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**Report to  
The Vermont Legislature**

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**Food Licensing for Veterans  
2021 Report to the Legislature**

**In Accordance with Act 119 (2018), An act relating to professional licensing for service members and veterans**

**Submitted to:** **House Committees** on Commerce and Economic Development, on General, Housing, and Military Affairs, and on Government Operations  
**Senate Committees** on Economic Development, Housing and General Affairs and on Government Operations

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**Introduction**

This report is provided in accordance with Act 119 (2018), that requires the Commissioner of Health to report to “the legislature the number of service members and veterans who, during the previous calendar year, were deemed to have knowledge of the prevention of food-borne disease, be able to apply the Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point principles, and have met the criteria for ‘demonstration of knowledge’ requirements set forth by the Department of Health in rule for the purposes of obtaining a food establishment license as provided pursuant to 18 V.S.A. §4303(b) and the total number of food establishment licenses issued to those service members and veterans.”

**Summary of 2020 Activities**

During the reporting period (May 2020 to December 2020) the Department of Health did not receive any applications for a food license from a self-identified veteran. The Department has not received any inquiries regarding Act 119 (2018) during the reporting period.