



THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

EXECUTIVE ORDER

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REORGANIZATION OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS

By the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and the laws of the United States of America, and in order to provide assistance to those who have served our country, it is hereby ordered as follows:

Section 1. Goals:

(a) The United States Veterans' Affairs program shall provide veterans of the United States Military with reemployment opportunities, job training, and such other benefits as the President may direct.

Section 2. The Department of Veterans' Affairs:

(a) The United States Department of Veterans' Affairs is dissolved.

(b) All current employees of the Department of Veterans' Affairs shall be transferred to the Veterans' Affairs Administration (see Section 3.).

Section 3. The Veterans' Affairs Administration:

(a) There is established the United States Veterans' Affairs Administration (VAA), which shall be an agency under the U.S. Department of Defense, headed by an Administrator of the Veterans' Affairs

Administration, who shall be appointed by the President.

- (b) There is a Deputy Administrator of the Veterans' Affairs Administration, who shall perform such duties and exercise such powers as the Administrator may prescribe. The Deputy Administrator shall act for, and exercise the powers of the Administrator when the administrator dies, resigns, or is otherwise unable to perform the duties of the office.
- (c) The Veterans' Affairs Administration shall provide veterans of the United States Military with reemployment opportunities, job training, and any other previously held functions of the Department of Veterans' Affairs.

Section 4. Department of Defense Oversight:

- (d) The Secretary of Defense shall have authority, direction & control of the Veterans' Affairs Administration and all staff thereof.

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