Agency Information Collection Activity: Interest Rate Reduction Refinancing
Loan Worksheet

AGENCY: Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTIONS: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, this notice announces that the Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, will submit the collection of information abstracted below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. The PRA submission describes the nature of the information collection and its expected cost and burden and it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review - Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function. Refer to “OMB Control No. 2900–0386.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Interest Rate Reduction Refinancing Loan Worksheet (VA Form 26-8923)

OMB Control Number: 2900-0386.

Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: The major use of this form is to determine Veterans eligible for an exception to pay a funding fee in connection with a VA-guaranteed loan. Lenders are required to complete VA Form 26-8923 on all interest rate reduction refinancing loans and submit the form to the Veteran no later than the third business day after receiving the Veteran’s application.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The Federal Register Notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published at 86 FR 13789 on March 10, 2021, pages 13789).

Affected Public: Individuals or Households.

Estimated Annual Burden: 156,685 hours.

Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent: 30 minutes.

Frequency of Response: Frequency of response is generally one time per IRRRL.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 662,065.

By direction of the Secretary.

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