

Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900–New (VA Form 21–0820 series)" in any correspondence.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Titles:

- a. VA Form 21–0820, Report of General Information.
- b. VA Form 21–0820a, Report of Death of Beneficiary.
- c. VA Form 21–0820b, Report of Nursing Home Information.
- d. VA Form 21–0820c, Report of Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS).
- e. VA Form 21–0820d, Report of Lost Check.
- f. VA Form 21–0820e, Report of Incarceration.
- g. VA Form 21–0820f, Month of Death Check.

OMB Control Number: 2900–New.

Type of Review: New collection.

Abstract: The forms will be used by VA personnel to document verbal information obtained telephonically from claimants or their beneficiary. The data collected will be used as part of the evidence needed to determine the claimant's or beneficiary's eligibility for benefits.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The **Federal Register** Notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on January 5, 2009, at pages 336–337.

Affected Public: Federal Government.

Estimated Annual Burden:

- a. VA Form 21–0820, Report of General Information—19,667.
- b. VA Form 21–0820a, Report of Death of Beneficiary—6,667.
- c. VA Form 21–0820b, Report of Nursing Home Information—2,500
- d. VA Form 21–0820c, Report of Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS)—2,500.
- e. VA Form 21–0820d, Report of Lost Check—2,500.
- f. VA Form 21–0820e, Report of Incarceration—833.
- g. VA Form 21–0820f, Month of Death Check.

Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent: 5 minutes.

Frequency of Response: Hourly.

Estimated Number of Respondents:

- a. VA Form 21–0820, Report of General Information—2,360,000.
- b. VA Form 21–0820a, Report of Death of Beneficiary—80,000.
- c. VA Form 21–0820b, Report of Nursing Home Information—30,000.
- d. VA Form 21–0820c, Report of Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS)—30,000.
- e. VA Form 21–0820d, Report of Lost Check—30,000.
- f. VA Form 21–0820e, Report of Incarceration—10,000.
- g. VA Form 21–0820f, Month of Death Check.

Dated: March 25, 2009.

By direction of the Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900–0564]

Proposed Information Collection (Direct Deposit Enrollment) Activity: Comment Request

AGENCY: Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of a currently approved collection, and allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice solicits comments on the information needed to enroll claimants receiving benefit payments into an electronic funds transfer program.

DATES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed collection of information should be received on or before May 29, 2009.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information through Federal Docket Management System (FDMS) at <http://www.Regulations.gov> or to Nancy J. Kessinger, Veterans Benefits Administration (20M35), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420 or e-mail to

nancy.kessinger@va.gov. Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900–0564" in any correspondence. During the comment period, comments may be viewed online through FDMS.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Nancy J. Kessinger at (202) 461–9769 or FAX (202) 275–5947.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13; 44 U.S.C. 3501–3521), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. This request for comment is being made pursuant to Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA.

With respect to the following collection of information, VBA invites comments on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of VBA's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of VBA's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

Titles:

- a. Direct Deposit Enrollment, VA Form 24–0296.
- b. Direct Deposit Enrollment (Australia), VA Form 24–0296a.
- c. Direct Deposit Enrollment (Canada), VA Form 24–0596b.
- d. Direct Deposit Enrollment (Germany), VA Form 24–2096c.
- e. Direct Deposit Enrollment (Ireland), VA Form 24–0296d.
- f. Direct Deposit Enrollment (United Kingdom), VA Form 24–0296e.

OMB Control Number: 2900–0564.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: Claimants who wish to have their benefit payments electronically deposited into their financial institution account must complete the appropriate direct deposit enrollment form.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Estimated Annual Burden:

- a. VA Form 24–0296—750 hours.
- b. VA Form 24–0296a (Australia)—100 hours.
- c. VA Form 24–2096b (Canada)—100 hours.
- d. VA Form 24–2096c (Germany)—100 hours.
- e. VA Form 24–2096d (Ireland)—100 hours.

f. VA Form 24–2096e (United Kingdom)—100 hours.
Estimated Average Burden per Respondent: 15 minutes.
Frequency of Response: On occasion.
Estimated Number of Respondents:
 a. VA Form 24–0296—3,000.
 b. VA Form 24–0296a (Australia)—400.
 c. VA Form 24–2096b (Canada)—400.
 d. VA Form 24–2096c (Germany)—400.
 e. VA Form 24–0296d (Ireland)—400.
 f. VA Form 24–0296e (United Kingdom)—400.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900–0677]

Agency Information Collection (Contract for Training and Employment) Activities Under OMB Review

AGENCY: Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501–3521), this notice announces that the Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs, will submit the collection of information abstracted below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. The PRA submission describes the nature of the information collection and its expected cost and burden; it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before April 29, 2009.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information through <http://www.Regulations.gov> or to VA's OMB Desk Officer, OMB Human Resources and Housing Branch, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 (202) 395–7316. Please refer to “OMB Control No. 2900–0677” in any correspondence.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Denise McLamb, Enterprise Records Service (005R1B), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420, (202) 461–7485, FAX (202) 273–0443 or e-mail

denise.mclamb@va.gov. Please refer to “OMB Control No. 2900–0677.”

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Contract for Training and Employment (Chapter 31, Title 38 U.S. Code), VA Form 28–1903.

OMB Control Number: 2900–0677.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: VA Form 28–1903 is used to standardize contracts agreements between VA and training facilities/vendors providing vocational rehabilitation training and employment to veterans. VA uses the data collected to ensure that veterans are receiving training and employment as agreed in the contract.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The **Federal Register** Notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on January 21, 2009, at page 3672.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Estimated Annual Burden: 1,200 hours.

Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent: 60 minutes.

Frequency of Response: One-time.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 1,200.

Dated: March 25, 2009.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900–0673]

Proposed Information Collection (One-VA Identification Verification Card) Activity; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of Operations, Security, and Preparedness, Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Office of Operations, Security, and Preparedness (OSP), Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information,

including each proposed extension of a currently approved collection, and allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice solicits comments on information needed to issue a One-VA identification verification card.

DATES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed collection of information should be received on or before May 29, 2009.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information through Federal Docket Management System (FDMS) at <http://www.Regulations.gov>; or to Keith Frost, Office of Security and Law Enforcement (07B), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420 or e-mail: keith.frost@va.gov. Please refer to “OMB Control No. 2900–0673” in any correspondence. During the comment period, comments may be viewed online through FDMS.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Keith Frost at (202) 461–5247 or FAX (202) 273–7094.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13; 44 U.S.C. 3501–3521), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. This request for comment is being made pursuant to Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA.

With respect to the following collection of information, OSP invites comments on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of OSP's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of OSP's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

Title: Request for One-VA Identification Card, VA Form 0711.

OMB Control Number: 2900–0673.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: VA Form 0711 is used to collect pertinent information from employees, applicants seeking employment with VA, contractors, and affiliates prior to issuing a Department identification credential. VA uses the data collected to personalize, print, and issue a personal identify verification card.