## LEGISLATIVE BILL 12

## Approved by the Governor February 14, 1995

Introduced by Executive Board: Hall, 7, Chairperson

AN ACT relating to veterans; to amend section 80-304.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to eliminate a reference to a statute repealed in 1974; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. Section 80-304.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read

80-304.01. Whenever a member of one of the homes is deemed to have become addicted to the excessive use of alcoholic liquer or a spendthrift as defined in section 38-301 or who has become becomes disabled because of age or otherwise to such an extent that it is impossible for such the member to transact his or her personal financial business, the administrator of such home is hereby empowered to instigate, in the administrator's official capacity, proceedings for the legal appointment of a guardian or conservator to take charge of and administer all funds, whether pension, compensation, or otherwise, inuring to such the member. A member of the staff of each home shall be named guardian officer of that home and may be appointed guardian or conservator of members of such home. The guardian officer shall not receive fees or compensation from the member for such services. Bond for the guardian officer shall be paid by the State of Nebraska.

Sec. 2. Original section 80-304.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is repealed.