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On January 6, 2009, Governor Strickland signed SB 248 into law (amending Ohio Revised Code §317.24) with an effective date of April 7, 2009. This bill creates a public records exemption for DD214's for a period of 75 years.

Only authorized parties can view and receive complete copies; proof of authorization will be required. All unauthorized parties will only be allowed to view and receive a redacted copy.

Please designate the category that grants you authorization to view the unredacted DD214:

- I am the actual Veteran
- I am the County Veterans Service Officer or his/her designee (authorization of the person who is the subject of the discharge record is required in power of attorney or other document)
- I am the Attorney-in-fact
- I am an agent or representative of the person who is the subject of the DD214
- I am a person authorized by a court
- I am the executor, administrator or heir of an estate
- I am the funeral director who is performing the funeral or his/her designee

NAME OF VETERAN (PLEASE PRINT)

REQUESTED BY (SIGNATURE)