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OUR FIRST VICTORY!

On 24 February 2006, California Assemblymember Pedro Nava (35th AD) introduced Assembly Bill 2750 (<u>AB 2750</u>), "Military and veterans: California Veteran and National Guard Benefit and Welfare Commission".

This bill was developed by Assemblymember Nava in direct response to our legislative proposal "California Wartime Shared Sacrifice Act of 2005". It establishes a commission much like the one that we requested, with a charge to review current programs much as we requested.

We understand that compromise is often necessary if we are to get anything done at all. The bill is not all that we asked for, and does not require reporting out its results as quickly as we would have liked. Yet, we must praise Assemblymember Nava for his effort, and trust that his submission reflects his understanding of the extent of potential action and the speed at which such action can take place in the framework of the California Legislature and the Executive.

THANK YOU ASSEMBLYMEMBER NAVA FOR A JOB WELL DONE.