MACHINERY ACT OF NORTH CAROLINA N.C. GENERAL STATUE:105-277.1C

YOUR PERMANENT RESIDENCE INCLUDES YOUR DWELLING, RELATED IMPROVEMENTS, AND UP TO 1 ACRE OF LAND. A DWELLING CAN BE A SINGLE FAMILY HOME, CONDO OR MANUFACTURED HOME.

PROOF OF DISABILITY MUST BE IN THE FORM OF A CERTIFICATE OR LETTER FROM THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION.

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER INFORMATION IS MANDATORY AND WILL BE USED TO ESTABLISH THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE APPLICANT, {42 U.S.C. SECTION 405(c)(2)(c)(i)}.

TEMPORARY ABSENCE

A QUALIFIED OWNER DOES NOT LOSE THE BENEFIT OF THIS EXCLUSION BECAUSE OF A TEMPORARY ABSENCE FROM THEIR PERMANENT RESIDENCE FOR REASONS OF HEALTH, OR BECAUSE OF AN EXTENDED ABSENCE WHILE CONFINED TO A REST HOME OR NURSING HOME, SO LONG AS THE RESIDENCE IS UNOCCUPIED OR OCCUPIED BY THE OWNER'S SPOUSE OR OTHER DEPENDENT. JACKSON COUNTY



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PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR VETERANS WITH A PERMANENT TOTAL DISABILITY THAT IS SERVICE CONNECTED

PERMANENT RESIDENCE OWNERS THAT CAN QUALIFY:

- HONORABLE DISCHARGED VETERANS WITH A PERMANENT TOTAL DISABILITY THAT IS SERVICE-CONNECTED OR RECEIVES/HAS RECEIVED BENEFITS FOR SPECIALLY ADAPTED HOUSING UNDER 38 U.S.C. 2101.
- UNMARRIED SURVIVING SPOUSE OF AN HONORABLY DISCHARGED VETERAN THAT HAD A PERMANENT TOTAL DISABILITY THAT WAS SERVICE-CONNECTED OR HAD RECEIVED BENEFITS FOR SPECIALLY ADAPTED HOUSING UNDER 38 U.S.C. 2101.

DISABLED VETERAN EXCLUSION

- EXCLUSION: A PERMANENT RESIDENCE OWNED AND OCCUPIED BY AN OWNER WHO IS A NC RESIDENT, AN HONORABLY DIS-CHARGED, AND TOTALLY & PERMANENTLY DISABLED VETERAN OR UNMARRIED SURVIVING SPOUSE OF AN HONORABLY DISCHARGED DISABLED VETERAN IS DESIGNED A SPECIAL CLASS OF PROPERTY.
- THE FIRST \$45,000 OF APPRAISED VALUE OF THE RESIDENCE IS EXCLUDED FROM TAXATION.
- AN OWNER WHO RECEIVES THIS EXCLUSION MAY <u>NOT</u> RECEIVE OTHER PROPERTY TAX RELIEF. {GS 105-277.1c.(a)}.
- NO AGE REQUIREMENT
- NO INCOME REQUIREMENT
- ONE-TIME APPLICATION REQUIRED
- APPLICATIONS MAY BE TIMELY FILED UP TO **JUNE 1ST** OF THE CURRENT YEAR
- UNTIMELY APPLICATIONS MAY BE FILED UNTIL THE END OF THE CALENDAR YEAR, AND MAY BE APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION AND REVIEW UPON SHOWING GOOD CAUSE FOR FAILURE TO TIMELY FILE THE APPLICATION.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED OR DISCHARGED UNDER HONORABLE CONDITIONS

THE DISABLED VETERAN EXEMPTION IS ONLY FOR THOSE VETERANS WHO HAVE BEEN:

HONORABLY DICHARGED

OR

DISCHARGED UNDER

HONORABLE CONDITIONS.

THE VETERAN SHOULD PROVIDE PROOF BY SUBMITTING A COPY OF THEIR

HONORABLE DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE.



VETERANS DISABILITY CERTIFICATION DEFINED

A CERTIFICATE BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS OR ANOTHER FEDERAL AGENCY THAT A VETERAN HAS A PERMANENT TOTAL DISABILITY THAT IS SERVICE-CONNECTED. {NCDVA-9}

PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF A NC DRIVERS LICENSE, STATE ISSUED ID CARD, OR NC VOTERS REGISTRATION

VETERAN DEFINED

A VETERAN OF ANY BRANCH OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES.

PROOF OF DISABILITY

FOR PROOF OF DISABILITY, THE VETERAN SHOULD BE ABLE TO PROVIDE ONE OF THESE LETTERS SERVING AS A VETERANS DISABILITY CERTIFICATION:

AWARD LETTER—VETERANS AFFAIRS LETTER GIVEN TO VETERAN WHEN DISABILITY DETERMINATION IS MADE.

VETERANS AFFAIRS RESPONSE TO THE REQUEST FROM A VETERAN FOR CERTIFICATION.

VETERANS AFFAIRS USE THE TERMS: "PERMANENT AND TOTAL"

PROOF OF SPECIALLY ADAPTED HOUSING

THE VETERAN SHOULD PROVIDE WRITTEN PROOF THAT BENEFITS WERE RECEIVED UNDER 38 U.S.C. 2101 FOR SPECIALLY ADAPTED HOUSING.

