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In order to further improve the lines of communication and to respond to the concerns between the National VA Council and you our members, I have established a National VA Council Briefing. This NVAC Briefing will bring you the latest news and developments within DVA and provide you with the current status of issues this Council is currently addressing. I believe that this NVAC Briefing will greatly enhance the way in which we communicate and the way in which we share new information, keeping you better informed.

Alma L. Lee
National VA Council, President

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- [OSC prods agencies to inform employees of rights](#)

The Office of Special Counsel is reminding agencies of their obligation to educate employees about their rights in the federal workplace.

- [DOD sending out new federal tax form](#)

The Defense Department will begin sending

civilian and military personnel Internal Revenue Service Form 1095 to help them complete health coverage questions on 2015 federal tax returns.

- [**SEA gets another interim president**](#)

The Senior Executives Association has named its second interim president since longtime President Carol Bonsaro announced her retirement in October.