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VETERAN'S EXEMPTION

Information and how to apply: The Veteran's Exemption is a $4,000 reduction in your taxable value and the Disabled Veteran's Exemption is a 100% exemption from property taxes. Both may be claimed by any honorably discharged veteran or the unmarried surviving spouse. The New Mexico Department of Veteran's Services determines eligibility and a Certificate of Eligibility will be issued. Once the certificate is received, you must present it along with this completed form to the Assessor's office in person to apply for the exemption. Once the exemption is claimed and allowed, it shall apply to subsequent years as long as there is no change in eligibility or ownership status. If you have claimed the exemption with the Motor Vehicle Division, you must report it to the Assessor's office, as only the remaining portion of the exemption will be allowed. You do not need to sign this form if you are already receiving the exemption.

Exemption Year: _____ Account #:_____ Phone#: _____

Owner Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

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I hereby certify that I am a New Mexico resident as of January 1st of this year, and I am a "Veteran" as that term is defined in Section 7-37-5 of the Property Tax Code. I have filed a Certificate of Eligibility from the Veteran's Service Commission with the County Assessor for the Veteran Exemption and I am claiming the exemption from the taxable value of the property owned by me.

X_____ _____
Veteran or Surviving Spouse of Veteran Certificate Number

State of New Mexico}
County of Colfax }

AFFIRMATION

I do solemnly affirm to the best of my knowledge that the statements on this form, completed and signed by me and the preceding list and description, are full and correct statements of all property required to be reported pursuant to Section 7-38-8 of the Property Tax Code. I so affirm under penalties of perjury.

X _____
Property Owner or Authorized Agent

Subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 20_____, by _____.

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County Assessor or Assessor's Staff

Thank you for your service to our country, you are greatly appreciated!!!!