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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2023

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RELATING TO PARKS AND RECREATIONAL AREAS -- GENERAL PROVISIONS

Introduced By: Representatives Fellela, Shallcross Smith, Place, Serpa, Azzinaro, Rea,
and Messier

Date Introduced: March 01, 2023

Referred To: House Finance

(Office of Veterans Services)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 32-1 of the General Laws entitled "General Provisions" is hereby
2 amended by adding thereto the following section:

3 **32-1-22. Gold Star families.**

4 No entrance fee shall be charged to any person who is a Gold Star family member at any
5 recreational facility owned and operated exclusively by the state, except for docking slips;
6 provided, however, proper identification is presented as prescribed by the department of
7 environmental management.

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

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EXPLANATION
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- 1 This act would provide free admission to any state owned recreational facility for Gold
- 2 Star families with exceptions for docking slips.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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