



**DEFINITIONS**

**ETHNIC GROUP**

White - person having origin in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or the Middle East.

Black - person having origin in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

American Indian or Alaskan Native - person having origin in any of the original peoples of North America and who maintains cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition.

Asian - person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, Indian Subcontinent; i.e. Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, Vietnam, and like countries.

Pacific Islander - person having origins in any of the original peoples of Gaum, Samoa, Hawaii or other Pacific Islands.

Hispanic - person of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban Central or South American, or other Spanish culture origin, regardless of race.

Other - person having origin not covered by the above categories.

**DISABLED STATUS**

Disabled - person having a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities.

**VETERAN STATUS**

Vietnam Era Veteran - veteran having served at least 180 days in the armed forces between August 5, 1964 and May 7, 1975.

Disabled Veteran - veteran entitled to disability compensation under laws administered by the VA or who has been discharged or released from active duty because of a service-connected disability.

Veteran - Other - Any individual who has served on active duty in the armed forces for more than 180 consecutive days, or was a member of a reserve component who served in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign medal has been authorized who has an honorable discharge.

Recently Separated Veteran - Any veteran who served on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service during the one-year period beginning on the date of such veteran's discharge or release from active duty.

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