

INSTANCE OF DISCRIMINATION DETAILS

Applicant's Social Security Number
or Individual Taxpayer ID Number

If there is more than one instance of discrimination, please identify each instance with a number in the box below and at the top of pages 24 through 27. Copy pages 23 through 27 and fill them out and attach for each instance. If you need to attach additional sheets to respond to any question, reference this instance number on the additional pages attached.

Instance Number:

Check here if you have attached additional pages with details for **this** instance.

a. Describe this instance of discrimination by USDA:

(Attach additional sheets as necessary –
reference this instance number on additional pages attached)

**Supporting Documentation
Requests**

Please indicate which of the below documents have been attached to your Application. Select all that apply.

To document your allegations of discrimination, you **may** provide:

- Any documentation you possess of a complaint or assertion of discrimination that was close in time to the events. (e.g. complaint itself or a response to it)
- Communications with the USDA (including FSA), or lending institution that include any discriminatory statements, including any available name, title, or position details of the representatives that made such statements
- Statement under penalty of perjury from a non-family member and how they have knowledge of the discrimination
- Other (please specify the document type or title):

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b. Describe why you think you were eligible for the loan or loan action you requested. (For example, describe your education, farm experience, farm loan history, credit, collateral, how you met the financial requirements or program requirements for obtaining the requested loan or loan action; etc.):

(Attach additional sheets as necessary –
reference this instance number on additional pages attached)

Supporting Documentation Requests

To document your eligibility for the requested loan or loan action, you **may** provide any pertinent documentation, including, for example:

Agricultural education (please specify the document type or title):

Farm work experience (please specify the document type or title)

Farm loan history (please specify the document type or title)

Credit (please specify the document type or title)

Collateral (please specify the document type or title)

Statement under penalty of perjury from a non-family member and how they have knowledge of your eligibility (please specify the document type or title)

Other documents that demonstrate that you met the financial requirements or program requirements for obtaining the requested loan or loan action (please specify the document type or title)

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c. Describe the basis of this discrimination:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> race | <input type="checkbox"/> sexual orientation | <input type="checkbox"/> marital status |
| <input type="checkbox"/> color | <input type="checkbox"/> gender identity | <input type="checkbox"/> disability |
| <input type="checkbox"/> national origin or ethnicity | <input type="checkbox"/> religion | <input type="checkbox"/> reprisal/retaliation for prior civil rights activity |
| <input type="checkbox"/> sex | <input type="checkbox"/> age | |

d. What happened that makes you believe USDA's actions were discriminatory? (For example, something that was said, or how others were treated in similar circumstances, or any other facts that suggest that discrimination occurred.)

(Attach additional sheets as necessary – reference this instance number on additional pages attached)

e. When and where did you experience discrimination?

Date:

Location:

f. What type of location was this? (e.g., county office, farm)

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g. What were the reasons given (if any) for the discriminatory action you are describing?

(Attach additional sheets as necessary – reference this instance number on additional pages attached)

h. Who committed this act of discrimination against you? Please include as much information as you can about the individual(s) involved, including whatever you know about their name, title, position, etc.:

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- i. Did anyone else observe the discrimination or otherwise become aware of the discriminatory action against you?
Please tell us who, and how they learned about this discrimination.

- j. Is there any other information that you feel supports your claim that this instance of discrimination occurred?

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