



THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS  
WASHINGTON

February 21, 2023

**MEMORANDUM FOR UNDER SECRETARIES, ASSISTANT SECRETARIES AND  
OTHER KEY OFFICIALS**

**SUBJECT:** Designation of Authority for the Department of Veterans Affairs Non-procurement Suspension and Debarment Official (VIEWS 8927913)

**1. DESIGNATION.** Under the authority vested in me as Secretary of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), I designate the Executive Director, Office of Acquisition and Logistics and the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Senior Procurement Executive as the VA Non-Procurement Suspension and Debarment Official (SDO) in accordance with the authorities in paragraph 2.

**2. AUTHORITIES.** This designation is made pursuant to 2 C.F.R. Part 180. The Secretary or designee is authorized to establish policies and procedures for VA's non-procurement suspension and debarment activities that are consistent with the Office of Management and Budget's guidelines under 2 C.F.R. Part 180 and VA regulations under 2 C.F.R. Part 801; impose suspension or debarment as a VA SDO under 2 C.F.R. § 180.930 and 2 C.F.R. § 180.1010; and grant exceptions to allow excluded persons to participate in covered transactions as provided in 2 C.F.R. § 180.135.

**3. REFERENCES.** 2 C.F.R. Part 180 and 2 C.F.R. Part 801.

**4. RESTRICTIONS.** None.

**5. REDESIGNATION.** No further designation is authorized.

**6. EXPIRATION.** This designation is effective upon signature and remains in effect unless otherwise rescinded, modified or superseded.

  
Denis McDonough