RESCISSION OF VHA HANDBOOK 1202.01, BIOMEDICAL LABORATORY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (BL&RD) AND CLINICAL SCIENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (CSR&D) SERVICES MERIT REVIEW AWARD PROGRAM PROCESS

1. By direction of the Under Secretary for Health, Veterans Health Administration (VHA) Handbook 1202.01, Biomedical Laboratory Research and Development (BL&RD) and Clinical Science Research and Development (CSR&D) Services, dated November 4, 2008 is rescinded.

2. This VHA Handbook contains procedures that no longer meet the requirements for published national VHA policy and the information has been removed to Program Guide 1202.01 which can be located at http://www.research.va.gov/resources/policies/handbooks.cfm.

3. All inquiries concerning this action should be addressed to the Office of Research and Development (10P9) at 202-443-5600.

4. This VHA Notice will be archived as of February 28, 2018. However, the rescission information will remain in effect.

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