

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 854

BY REPRESENTATIVE HORTON

AIRCRAFT/AIRPORTS: Provides relative to free parking for disabled veterans at airports

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 29:27.1(A), relative to parking for disabled veterans; to provide  
3 free parking for all service-connected disabled veterans at air carrier airports; to  
4 clarify identification requirements for honoring free airport parking; and to provide  
5 for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 29:27.1(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §27.1. Airport parking exemption for disabled veterans

9 A. All air carrier airports shall provide free airport parking for a any disabled  
10 veteran, his conveyance, and his passengers if the disabled veteran provides proof  
11 of his service-connected disability in the form of a military honor license plate as  
12 provided for in R.S. 47:490.4 and 490.31 or a ~~disabled veteran identification card~~  
13 issued completed certificate from the Louisiana Department of Veterans Affairs  
14 certifying that the disabled veteran has a service-connected disability, as determined  
15 by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs.

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**DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Modifies the proof of disability requirements for air carrier airports to provide free parking to disabled veterans.

Present law provides free parking for a disabled veteran, his conveyance, and his passengers at any air carrier airport if the veteran provides proof of his disability in the form of a military honor license plate or a disabled veteran identification card.

Proposed law specifies that free parking at air carrier airports is authorized for any disabled veteran, his conveyance, and his passengers at any air carrier airport if the veteran provides proof of his service-connected disability in the form of a military honor license plate or a completed certificate from the La. Dept. of Veterans Affairs certifying that the disabled veteran has a service-connected disability, as determined by the U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs.

(Amends R.S. 29:27.1(A))