**White Paper**

**Form 28-1900**

**Non-substantive/Non-material change**

**Purpose:** To add new information to the VA Form 28-1900 form used by Veterans to submit an Application for Veteran Readiness and Employment for Claimants with Service-Connected Disabilities.

**Background:**

This is a non-substantial revision of VA Form 28-1900 (Application for Veteran Readiness and Employment for Claimants with Service-Connected Disabilities). The revision is required to streamline the process of applying for Chapter 31, Veteran Readiness and Employment (VR&E) benefits by providing the Protection of Privacy Information Statement on the VA Form 28-1900 rather than the VAF 28-1902w, Veteran Readiness and Employment Questionnaire. In addition, with providing the Protection of Privacy Information Statement added to VA Form 28-1900, it would eliminate the requirement for VA Form 28-8739a, Protection of Privacy Information Statement.

**Action Taken:**

* Section II which was originally the Certification and Signature of the claimant was changed to Section II: Protection of Privacy Information Statement for Counselees and Rehabilitation Program Participants to review and acknowledge.
* Section II: Certification and Signature was moved to Section III: Certification and Signature.