Certification When a Power of Attorney Is Used

"[The undersigned lender] certifies that written evidence in the form of correspondence from the veteran or, if on active military duty, statement of his or her commanding officer (including statement of person authorized to act for said officer), affirmatively indicating that the veteran was alive and, if the veteran is on active military duty, not missing in action status on [date], was examined by [the undersigned] and that the said date is subsequent to the date the note and security instruments were executed on the veteran's behalf by the attorney-in-fact."

Date: _____