




DOCUMENTS AND CERTIFICATION REQUIRED FOR STATE HOME CONSTRUCTION AND ACQUISITION GRANTS - POST-GRANT REQUIREMENTS

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The state representative must submit to VA the following prior to the final payment of grant funds or when specified below:

1. Standard Form SF 271, OUTLAY REPORT AND REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS.
2. A final equipment list (prior to completion of construction). A separate, complete itemized list to include fixed and other equipment (not including equipment in the construction contract) by category with the cost, quantity, and placement in accordance with the final drawings, but not including consumable goods or office supplies. (NOTE: if no equipment is involved in the project, a statement to that effect should be included in the request for the final architectural/engineering inspection.) **This equipment list must be approved by VA prior to final claim payment.**
3. A request in writing for the final grant program review, including the name and telephone number of the local point of contact for the project.
4. A final claim for payment on Standard Form SF 271, OUTLAY REPORT AND REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS. Add the statement "it is hereby agreed that the monetary commitment of the federal government will have been met and the project will be considered terminated upon payment of this voucher."
5. Evidence that the state has met its responsibility for an audit under the Single Audit Act of 1984 and 59.124 of this part, if applicable.

CERTIFICATION - The law provides severe penalties for willful submission of false information.

 I certify that the information submitted to VA is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and ability.

NAME OF AUTHORIZED STATE OFFICIAL

TITLE OF AUTHORIZED STATE OFFICIAL

SIGNATURE

DATE (mm/dd/yyyy)