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Version: As Reported by House Transportation and Public Safety

Primary Sponsor: Rep. Galonski

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

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The bill has no direct fiscal effect on the state or political subdivisions. It allows an applicant for a military license plate to present a county-issued veterans identification card in lieu of the applicant's DD-214 or equivalent document. The bill specifies that an applicant may be required to present additional evidence if necessary to obtain certain military license plates. There is no additional cost to the state Bureau of Motor Vehicles to accept a county-issued veterans identification card.

Ohio veterans identification cards are provided by each county through the county recorder's office or the county veterans service office. These cards are valid for a period of ten years and serve as veteran identification (in lieu of a military identification), an Ohio authorized form of identification, and as identification for voting. The information contained on a veterans identification card includes the veteran's name, date of birth, address, branch of service, dates of service, and date of discharge.