Non-Substantive Revision OMB Control Number 2900-0099

2900-0099 (VA Form 22-5495)

VA is requesting a non-substantive revision to OMB control number 2900-0099.

This information collection is being revised to include statutory language in support of the implementation of the Defense of Marriage Act (DOMA).

VA requests approval of a non-substantive revision to OMB Approval 2900-0099. VA Form 22-5495 to include information concerning the recognition of marriage for the purpose of VA benefits. The marital and/or dependency information requested from respondents on the existing VA Form 22-5495 will remain the same; however, we have changed the instruction page to include guidance to the respondent on how VA now recognizes marriage as a result of the enactment of DOMA.