

THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS WASHINGTON

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MEMORANDUM FOR UNDER SECRETARIES, ASSISTANT SECRETARIES, AND OTHER KEY OFFICIALS

SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority to Convene Administrative Investigations

- 1. **DELEGATION.** This memorandum delegates to the following members of the Interdisciplinary Crisis Response Team (ICRT) authority to convene administrative investigations with regard to matters described in the June 25, 2014, memorandum establishing the ICRT and with regard to any other matter the Chief of Staff may refer to the ICRT:
 - Ms. Leigh Bradley, Special Counsel, Office of General Counsel
 - Mr. Michael Culpepper, Chief Workforce Management and Consulting Officer, Veterans Health Administration
 - Ms. Meghan Flanz, Senior Advisor, Office of General Counsel
- 2. AUTHORITY. 38 United States Code § 5711, 38 Code of Federal Regulations § 0.735-12(b), VA Directive and Handbook 0700.
- **3. RESTRICTIONS.** None. This delegation supersedes all previous delegations of authority that may conflict with this delegation.
- 4. REDELEGATION. None.
- **5. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This delegation of authority is effective upon signature and will expire 2 years after the date delegated unless rescinded prior to that date.

Sloan D. Gibson Acting Secretary