To: Lenders and Other Participants in the VA Loan Guaranty Program

Subject: Transmittal of Change 22 to VA Pamphlet 26-7, Revised, VA Lender's Handbook

Purpose
Attached is a revision to Chapter 2, Veteran’s Eligibility and Entitlement, of the VA Lenders Handbook.

Changes
• Topic 3 and 5 were updated to include language on expanded eligibility for certain unmarried surviving spouses as a result of the Honoring America’s Veterans and Caring for Camp Lejeune Families Act of 2012 which became law on August 6, 2012.

• This chapter was also updated to make minor grammatical edits and update hyperlinks.

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