## READ THIS BEFORE YOU AGREE TO PAY FOR HELP IN OBTAINING VETERANS BENEFITS

If you are thinking about paying someone for help in obtaining veterans benefits, please carefully read the following **DISCLOSURE**:

Veterans benefits services are offered at <u>no cost</u> by federally chartered veteran service organizations and by county commission of veteran affairs offices.

Have you checked into the free help available to you? YES NO
If you answered <b>NO</b> , the Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs urges you to consider contacting these <u>free</u> resources, before you pay for services.
If you need help locating a veteran service organization or county office, or have questions about obtaining veterans benefits, contact:
Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs 7105 N.W. 70 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Camp Dodge, Bldg. 3465 Johnston, Iowa 50131-1824 800-838-4692 or 515-252-4698 www.va.iowa.gov
Because free help is available, anyone wishing to charge you for services related to obtaining veterans benefits must obtain your signature on this form. <u>Do not sign this form or sign any agreement to pay for services if you wish to contact free help first</u> .
<ul> <li>Remember:</li> <li>You are not required to pay for assistance in obtaining veterans benefits.</li> <li>You are not required to sign this form in order to obtain your veterans benefits.</li> </ul>
By my signature below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand this document.
Signature: Date:
Printed name:

Reference: Iowa House of Representatives File 414, signed into law by Governor Terry E. Branstad, 24 April 2015.