

## <u>Information on Fee Waiver for Military Veterans and Active Service Members</u>

Veterans or active service members of the U.S. military do not have to pay the \$725 application fee associated with the N-400. In order to qualify for this waiver, military members should submit:

- Form N-400, Application for Naturalization (Including any additional documents required by N-400)
- Form N-426, Request for Certification of Military or Naval Service
  - Complete sections 1- 4 by providing:
    - Basic background information
    - Enlistment information
    - Information on the dates, branch, and type of service
    - Contact information
  - If the applicant is currently serving in the U.S. armed forces, this form (sections 5 – 8) must be certified by a military official

Each of these documents can be found on the USCIS website.

For veterans, the N-426 form does not need to be certified if the applicant submits a copy of:

• Form DD214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty

OR

• NGB Form 22, National Guard Report of Separation and Record of Service.

If a physical copy is not readily available, an applicant can obtain a copy of either of these documents by logging on to the milConnect website and clicking on the Correspondence/Documentation tab.