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## **General Comment**

I believe that this will be a great program. Veterans should not only be protected and helped during their service time in the military, but afterwards as well. By providing employers an incentive to hire veterans, the veteran unemployment rates will likely go down. I think that veterans have a tremendous amount of skill that they can contribute to the workplace. They are inherently leaders and hard workers. Once employers who participate in this program start hiring more veterans, other companies will see the positive impact it has on business and hopefully will follow in the same direction. Veterans deserve more recognition and support, and this program does just that.