60 years of age at the time of his or her death, and the person's spouse,  
12 surviving spouse and dependent children."

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# 2003 BILL

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1 AN ACT ...; relating to: burial at veterans cemeteries.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Current law specifies those persons who are eligible for burial at the veterans cemeteries in Wisconsin, including the Southern Wisconsin Veterans Cemetery, the Northern Wisconsin Veterans Cemetery, and the Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery. One of the groups of persons who are eligible for burial at those cemeteries are persons who were residents of this state at the time of ~~his or her~~ death or entry or reentry into service in the Wisconsin army national guard or air national guard and who had 20 or more years of service in the Wisconsin army national guard or air national guard.

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This bill expands that eligibility to a veteran of the army or air national guard of any state, as long as the person was a resident of Wisconsin at the time of his or her death or entry or reentry into service in the national guard and has 20 years or more of service in the national guard.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

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7 forces or who would have been entitled to that retirement pay except that the person  
8 was under 60 years of age at the time of his or her death, and the person's spouse,  
9 surviving spouse and dependent children.

10 **History:** 1993 a. 296; 1995 a. 27, 255; 1997 a. 27; 1999 a. 9; 2001 a. 103, 109.

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D. Note

**DRAFTER'S NOTE**  
**FROM THE**  
**LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

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Rep. Mark Pettis:

After reworking this draft I decided that my original language was correct because the veteran has to have died while *→ a* or resident or be a resident at the time of his entry or reentry into the national guard and have 20 years of creditable service as a member of the national guard. I think that does what you want.

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