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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 480

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "and Simmons" and substitute "Simmons, Alston, Bhandari, Cullison, Guzzone, Hill, Hutchinson, R. Lewis, Lopez, Martinez, M. Morgan, Pena-Melnyk, Reilly, Rosenberg, Szeliga, Taveras, and White"; in line 4, strike "prohibiting" and substitute "requiring"; strike beginning with "from" in line 4 down through "at" in line 6 and substitute "to bury the eligible spouse or dependent of a veteran in"; in line 6, after "cemetery" insert "without charge"; and in lines 6 and 7, strike "to State veterans' cemeteries" and substitute "to the burial of veterans' spouses or dependents".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 18, after "(2)" insert ""ELIGIBLE DEPENDENT" MEANS:

- (I) A CHILD WHO MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS STATED IN 38 C.F.R. § 38.620(E); OR
- (II) A PARENT WHO MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS STATED IN 38 C.F.R. § 38.620(1).
- (3) "ELIGIBLE SPOUSE" MEANS A SPOUSE WHO MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS STATED IN 38 C.F.R. § 38.620(E).

(4)";

and in line 20, strike "(3)" and substitute "(5)".

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On page 2, in line 6, strike "(4)" and substitute "(6)".

On page 3, in line 9, strike "(i)"; in the same line, strike "one grave liner" and substitute "A GRAVE LINER AT NO COST FOR THE VETERAN OR ELIGIBLE SPOUSE OR DEPENDENT"; strike in their entirety lines 10 through 13, inclusive; in line 14, strike "(1)"; in the same line, after "veteran" insert "OR ELIGIBLE SPOUSE OR DEPENDENT"; and strike in their entirety lines 15 through 20, inclusive.