

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

BONNIE DANK,

Plaintiff,

v.

**R. JAMES NICHOLSON,
Secretary, U.S. Department of
Veterans Affairs,**

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 05-2463 (ESH)

ORDER

Upon consideration of defendant's Motion to Dismiss or to Transfer and the parties' written submissions related thereto, it is hereby

ORDERED that defendant's Motion to Dismiss is **DENIED**, but the Motion to Transfer is **GRANTED**; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that the case be transferred to the United States District Court for the District of Maryland.

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ELLEN SEGAL HUVELLE
United States District Judge

Date: March 24, 2006