

SFFMA Military Waiver

Texas Occupants Code

Sec. 55.009. LICENSE APPLICATION AND EXAMINATION FEES. Notwithstanding any other law, a state agency that issues a license shall waive the license application and examination fees paid to the state for an applicant who is:

(1) a military service member or military veteran whose military service, training, or education substantially meets all of the requirements for the license; or

(2) a military service member, military veteran, or military spouse who holds a current license issued by another jurisdiction that has licensing requirements that are substantially equivalent to the requirements for the license in this state. Added by Acts 2015, 84th Leg., R.S., Ch. 328 (S.B. 807), Sec. 1, eff. September 1, 2015.

Proposed Addition to SFFMA Program

1. The test/certification application processing fee is waived for an active military service member or military veteran whose military service, training, or education substantially meets the training requirements for a SFFMA Certification. **The Training or certifications had to be acquired while in the Military.** This applies to initial examinations for certifications required by SFFMA rules for appointment to duties. Retests following a failed initial examination or an examination to regain a certification that was lost are not included.
2. The test/certification application processing fee is waived for an active military service member or military veteran, who holds a current license or certification issued by another jurisdiction that has requirements substantially equivalent to the training requirements for a SFFMA Certification. **The Training or certifications had to be acquired while in the Military.** This subsection applies to initial examinations for certifications required by SFFMA rules for appointment to duties. Retests following a failed initial examination or an examination to regain a certification that was lost are not included.