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SYNOPSIS

Requires DMVA veterans' memorial homes to communicate with veterans' guardians via at least two communication means.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Assembly Military and Veterans' Affairs Committee on June 14, 2021, with amendments.

(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 6/30/2021)

1 AN ACT concerning means of communication with guardians of
2 veterans residing in Department of Military and Veterans'
3 Affairs memorial homes and supplementing P.L.1993, c.281
4 (C.38A:3-2b2 et seq.).

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6 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
7 of New Jersey:

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9 1. The Division of Veterans' ¹**[Administrative]** Healthcare¹
10 Services in the Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs shall
11 ensure that each veterans' memorial home shall communicate
12 updates to each veteran's guardian appointed pursuant to section 1
13 of P.L.1993, c.281 (C.38A:3-2b2 et seq.), and each person
14 otherwise having the veteran's power of attorney, through a
15 minimum of two communication means, which shall include regular
16 mail, email, text message, and voice.

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18 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[thus]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹Assembly AMV committee amendments adopted June 14, 2021.