



# PETITION

**The American Citizens and Signers of this Formal Petition  
For Just Reconsideration  
Do Hereby Demand  
The Secretary of the Department of Veterans Affairs  
Dennis McDonough  
Personally Read the Entirety of  
*The Toxic Exposure Research Act (TERA),  
Public Law 114-315, Sections 631 through 634***

**And Upon Reading this Law,  
We Further Demand the VA Secretary Read and Understand  
The DVA-contracted Report Issued by NASEM (IOM) Dated 2018,  
*Gulf War and Health, Volume 11:  
Generational Health Effects of Serving in the Gulf War***

**Specifically, the Sections Within the Report that Stipulate  
The Research Mandated by TERA, Public Law 114-315,  
is Both Feasible and Necessary.**

**Most Importantly,  
We Demand the VA Secretary Follow the Specific, Written Intent of  
TERA, Public Law 114-315, and  
Based Upon NASEM's Declaration of Feasibility,  
Certify to Both Veterans Affairs Committees of Congress  
His Understanding of the Research Feasibility,**

**And Certify it is  
His Honorable Intent to Proceed  
With the Specified Research and Implement the Remaining  
Provisions of that Noble Law, as Specified and Intended  
For the Wellbeing Of and For the American People.**

