

on a place on the product where it is likely to be seen by the consumer, the noncompliance does not present a consequential risk to motor vehicle safety. Kolcraft respectfully requests that NHTSA grant its petition for exemption.

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments on the application of Kolcraft described above. Comments should refer to the docket number and be submitted to: U.S. Department of Transportation Docket Management, Room PL-401, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20590. It is requested, but not required, that two copies be submitted.

All comments received before the close of business on the closing date indicated below will be considered. The application and supporting materials, and all comments received after the closing date, will also be filed and will be considered to the extent possible. When the application is granted or denied, the notice will be published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to the authority indicated below.

Comment closing date: March 2, 2000.

(49 U.S.C. 30118 and 30120; delegations of authority at 49 CFR 1.50 and 501.8)

Issued on: January 27, 2000.

**Stephen R. Kratzke,**

*Acting Associate Administrator for Safety Performance Standards.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### Means Test Thresholds

**AGENCY:** Department of Veterans Affairs.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** As required by law, the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is hereby giving notice of cost-of-living adjustments (COLA) for means test income limitations. These adjustments are based on the rise in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) during the one-year period ending September 30, 1999.

**DATES:** These rates are effective January 1, 2000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Roscoe Butler, Chief Policy and Operations, Health Administration Service, (10C3), Veterans Health Administration, VA, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20420, (202) 273-8302. (This is not a toll-free number.)

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Title 38, United States Code (U.S.C.) § 1722(c), requires that on January 1 of each year, the Secretary increase the means test threshold amounts by the same percentage the maximum rates of pension benefits were increased under section 5312(a) during the preceding calendar year. Under the provisions of 38 U.S.C. section 5312 and section 306 of Public Law 95-588, VA is required to increase the benefit rates and income limitations in the pension and parents' indemnity compensation (DIC) program by the same percentage, and effective the same date, as increases in the benefit amount payable under Title II of the Social Security Act.

On October 25, 1999, for the period beginning December 1, 1999, the Social Security Administration announced in volume 64, Number 205 of the **Federal Register**, a 2.4 percent cost-of-living increase in Social Security Benefits under Title II of the Social Security Act.

The Veteran Benefits Administration has indicated Pension benefits will be increased by a 2.4 percent cost-of-living increase effective December 1, 1999. Therefore, applying the same percentage and rounding up in accordance with 38 CFR 3.29, the following income limitations for the Means Test Thresholds will be effective January 1, 2000.

**Table 1.—Means Test Thresholds**

- (1) Veterans with no dependents:
  - (a) Category A: \$22,887
  - (b) Category C: \$22,888
- (2) Veterans with 1 dependent:
  - (a) Category A: \$27,468
  - (b) Category C: \$27,469
- (3) Veterans with 2 dependents:
  - (a) Category A: \$29,000
  - (b) Category C: \$29,001
- (4) Veterans with 3 dependents:
  - (a) Category A: \$30,532
  - (b) Category C: \$30,533
- (5) Veterans with 4 dependents:
  - (a) Category A: \$32,064
  - (b) Category C: \$32,065
- (6) Veterans with 5 dependents:
  - (a) Category A: \$33,596
  - (b) Category C: \$33,597
- (7) Child Income Exclusion is: \$7,200
- (8) The Medicare deductible is \$776
- (9) Maximum annual Rate of Pension effective 12/1/1999 are:
  - (a) The base rate is \$8,989
  - (b) The base rate with one dependent is \$11,773
  - (c) Add \$1,532 each additional dependent

Dated: January 20, 2000.

**Togo D. West, Jr.,**

*Secretary of Veterans Affairs.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### 48 CFR Parts 203, 209, 225, and 249

[DFARS Case 99-DO13]

#### Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Debarment Investigation and Reports

##### *Correction*

In rule document 99-29984 beginning on page 62984 in the issue of Thursday, November 18, 1999, make the following corrections:

#### **203.104-10 [Corrected]**

1. On page 62984, in the third column, "Violation" should read, "Violations".

#### **209.406-3 [Corrected]**

2. On page 62985, in the second column, in Section 209.406-3(a)(ii)(F)(4), "claims" should read, "Claims".

#### **206.406-3(b)(i)(B) [Corrected]**

3. On the same page, in the third column, in Section 209.406-3(b)(i)(B), "suspending" should read, "suspending".

#### **209.407-3(d) [Corrected]**

4. On page 62986, in the first column, under Section 209.407-3(d), in the first line, in the title heading "official's s" should read, "official's".

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## POSTAL SERVICE

### 39 CFR Part 111

#### Barcode Requirements for Special Services Labels

##### *Correction*

In rule document 00-1570 beginning on page 3609, in the issue of Monday,

January 24, 2000, make the following correction:

#### **PART 111 [CORRECTED]**

On page 3610, in the third column, in section 3.4 of the Domestic Mail Manual (DMM), the illustration was inadvertently omitted. Exhibit 3.4, Label 200, is added below:

Exhibit 3.4      Label 200



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