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**LEGISLATIVE BILL 795**

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Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

A BILL

- 1 FOR AN ACT relating to veterans; to amend section 80-317, Reissue
- 2 Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions
- 3 relating to applying for membership in veterans homes;
- 4 and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           Section 1. Section 80-317, Reissue Revised Statutes of  
2 Nebraska, is amended to read:

3           80-317 The Veterans' Homes Board shall prescribe rules of  
4 membership in the Nebraska veterans homes in accordance with sections  
5 80-314 to 80-331. An application for membership in a Nebraska  
6 veterans home shall be made to a county veterans service officer, to  
7 a recognized veterans organization as defined in subdivision (1) of  
8 section 80-401.01, or to a Nebraska veterans home, and such officer,  
9 organization, or Nebraska veterans home ~~who~~ shall coordinate the  
10 required financial and medical information and, if necessary, provide  
11 an opinion regarding its validity. The county veterans service  
12 officer, recognized veterans organization, or Nebraska veterans home  
13 shall at once forward the application together with ~~his or her~~ a  
14 finding in regard to the condition of the applicant to the board,  
15 whose duty it is to receive, review, and act upon applications for  
16 membership. During the interim between meetings of the board, the  
17 secretary of the board is authorized to adjudicate applications,  
18 subject to the approval of the full board at its next meeting.

19           Sec. 2. Original section 80-317, Reissue Revised Statutes  
20 of Nebraska, is repealed.