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The Honorable Al Franken United States Senate 309 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

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Dear Senator Franken:

The Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) supports the "Quicker Veterans Benefits Delivery Act" (S. 666) that requires (current law allows) the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to accept, for purposes of establishing a claim for veterans disability benefits, a report of a medical examination administered by a private physician without requiring confirmation by a Veterans Health Administration (VHA) physician if the report is sufficiently complete.

The Association appreciates your leadership on this issue and stands ready to provide assistance in advancing this legislation. The point of contact at FRA is John Davis, Director of Legislative Programs, at the above numbers or (john@fra.org).

Sincerely,

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