

June 21, 2011

William Carson, Chief Negotiator
Veterans Benefit Administration
VA Central Office
810 Vermont Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20420

Dear Mr. Carson

The National VA Council VBA Midterm Bargaining Committee is formally requesting to bargain on the appropriate arrangements for the adversely affected employees as a result of the Express Lane Pilot Program.

We request a briefing prior to presenting proposals.

We request that implementation be deferred until all required negotiations are completed per the Master Agreement and the statute.

Sincerely,

Alberta Franklin, Chief Negotiator
NVAC VBA Midterm Bargaining Committee
Alma Lee, President NVACVBA Midterm Committee Members