

Justification for Expired VAF 28-1900

VAF 28-1900 is available on the One-VA Website in a fillable electronic format. This application is also available in a secure server, which does not currently allow for complete submission of the form. The claimant does not see or complete the actual application form when applying electronically. Thus, the fields for the other requested data on the actual form remain blank when the application form is printed out.

As a result, a review of the information required for completing the form was conducted. Consequently, the form was abbreviated, which only requests information necessary for determination of entitlement to vocational rehabilitation benefits. In addition, the title of the form was changed from "Disabled Veterans Application for Vocational Rehabilitation" to Application for Vocational Rehabilitation for Veterans with Service-connected Disabilities.

The process for revising the form, coupled with lack of staffing resources, precipitated the expiration of the form.