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An act relating to medical marijuana use registry identification cards for veterans; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to charge a reduced fee for the issuance, replacement, or renewal of medical marijuana use registry identification cards for qualified patients who are honorably discharged veterans; providing requirements for proof of identification; providing an effective date.

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Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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Section 1. Paragraph (f) is added to subsection (7) of section 381.986, Florida Statutes, to read:

381.986 Medical use of marijuana.-

- (7) IDENTIFICATION CARDS.—
- (f) The department shall charge a reduced fee of \$15 for the issuance, replacement, or renewal of an identification card for a qualified patient who is a veteran, as defined in s.

 1.01(14), if the application includes a copy of any of the following as proof of veteran status:
 - 1. A DD-214 form;
- 2. A Department of Veterans Affairs identification card or a Uniformed Services identification card indicating retired status; or
- 3. A Florida driver license bearing the veteran designation.
 - Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2026.