

## **Rule 375-3-1-.32 Eligibility for Active-Duty National Guard Driver's License and Identification Card~~Veteran Designation with American Flag Symbol on Driver's License and Identification Card~~**

- (a) ~~Veterans from all branches of the armed forces of the United States, including the National Guard, who have satisfied all other requirements for issuance of a driver's license or identification card may be eligible to have the "veteran" designation with the American flag symbol printed on said driver's license or identification card upon receipt by the Department of a Certificate of Eligibility issued for said veteran by the Georgia Department of Veteran's Services. National Guard driver's licenses shall be issued free of charge by the Department to any guardsman who meets the requirements of O.C.G.A. § 40-5-36. Each guardsman shall present to any driver's license examiner a completed Certificate of Eligibility for Georgia National Guard Driver's License. The National Guard driver's license shall be valid for eight (8) years or until the Department receives written notice from the Adjutant General, or his agent, that the guardsman is no longer a member of the Georgia National Guard in good standing.~~
- (b) ~~To receive the Certificate of Eligibility, a veteran must provide either a Form DD 214 (Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty) which indicates an honorable discharge date of January 1, 1950 or later, or a "Certificate of Discharge" or "Enlisted Separation Paper" which indicates an honorable discharge prior to January 1, 1950.~~
- (c) ~~For the purposes of this regulation, veterans with either active duty service or reserve status may be eligible for the "veteran" designation.~~
- (d) ~~Once eligibility is established pursuant to subsection (b), the licensee need not reestablish eligibility.~~

**Authority: O.C.G.A. §§ 40-5-4, 40-5-28.**

### **SYNOPSIS**

#### **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE AND MAIN FEATURES OF PROPOSED RULE**

The purpose of this amendment is to make this rule pertain to eligibility for active-duty National Guard members to receive free licenses.

#### **DIFFERENCE BETWEEN EXISTING AND PROPOSED RULE**

The proposed amendment removes language regarding how to receive a driver's license with the "veteran" designation and American flag symbol because the reference has been moved to the proposed amendment of Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. R. 375-3-1-.16. The requirement for active-duty National guard members to receive their license issued free of charge is added. The rule title is updated to reflect to what this rule is referring.