

Insurance proceeds in estate cases when formal administration of the estate is not required.

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*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 1,039 hours.

*Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent:* 30 minutes.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 2,078.

Send comments and recommendations concerning any aspect of the information collection 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. 2900–0469" in any correspondence.

Dated: January 17, 2002.

By direction of the Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900–0043]

### Agency Information Collection 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 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs, has submitted 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 March 13, 2002.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY OF THE SUBMISSION CONTACT:** Denise

McLamb, Information Management Service (045A4), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420, (202) 273–8030, FAX (202) 273–5981 or e-mail: *denise.mclamb@mail.va.gov*. Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900–0043."

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title:* Declaration of Status of Dependents, VA Form 21–686c.

*OMB Control Number:* 2900–0043.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Abstract:* The form is used to obtain the necessary information to confirm marital status and existence of any dependent child(ren). The information is used by VA to determine eligibility to benefits.

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*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 56,500 hours.

*Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent:* 15 minutes.

*Frequency of Response:* One time.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 226,000.

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900–0129]

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**AGENCY:** Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

**ACTION:** Notice.

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#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title:* Supplemental Disability Report, VA Form Letter 29–30a.

*OMB Control Number:* 2900–0129.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Abstract:* VA Form Letter 29–30a is used by the insured to supply information in conjunction with claim for disability benefits. VA uses the data collected on the form letter to evaluate the insured's claim for disability insurance benefits.

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*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 548 hours.

*Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent:* 5 minutes.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 6,570.

Send comments and recommendations concerning any aspect of the information collection 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. 2900–0129" in any correspondence.

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