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**SUMMARY OF CHANGE(S):** Section 705 of the NDAA for Fiscal Year (FY) 2010 allows certain members of the retired reserve who are qualified for a non-regular retirement, but are not yet age 60 ("gray-area" retirees), to purchase TRICARE Standard coverage.

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