

**CURRENT INTRODUCTION NUMBER:**

[Int. No. 600](#)

**INITIAL SPONSORS:**

By Council Members Vallone and Ulrich

**TITLE:**

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the reporting of veterans receiving agency services.

**BILL SUMMARY:**

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Among the services veterans are eligible to receive in New York City, include those provided by the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA), the Human Resources Administration (HRA), the Department of Housing Preservation and Development (HPD), and the New York City Housing Authority (NYCHA).

This bill would require the Mayor's Office of Operations to, on an annual basis, and not later than January 30 of each year, report to the Commissioner of the Mayor's Office of Veterans Affairs (MOVA), the Veterans Advisory Board, and the Council on the number of veterans receiving certain city services in the prior year, to the extent practicable. This includes: 1) the total number of veterans residing in Mitchell-Lama housing; 2) the total number of applications received by HPD for Mitchell-Lama Housing from housing containing at least one veteran; 3) the total number of vending licenses provided by DCA to veterans; 4) the total number of veterans who submitted an application to DCA for a vending license; 5) the total number of veterans residing in NYCHA housing utilizing a HUD-VASH voucher; and 6) the total number of veterans receiving services through HRA-operated job centers in the prior year, disaggregated by the number receiving one-shot assistance grants, cash assistance, and supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits. The bill also allows such data to be made part of the Mayor's Management Report.

**CODE SECTIONS AFFECTED:**

- Adds Administrative Code § 3-116.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:**

Immediately upon enactment.

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