



Department of Veterans Affairs

VERIFICATION OF V.A. BENEFIT — RELATED INDEBTEDNESS

PRIVACY ACT INFORMATION: This information is to be used by the agency collecting it in determining whether you qualify for the V.A. loan benefit. This information request is authorized by Title 38, U.S.C., Chapter 37. Responses may be disclosed outside the V.A. only if the disclosure is authorized under the Privacy Act, including the routine uses identified in V.A. system of records, 55VA26, Loan Guaranty Home, Condominium and Manufactured Home Loan Applicant Records, Specially Adapted Housing Applicant Records, and Vendee Loan Applicant Records - V.A., published in the Federal Register.

INSTRUCTIONS TO LENDER

Complete Items 1 through 6. Have veteran complete Items 7 and 8. Forward to the Finance Officer (24) at the local V.A. office to determine whether the veteran has any V.A. benefit-related indebtedness. If a debt is found to exist, the home loan must not be closed until the veteran presents evidence showing that the debt has been cleared or an acceptable repayment plan has been established with V.A. After completion by the Finance Officer, this form will be returned to the lender at the address shown. V.A. Form 26-8937 is a required exhibit to accompany home or manufactured home loans closed on the automatic basis and prior approval submissions.

TO: NAME AND ADDRESS OF LENDER

1. NAME OF VETERAN (First, middle, last)

2. CURRENT ADDRESS OF VETERAN

3. DATE OF BIRTH

4. V.A. CLAIM FOLDER NUMBER (C-File No.)

5. SERVICE NUMBER

6. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I DO DO NOT have a V.A. benefit-related indebtedness to my knowledge. I authorize V.A. to furnish the information listed below.

7. SIGNATURE OF VETERAN

8. DATE SIGNED

FOR V.A. USE ONLY

The above named veteran does not have a V.A. benefit-related indebtedness. The veteran has the following V.A. benefit-related indebtedness.

V.A. BENEFIT — RELATED INDEBTEDNESS (if any)

TYPE OF DEBT(S)

AMOUNT OF DEBT(S)

\$

\$

\$

TERM OF REPAYMENT PLAN (if any)

- Veteran is exempt from funding fee due to receipt of service-connected disability compensation of \$ _____ monthly.
(Unless checked, the funding fee must be remitted to V.A. with V.A. Form 26-1820, Report and Certification of Loan Disbursement.)
- Veteran is not exempt from funding fee due to receipt of nonservice-connected pension of \$ _____ monthly. **LOAN APPLICATION WILL REQUIRE PRIOR APPROVAL PROCESSING BY V.A.**
- Veteran has been rated incompetent by V.A. **LOAN APPLICATION WILL REQUIRE PRIOR APPROVAL PROCESSING BY V.A.**
- Insufficient information. V.A. cannot identify the veteran with the information given. Please furnish more complete information, or a copy of a DD Form 214 or discharge papers. If on active duty, furnish a statement of service written on official government letterhead, signed by the adjutant, personnel officer, or commanding officer. The statement should include name, birth date, service number, entry date and time lost.

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED AGENT

DATE SIGNED

RESPONDENT BURDEN: Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 5 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the V.A. Clearance Officer (723), 810 Vermont Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20420; and to the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (2900-0406), Washington, DC 20503. Do NOT send requests for benefits to these addresses.

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