#### Department of Veterans Affairs M21-1, Part IV, subpart ii

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#### Transmittal Sheet

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| Changes Included in This Revision | The table below describes the changes included in this revision of Veterans Benefits Manual M21-1, Part IV, “Compensation, DIC, and Death Compensation Benefits”, Subpart ii, “Compensation”.. |

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| Reason(s) for the Change | Citation |
| To amend the previous requirement to print the results of the Special Monthly Compensation (SMC) calculator for the file, to copying and pasting into the rating narrative. | M21-1, Part IV, Subpart ii, Chapter 2, Section H, Topic 1, Block h(IV.ii.2.H.1.h) |
| To add a Block on the procedure to follow when deferring SMC in the Veterans Benefits Management System-Rating (VBMS-R). | IV.ii.2.H.1.i |

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| Rescissions | None |

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