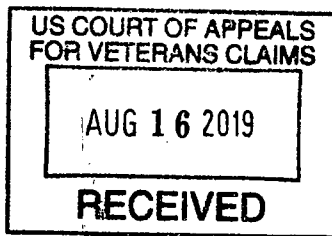


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Docket No: 19-2512

Hyman Humphrey, Appellant

v.

Robert L. Wilkie
Secretary of Veterans Affairs, Appellee

Appellant's Informal Brief

Type or legibly write your answers to each question. If the Court cannot read your handwriting, your brief may be returned to you.

1. If there is more than one issue listed on the first page of that Board decision, which Issue(s) are you appealing?

Please note that if you choose not to list an issue here, the Court might not review that issue.

My appeal was as follows:

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Questions 2 – 6 ask you for information regarding the issues you believe were incorrectly decided by the Board.

2. For each issue(s) you listed in Question 1, did the Board incorrectly state any facts?
Yes X No

If yes, what are the correct facts? Please list the page number(s) from the Record Before the Agency (RBA) that support your argument.

The BVA made finding as follows:

In an Agent Orange program note, dated July 2015, an VA evaluator acknowledged that Agent Orange (AO) and other dioxin contaminated herbicides were (R.) 7

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3. Are there any documents in the Record Before the Agency (RBA) that support your claims?

Yes ____ No X

If yes, what are those documents? Please list the page number(s) in the RBA where they can be found and explain why you think they support your claim.

See Attachment for #2

4. Did VA fail to obtain any documents identified by you or your representative or mentioned in the Record Before the Agency (RBA) when it was gathering evidence for your case?

Yes ____ No X

If yes, list the page number(s) of the RBA that show that these documents exist and explain:

- How each document relates to your claim(s)
- Why each document is important to your case

The Court cannot consider documents that were not before the Board. Also, please do not attach any pages from the RBA.

5. To your knowledge, did the Board fail to apply or misapply any law, case, or regulation?

Yes X No ____

If yes, what is that law, case or regulation and/or how should the Board have applied it?

38 U.S.C. § 5107(b) & 38 C.F.R. 3.303 should have been applied I was entitled to the benefit of the doubt. I was entitled to have my claim decided on "all" the evidence.

6. Do you think that the Board decision is wrong for any other reason(s)?

Yes X No

If yes, what are those reasons(s)? Please list the page number(s) from the Board Before the Agency (RBA) that support your argument.

See Argument at 738.

Finally, Questions 7 – 8 ask you for information that will help the Court process your case:

7. What action do you want this Court to take?

Service connection for Eczema.

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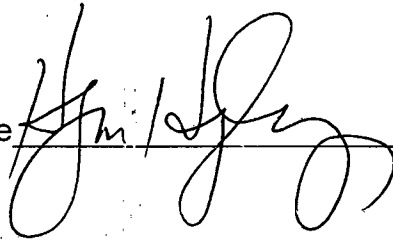
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were sprayed around the perimeter of several Royal Thai Airforce bases, including Udorn during the Veteran's period of service. As a Security Policeman, the Veteran was responsible for patrolling the perimeter of these bases and therefore, exposure to herbicides is presumed. (R.) 7.

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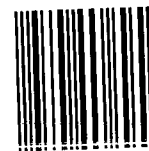
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