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HOUSE BILL 545

48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2007

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AN ACT

RELATING TO VETERANS; DESIGNATING A SPECIAL WARTIME MEDAL.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. A new section of the Veterans' Services Department Act is enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] WARTIME RIBBON AND MEDAL.--

A. The department, in cooperation with the department of military affairs, shall award a special wartime ribbon and medal to each veteran who served during a recognized period of armed conflict.

B. A veteran who was honorably discharged from the armed forces of the United States and who was a resident of New Mexico at the initial time of entry or who is currently a legal resident of the state shall qualify for this medal.

C. The department shall adopt rules and procedures

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to implement the provisions of this section."

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