IDENTIFICATION AND PATCH FOR SERVICE ANIMAL (EXCERPT) Act 146 of 2015

***** 37.301.new THIS NEW SECTION IS EFFECTIVE JANUARY 18, 2016 *****

37.301.new Definitions.

Sec. 1. As used in this act:

- (a) "Department" means the department of civil rights.
- (b) "Person with a disability" means a person who has a disability as defined in section 12102 of the Americans with disabilities act of 1990, 42 USC 12102, and 28 CFR 36.104.
- (c) As used in subdivision (b), "person with a disability" includes a veteran who has been diagnosed with 1 or more of the following:
 - (i) Post-traumatic stress disorder.
 - (ii) Traumatic brain injury.
 - (iii) Other service-related disabilities.
 - (d) "Service animal" means all of the following:
 - (i) That term as defined in 28 CFR 36.104.
- (ii) A miniature horse that has been individually trained to do work or perform tasks as described in 28 CFR 36.104 for the benefit of a person with a disability.
 - (e) "Veteran" means any of the following:
- (i) A person who performed military service in the armed forces for a period of more than 90 days and separated from the armed forces in a manner other than a dishonorable discharge.
 - (ii) A person discharged or released from military service because of a service-related disability.
- (iii) A member of a reserve branch of the armed forces at the time he or she was ordered to military service during a period of war, or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge is authorized, and was released from military service in a manner other than a dishonorable discharge.

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