



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2007 Assembly Bill 810

**Assembly Substitute
Amendment 1**

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Under *current law*, a person who has completed six continuous years of service under honorable conditions in the army national guard, the air national guard, or any reserve component of the U.S. armed forces, and who is living in the state at the time of application, is eligible for a veterans housing loan.

As introduced, *Assembly Bill 810* provides that a person who has served for six consecutive years under honorable conditions in the army national guard, the air national guard, *or a combination of the two*, is eligible for a loan.

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 eliminates the requirement that the six years of service be continuous and permits a person to have served the six years in any combination of national guard (army and air) and reserve component service.

Legislative History

On February 20, 2008, the Assembly Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs introduced Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 by unanimous consent and adopted the substitute amendment on a vote of Ayes, 9; Noes, 0. The committee then recommended passage of the bill, as amended, also on a vote of Ayes, 9; Noes, 0.

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