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Veterans' Advisory Committee on Education, Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs give notice that a meeting of the Veteran's Advisory Committee on Education, authorized by 38 U.S.C. 3692, will be held on September 26 and 27, 1996. The meeting will take place at the Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Benefits Administration Office, Room 542, 1800 G St., NW., Washington, DC, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 26, and from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon on Friday, September 27. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss Veterans Affairs education issues.

On Thursday, the Committee will continue work on obtaining information on State education benefits for veterans. On Friday, Mr. Joe Thompson, Director of New York VA Regional Office will address the Committee.

The meeting will be open to the public. Interested persons may attend, appear before, or file statements with the Committee. For those wishing to attend or file a written statement, please contact Ms. June Schaeffer, Assistance Director, Education Policy and program Administration, (202) 273-7187 prior to

September 23, 1996. Oral statements will be heard at 10:00 a.m. on September 26, 1996.

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Voluntary Service National Advisory Committee, Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs gives notice under Public Law 92-463 that the annual meeting of the Department of Veterans Affairs Voluntary Service National Advisory Committee will be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel, Two Tampa Center, Tampa, Florida, October 23 through 26, 1996. The meeting begins with participant registration at 8 a.m. on October 23 and concludes at 3 p.m. on October 26. The meeting is open to the public.

The committee, comprised of sixty national voluntary organizations, advises the Under Secretary for Health and other members of the Department of Veterans Affairs Central Office staff on how to coordinate and promote volunteer activities within VA facilities. The primary purposes of this meeting are: to provide for committee review of volunteer policies and procedures; to accommodate full and open communications between the organizations, representatives and the

Voluntary Service Central Office and field staff; to provide educational opportunities geared towards improving volunteer programs with special emphasis on methods to recruit, retain, motivate and recognize volunteers; and to approve committee recommendations.

On October 23, the National Executive Committee will meet from 8:00 a.m. until 12 noon. From 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. participants will attend a Health Fair. On the morning of October 24, there will be a Plenary Session with Charlie Plumb as guest speaker. In the afternoon participants will choose between two educational workshops. On October 25, a business session will be held from 8:00 a.m. until 10:15 a.m. and a plenary session will be held from 10:30 a.m. until 11:45 a.m. From 12:30 until 2:30 p.m. participants will attend a luncheon. On the morning of October 26, the two educational workshops will repeat. The closing business session will be held from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m.

For further information, contact the Director, Voluntary Service Office (162), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC, 20420, (202) 273-8952.

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