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To: SAH Field Staff and Other Participants in the VA Home Loan Guaranty Program

Subject: Transmittal of VA M26-12 SAH Grant Processing Procedures, Chapter 13, Appeals Process, Revised

Purpose	Attached is a copy of VA M26-12, SAH Grant Processing Procedures, Chapter 13, Appeals, which has been revised.
Changes	Chapter 13, Topic 1 has been revised to include clarifying language describing the impact of <i>Public Law 115-55</i> , <i>the Veterans Appeals Improvement and Modernization Act of 2017 (AMA)</i> . Chapter 13, Topic 2 has been removed to simplify the policy manual as references to legacy appeals are not relevant to SAH Appeals. Chapter 13, Topic 3 is reassigned as Topic 2, and has minor revisions to sections 3.c. and 3.d. to clarify the VA forms to be used in certain situations to submit a Higher-Level Review or Supplemental Claim.
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