

Senate Bill No. 612

CHAPTER 221

An act to amend Section 161 of the Military and Veterans Code, relating to the military.

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SB 612, Soto. Office of Adjutant General.

Existing law specifies the membership of the office of the Adjutant General.

This bill would specifically include an officer who may be of the rank of brigadier general who is the Deputy Adjutant General, Joint Staff Division, within that membership.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 161 of the Military and Veterans Code is amended to read:

161. The office of the Adjutant General consists of one officer of the rank of lieutenant general who is the Adjutant General, one officer of the rank of brigadier general who is the Assistant Adjutant General, one officer who may be of the rank of brigadier general who is the Deputy Adjutant General, Army Division, one officer who may be of the rank of brigadier general who is the Deputy Adjutant General, Air Division, one officer who may be of the rank of brigadier general who is the Deputy Adjutant General, Joint Staff Division, and other officers as are prescribed by the laws or regulations of the United States. No person is eligible for appointment as the Assistant Adjutant General unless he or she had not less than a total of five (5) years of commissioned service in the National Guard of the United States, of which at least three (3) years shall be service as a field grade officer in the California National Guard within the preceding 10-year period prior to the date of appointment and of which at least three (3) years shall have been in command of Army or air troops at the battalion or equivalent or higher command level or three (3) years as a staff officer at brigade or equivalent or higher staff level. The Assistant Adjutant General is subordinate only to the Governor and the Adjutant General.

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