

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS  
DEPARTMENT POLICIES**

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**SUBJECT:** Hardship Assistance Grant - Purpose and Authority

**POLICY NO:**  
400

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**DISTRIBUTION:** Department Personnel  
Veteran Service Officers

**EFFECTIVE:**  
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**1) PURPOSE**

The purpose of this assistance is to provide monies taken from earned interest of the Veterans Postwar Trust Fund to give aid and comfort to veterans as defined in North Dakota Century Code (N.D.C.C.) ch. 37-14, and their spouses, un-remarried widow or widower.

**2) AUTHORITY**

NDCC 37-14 VETERANS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION  
NDCC 37-18 DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS  
NDCC 37-18.1 ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS