

January 12, 1970

OPINION LETTER NO. 75

Answered by L. J. Gardner

Honorable Phillip H. Snowden
State Representative - 86th District
313 Armour Road
North Kansas City, Missouri 64116



Dear Representative Snowden:

This is in reply to the questions raised in your letter of December 4th concerning Senate Bill No. 117 which was enacted by the Seventy-Fifth General Assembly and, as pointed out in your letter, made substantial changes in the laws relating to Architects and Professional Engineers.

This bill did not contain an emergency clause and, as indicated in your letter, it went into effect October 13, 1969.

Therefore, the examination that was given September 8th through September 11, 1969, was subject to the provisions of the prior law, including Section 327.070, RSMo 1959, which in paragraph 2 provided "Disabled veterans of the armed forces of the United States shall be given a credit of ten points in all examinations". Any person who was a "disabled veteran of the armed forces of the United States" was entitled to a credit of ten points on all examinations given on such dates.

We understand that, as stated in your letter, there were seven separate examinations given September 8th through September 11, 1969. A disabled veteran of the armed forces of the United States was entitled to ten points on all examinations given on such dates.

Very truly yours,

JOHN C. DANFORTH
Attorney General