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H 1124. UI/SEVERELY DISABLED VETERANS. Filed 4/6/09. *RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMPENSATION FOR CERTAIN SEVERELY DISABLED VETERANS DISCHARGED FOR ACTS OR OMISSIONS ATTRIBUTED TO A SERVICE-CONNECTED DISABILITY.*

Amends GS 96-14 to provide that discharge or employer-initiated separation of a severely disabled veteran for acts or omissions of the veteran that the Employment Security Commission (Commission) determines are attributed to a disability incurred or aggravated in the line of duty during active military service, or to the veteran's absence from work to obtain care and treatment of a disability incurred or aggravated in the line of duty during active military service does not disqualify the veteran from receiving unemployment benefits under substantial fault provisions for any period of time. Clarifies that *discharge for misconduct with the work* does not include discharge or employer-initiated separation of a severely disabled veteran for acts or omissions of the veteran that the Commission determines are attributed to a disability incurred or aggravated in the line of duty during active military service, or to the veteran's absence from work to obtain care and treatment of a disability incurred or aggravated in the line of duty during active military service. Makes technical changes. Amends GS 96-8 to define *severely disabled veteran*.

Intro. by Insko.

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