

Senate Bill 373

By: Senators Douglas of the 17th, Grant of the 25th, Schaefer of the 50th, Staton of the 18th,
Williams of the 19th and others

AS PASSED SENATE

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 40-5-36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 veterans' licenses, honorary licenses, and other distinctive licenses, so as to provide for an
3 honorary license for the unremarried surviving spouse or child of certain deceased military
4 persons; to provide for conditions; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 Code Section 40-5-36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to veterans'
8 licenses, honorary licenses, and other distinctive licenses, is amended by striking in its
9 entirety subsection (d) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

10 "(d) Honorary licenses may be issued to:

11 (1) A resident of Georgia who is the surviving spouse of a veteran as defined by
12 paragraph (1) of subsection (c) of this Code section. Any license to such spouse shall be
13 valid only as long as that person remains unmarried; ~~or~~

14 (2) A resident of Georgia who is the spouse of a veteran who would be qualified to
15 receive a veteran's license but who is disabled to the extent that he or she cannot operate
16 a motor vehicle; or

17 (3) A resident of Georgia who is the unremarried surviving spouse or a child of a person
18 who was killed after September 11, 2001, while serving on active military duty in a
19 position which entitled him or her to receive hazardous duty pay. Any license issued to
20 such child shall be valid only until his or her 21st birthday."

21 **SECTION 2.**

22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.