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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Wis. Stat. s. 89.073 currently allows the Veterinary Examining Board (VEB) to grant temporary reciprocal credentials for the spouse of a service member. The credential expires 180 days after issuance, unless the VEB extends the credential upon application by the credential holder. There are currently no veterinarians nor veterinary technicians using a temporary reciprocal credential and there are currently no pending applications for a temporary reciprocal credential.

This bill would expand s. 89.073 to include service members and former service members within four years of discharge. The bill would remove the 180-day expiration so that the credential would follow the standard renewal cycle.

The Department does not anticipate an impact to appropriation expenses and/or revenues. The bill would not increase expenses, as existing staff could process applications and administer the credentials. The bill would not impact revenues, as former service members may currently apply for a veterans fee waiver for initial license fees, pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 45.44.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

The Department does not anticipate any significant long range fiscal implications.