COMPUTER MATCHING AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
DEFENSE MANPOWER DATA CENTER, DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
AND
VETERANS BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION
DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
FOR VERIFICATION OF DISABILITY COMPENSATION AND
PENSION
DoD CMA #87

Under the provisions of Public Law 100-503, a computer matching agreement shall remain in effect for such period, not to exceed 18 months, as the Data Integrity Boards of the participating agencies determine is appropriate. However, the Data Integrity Boards may renew the agreement for a period not to exceed one additional year if:

1. Such program will be conducted without any change; and

2. Each party to the agreement certifies to the Boards in writing that the program has been conducted in compliance with the agreement.

This is a one-year renewal of the computer matching agreement between the Department of Defense (DoD), Defense Manpower Data Center (DMDC) (the source agency) and the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA) (the recipient agency), signed by the respective Data Integrity Boards on November 12, 2021 and December 1, 2021 respectively. VA makes a determination of which individuals are being paid by DoD/U.S. Coast Guard (USCG) for duty performed and are being paid VA disability compensation or pension benefit, and makes award adjustments accordingly.

The following match meets the conditions for renewal:

I. **Parties to Match:**

   Recipient Agency: VA/VBA
   Source Agency: DoD/DMDC

II. **Purpose of the Agreement:**

   The purpose of this match is to verify an individual's continuing eligibility for VA benefits by identifying VA disability benefit recipients who return to active duty, and to ensure that benefits are terminated if appropriate.

III. **Final Effective Date of Match**

   The current 18-month agreement expires on July 9, 2023.
IV. **Points of Contact:**

The VA contacts are:

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V. Agency Certification

As designated representatives of the agencies shown above, we certify that the subject matching program has been conducted in compliance with the existing computer matching agreement between the parties, and we also agree to conduct the matching program without change for one additional year, subject to the approval of the respective Data Integrity Boards.

Electronic Signature Acknowledgement: The signatories may sign this document electronically by using an approved electronic signature process. Each signatory electronically signing this document agrees that his/her electronic signature has the same legal validity and effect as his/her handwritten signature.

Beth Murphy
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Compensation Service
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Date

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Acting Director
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Date

Data Integrity Board Certification:
As chairmen of the respective Data Integrity Boards, we certify that the Data Integrity Boards have approved the renewal of the above agreement for one additional year.

John Oswalt
Chair, Data Integrity Board
Department of Veterans Affairs

Date

Joo Y. Chung
Chair, Data Integrity Board
Department of Defense

Date