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## A BILL

| To enact section 4113.13 of the Revised Code    | 1 |
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| regarding the creation and display of a poster  | 2 |
| containing information on benefits and services | 3 |
| for veterans.                                   | 4 |

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

| Section 1. That section 4113.13 of the Revised Code be           | 5  |
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| enacted to read as follows:                                      | 6  |
| Sec. 4113.13. (A) The director of commerce, in                   | 7  |
| consultation with the director of veterans services, shall       | 8  |
| create a veterans' benefits and services poster. The director of | 9  |
| commerce shall include information about the following topics in | 10 |
| the poster:  | 11 |

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| (1) Programs provided by the department of veterans             | 12 |
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| services, including the department's contact and web site       | 13 |
| information;  | 14 |
| (2) The United States department of veterans affairs            | 15 |
| veterans crisis line, including contact information for the     | 16 |
| crisis line;  | 17 |
| (3) Substance abuse and mental health treatment programs        | 18 |
| available to veterans;  | 19 |
| (4) Educational, workforce, and training resources              | 20 |
| available to veterans;  | 21 |
| (5) Tax benefits and exemptions available to veterans;          | 22 |
| (6) The availability of an armed forces designation on an       | 23 |
| Ohio driver's license or identification card;                   | 24 |
| (7) Eligibility for unemployment benefits under Chapter         | 25 |
| 4141. of the Revised Code and federal unemployment compensation | 26 |
| law;  | 27 |
| (8) Legal services available to veterans;                       | 28 |
| (9) The availability of any other benefit or service            | 29 |
| relevant to veterans that the directors determine should be     | 30 |
| included on the poster.   | 31 |
| (B) An employer employing employees in this state may           | 32 |
| display a copy of the poster created under division (A) of this | 33 |
| section on the employer's premises in a conspicuous place that  | 34 |
| is frequented by the largest number of employees and to which   | 35 |
| all employees have access. The director of commerce shall       | 36 |
| provide an employer with a copy of the poster free of charge at | 37 |
| the request of the employer.                                    | 38 |