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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2013

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RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- BURIAL OF VETERANS

Introduced By: Representatives McLaughlin, MacBeth, Hull, Bennett, and Johnston

Date Introduced: March 19, 2013

Referred To: House Veterans` Affairs

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 30-25-2 of the General Laws in Chapter 30-25 entitled "Burial of
2 Veterans" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 **30-25-2. Appropriations for firing squads.** -- The general assembly shall annually
4 appropriate such a sum as it may deem necessary, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise
5 appropriated, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of section 30-25-1; in an amount
6 sufficient to provide a firing squad of five (5) members, and a bugler for each funeral, and the
7 state controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw orders upon the general treasurer for the
8 payment of such sums as may from time to time be required upon the receipt by the state
9 controller of proper vouchers, approved by the adjutant general.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
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1 This act would require an honor guard of five (5) members and a bugler for each funeral
2 for a veteran buried in Rhode Island.

3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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