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S.F. No. 815 – Available remedies for violating the prohibition on assigning military pay or benefits modification

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SF 815 (325F.992, subd 3) amends the consumer protection chapter of law, specifically the provision that prohibits a person from entering into an agreement with a military beneficiary that assigns the military beneficiary's military pay or benefits in violation of federal law. This bill amends the penalties available to injured military beneficiaries, to allow the injured person to bring a cause of action to recover damages, reasonable attorney fees and costs, *and* equitable relief. Current law allows damages, fees and costs, *or* equitable relief.