

SAMPLE DD 214 FORM

CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE OR DISCHARGE FROM ACTIVE DUTY					
1 Name		2 Department, component, and branch		3 Social security number	
4a Grade, rate, or rank	B Pay grade	5 Date of birth	6 Reserve obligation termination date		
7a Place of entry into active duty			b Home at time of record		
			<i>NOTE FROM TOUCHSTONE: This section will help determine if the veteran's State of residence at the time he or she entered the service.</i>		
8a Last duty assignment and major command			b Station where separated		
9 Command to which transferred			10 SLGI Coverage None Amount:		
11 P <i>NOTE FROM TOUCHSTONE: This section will help determine if the veteran served after September 11, 2001.</i>	12 Record of service		Year(s)	Month(s)	Day(s)
	a Date entered ad this period				
	b Separation date this period				
	c Net active service this period				
	d Total prior active service				
	e Total prior inactive service				
	f Foreign service				
	g Sea service				
	h Effective date of pay grade				
13 Decorations, medals, badges, citations, and campaign ribbons awarded or authorized		14 Military education			
<i>NOTE FROM TOUCHSTONE: This section will help determine whether the veteran served in armed combat.</i>					
15 a Member contributed to post-Vietnam era educational assistance program b High school graduate or equivalent					
16 Days accrued leave		17 Member was provided complete dental examination and all appropriate dental services and treatment within 90 days prior to separation			
18 Remarks					
<i>NOTE FROM TOUCHSTONE: This section will help determine whether the veteran served in armed combat.</i>					
<i>This section may contain references to the geographic region where the veteran served or references to service in support of <u>Operating Enduring Freedom ("OEF")</u> or <u>Operation Iraqi Freedom ("OIF")</u>.</i>					
19 a Mailing address after separation			b Nearest relative		
20 Member requests copy 6 be sent to					
21 Signature of member		22 Official authorized to sign			
Special Additional Information					
23 Type of separation		24 Character of service			
		<i>NOTE FROM TOUCHSTONE: This section will help determine if the veteran was discharged under honorable conditions.</i>			
25 Separation authority		26 Separation code	27 Reentry code		
28 Narrative of reason for separation					
<i>NOTE FROM TOUCHSTONE: This section may contain information relevant to the determination of whether the veteran was discharged under honorable conditions.</i>					
29 Dates of time lost during this period			30 Member requests copy 4		