



# MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT



BETWEEN:  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY VETERANS SERVICE OFFICERS, INC.  
and  
GREEN BERET FOUNDATION (GBF)

## 1) BACKGROUND

This Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) memorializes an agreement of mutual benefit for and between the National Association of County Veterans Service Officers, Inc. (NACVSO), and the Green Beret Foundation (GBF).

## 2) PURPOSE

The purpose of this MOA is to set forth the principles of the working relationship between the NACVSO and GBF to facilitate our common goal of service to veterans.

a) This MOA will allow selected GBF employees to participate in NACVSO directed training programs. These programs provide Department of Veterans Affairs (VA)-approved NACVSO accreditation training for service officers in order to assist veterans with the VA claims handling process.

b) This MOA will provide the NACVSO with advocate liaisons through the GBF corps of benefits consultants.

c) Furthermore, this MOA formulates a working relationship in which NACVSO agrees to assist and process claims referred to NACVSO by GBF employees. Any NACVSO representative who provides processing assistance to a claim referred to by a GBF employee shall retain the right to determine those means necessary to process a claim. Final responsibility for such claims shall be retained by the NACVSO.

## 3) NACVSO ACCREDITATION TRAINING

Any GBF employee who participates in accreditation training must be an affiliate/associate member of NACVSO prior to testing. Each GBF employee who participates in accreditation training must be provided a copy of this MOA.

## 4) REVOCATION OF ACCREDITATION TRAINING CERTIFICATE

In addition to the circumstances described in 38 C.F.R. § 14.633, NACVSO also reserves the right to terminate the accreditation training certificate of GBF employees who fail to abide by the terms of this MOA.

## 5) POINTS OF CONTACT

Principal points-of-contact for accreditation processing and MOA accountability.

*"To care for him who shall have borne the battle and for his widow and his orphan"*

*President Abraham Lincoln*

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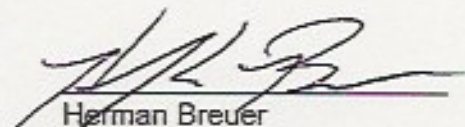
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6) DURATION, MODIFICATION, AND TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

This MOA shall become effective upon the date of signature of both approving parties, and shall remain in effect until terminated in writing by either party. Termination of this agreement shall be effective at the end of the thirtieth day (30th day) after the written notification of termination has been sent. For purposes of identifying the effective date of termination, a post-mark or electronic mail stamp identifying the sending date shall suffice.

7) APPROVALS

Approved and Accepted on behalf of National Association of County Veterans Service Officers:

  
Herman Breuer  
President  
National Association of County  
Veterans Service Officers

2/6/19  
Date

Approved and Accepted on behalf of the Green Beret Foundation:

  
Simeon Trombitis  
President  
Green Beret Foundation

2/10/19  
Date

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