DATES OF WARS AND OTHER RECOGNIZED MILITARY CAMPAIGNS AND OPERATIONS UNDER §27-103

FOR PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION ELIGIBILITY UNDER §12-81(19)

Spanish-American War	**April 21, 1898 to July 4, 1902**
Spanish-American War – Moro Province	**April 21, 1898 to July 15, 1903 [1]**
Mexican Border Period	**March 10, 1916 to April 6, 1917**
World War I	**April 6, 1917 to November 11, 1918**
World War I - Russia	**April 6, 1917 to April 1, 1920 [2]**
World War II	**December 7, 1941 to December 31, 1946 [3]**
Korean Conflict	**June 27, 1950 to January 31, 1955**
Vietnam Era	**February 28, 1961 to July 1, 1975**
Lebanon	**July 1, 1958 to November 1, 1958 or September 29, 1982 to March 30, 1984 [4]**
Invasion of Grenada	**October 25, 1983 to December 15, 1983 [4]**
Operation Earnest Will	**February 1, 1987 to July 23, 1987 [4]**
Invasion of Panama	**December 20, 1989 to January 31, 1990 [4]**
Persian Gulf War	**After August 2, 1990 [5]**

Subdivision (g) of Section §12-81(19) of the Connecticut General Statutes mandates that current active duty personnel are eligible for the Veteran's property tax exemptions. Under this and other statutes, a service member who currently is on active duty and has been for at least 90 days is eligible for property tax relief if the service member meets all other requirements.

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[1] The Spanish American War includes the Philippine Insurrection, the Boxer Rebellion and service in the Moro Province, for which the ending date is eleven days later than the ending date for the Spanish American War.

[2] The ending date for service in Russia by a person serving with the United State military forces during World War I differs from the ending date for all service during that war in all other arenas

[3] Pursuant to §12-86, twelve o'clock midnight on December 31, 1947 is the World War II termination date for purposes of granting a property tax exemption.

[4] A person must have served in a combat or combat support role for the duration of a campaign lasting less than 90 days (i.e., the Invasions of Grenada and Panama) in order to qualify for a property tax exemption. A person must also have served in a combat or combat support role in Lebanon or in Operation Earnest Will, during the specified dates, in order to qualify for an exemption. An Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal is awarded to such individuals.

[5] Although referred to as the Persian Gulf War, service in the Persian Gulf is not required, nor is service in a combat or combat support role.