



DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
Veterans Benefits Administration
Washington, DC 20420

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Docket: VA-2026-VACO-0001
Notice Requesting Comments

Comments on: VA-2026-VACO-0001-0118
Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposals, Submission, and Approvals:
Application for Authority to Close Loans on an Automatic Basis Nonsupervised Lenders
(FR Doc No: 2026-06233; OMB Control No. 2900-0252.

Document: VA-2026-VACO-0001-0128

To Whom it May Concern,

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) has reviewed the comment regarding unsupervised lenders, fees, loan servicing practices, including repayment, loan modification, and loss mitigation activities, within the VA Loan Guaranty program.

VA notes that the information collection associated with OMB Control Number 2900-0252 is limited to supporting the evaluation and oversight of lenders applying for authority to close loans on an automatic basis. The information collected is used to assess unsupervised lender qualifications and ensure compliance with related VA requirements.

The information collected is limited to lender application, approval, and oversight activities and does not govern ongoing lender participation, loan servicing practices, or program policy decisions. The comment references servicing-related activities, including repayment, loan modification, loss mitigation, and foreclosure processes, which are governed by separate statutory and regulatory authorities and are not established or modified through this information collection. VA will continue to ensure that the information collected is necessary to support appropriate oversight, is used consistent with program requirements, and minimizes burden on respondents.

VA appreciates your feedback. Your comment has been noted and will be included in our official record of public comments during the 30-day notice.

Sincerely,

Kimberly Girard
Loan Guaranty Deputy Director - Operations

