

**R12-4-202. Disabled Veteran's License**

- A.** A disabled veteran's license grants all of the hunting and fishing privileges of a Class F combination hunting and fishing license and an urban fishing license.
- B.** An individual meeting the criteria prescribed under A.R.S. § 17-336(A)(2) may apply for a disabled veteran's license. Eligibility for the disabled veteran's license is based on 100% disability, not on the percentage of compensation received by the veteran.
  - 1. An applicant desiring a disabled veteran's license shall apply on an application form furnished by the Department and available at any Department office. The applicant shall provide all of the following information on the application form:
    - a. The applicant's:
      - i. Name;
      - ii. Date of birth;
      - iii. Department identification number;
      - iv. Physical description;
    - b. All physical addresses for the calendar year immediately preceding application;
    - c. Mailing address; and
    - d. The applicant's signature, acknowledged before a Notary Public or witnessed by a Department employee.
  - 2. An applicant shall submit with the application form an original certification from the Department of Veterans' Services. The certification shall include all of the following information:
    - a. The applicant's full name,
    - b. Certification that the applicant is receiving compensation for permanent service-connected disabilities rated as 100% disabling,
    - c. Certification that the 100% rating is permanent and:
      - i. Will not require reevaluation or
      - ii. Will be reevaluated in three years, and
    - d. The signature and title of an agent of the Department of Veterans' Services who issued or approved the certification.
- C.** If the certification required under subsection (B)(2)(c) indicates that the applicant's disability rating of 100% is permanent and:
  - 1. Will not be reevaluated, the disabled veteran's license will not expire.
  - 2. Will be reevaluated in three years, the disabled veteran's license will expire three years from the date of issuance.
- D.** The Department shall deny a disabled veteran's license to an applicant who:
  - 1. Is not eligible for the license,
  - 2. Fails to comply with the requirements of this Section, or
  - 3. Provides false information during the application process.

- E. The Department shall provide written notice to the applicant if the disabled veteran's license is denied. The applicant may appeal the denial to the Commission as prescribed under A.R.S. Title 41, Chapter 6, Article 10.
- F. A disabled veteran's license holder may request a duplicate license if:
  - 1. The license has been lost or destroyed,
  - 2. The license holder submits a written request to the Department for a duplicate license, and
  - 3. The Department has a record that shows a disabled veteran's license was previously issued to that individual.

Authorizing Statute

General: A.R.S. § 17-231(A)(1)

Specific: A.R.S. §§ 17-332(F), 17-333(A)(9), and 17-336(A)(2)

**Historical Note**

Former Section R12-4-66 renumbered, then repealed and readopted as Section R12-4-43 effective February 20, 1981 (Supp. 81-1). Former Section R12-4-43 renumbered as Section R12-4-202 without change effective August 13, 1981 (Supp. 81-4). Amended effective December 31, 1984 (Supp. 84-6). Repealed effective April 28, 1989 (Supp. 89-2). New Section R12-4-202 adopted effective December 22, 1989 (Supp. 89-4). Amended by final rulemaking at 6 A.A.R. 211, effective December 14, 1999 (Supp. 99-4). Amended by final rulemaking at 12 A.A.R. 212, effective March 11, 2006 (Supp. 06-1). Amended by final rulemaking at 18 A.A.R. 1199, effective June 30, 2012.