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Allows an income tax subtraction for veterans of the military who have at least 20 years of active military service. Only includes reserve and national guard members, including Active Guard Reserve (AGR) members, to the extent that they were in active status for 20 cumulative years. The amount of the tax subtraction would be \$1,000 for every year, or portion thereof, of active military service. The income subtraction applies to any pension or disability pay the veteran receives, and may be claimed by veterans who have a service-connected disability, regardless of length of service.