



Applicant: Read and follow instructions carefully

A. In order that your claim for additional credit as a Veteran can be processed, follow the instructions checked ( ) in the boxes below. Failure to follow these instructions completely may result in a restriction on the eligible list. Please give this your immediate attention since Veterans' Credit can not be granted after the eligible list has been established.

- 1. Answer all questions on the reverse side of this form, attach documentary proof of your eligibility, as specified under B below and mail to: Chenango County Personnel Department, Chenango County Office Building, 5 Court St., Norwich NY 13815.
- 2. Complete the enclosed authorization for disability record in duplicate, and forward immediately to your Regional Veterans Administration Office.

| <b>B. <u>ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS</u></b>  | <b><u>ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTARY PROOF</u></b>  |
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| 1. Citizen of the United States.   | Report of Military Separation:  |
| 2. Honorably discharged or separated from the Armed Forces of the United States  | Report of Separation and Honorable Discharge and/or Certificate of Service. Acceptable military forms:<br>NAVPERS-553<br>NAVMC-78 PD<br>WDAGO-53, 55<br>WDAGO-53, 98<br>DD-214.<br><br>If your name is different from that shown on your Report of Separation and Honorable Discharge and/or Certificate of Service, include a marriage certificate or other legal document to verify the change. |
| 3. Active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States during any of the following periods: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. December 7, 1941 to December 31, 1946</li> <li>b. June 27, 1950 to January 31, 1955</li> <li>c. February 28, 1961 to May 7, 1975</li> <li>d. June 1, 1983 to December 1, 1987 - Lebanon*</li> <li>e. October 23, 1983 to November 21, 1983 - Grenada*</li> <li>f. December 20, 1989 to January 31, 1990 - Panama*</li> <li>g. August 2, 1990 to present</li> <li>h. U. S. Public Health Service<br/>July 29, 1945 to December 31, 1946<br/>- OR -<br/>June 27, 1950 to July 3, 1952</li> <li>i. a member of the National Guard who was activated during the U.S. Postal strike during the period March 26 1970 to March 28, 1970.</li> </ul> <p>* For hostilities in Lebanon, Grenada and Panama, the individual must have received the Armed Forces, Navy or Marines Corps. Expeditionary Medal.</p> | Same as for requirement 2, above.   |
| 4. Resident of New York State at the time applying for Veteran's Credits.  | Report of separation; affidavit from Board of Elections or a notarized statement of proof of residence.   |
| 5. If since January 1, 1951, you used your Veteran's Credits for permanent appointment or promotion in New York State or its civil division, you may not claim them again.   |   |

NOTE: Any of the documents listed above, either the original or photocopy, will be considered as satisfactory evidence for each requirement. All documents will be returned after your claim has been processed.