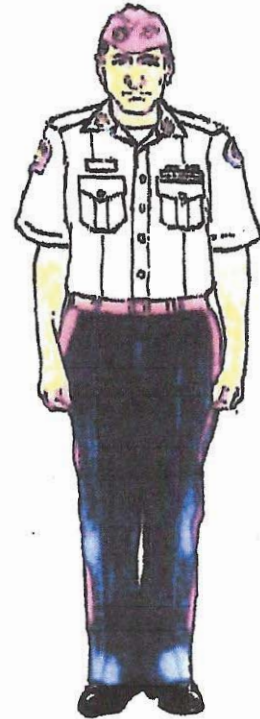


# National Uniform Chairman



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Subj.: **PROPOSED CHANGE TO THE NATIONAL BY-LAWS/ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES  
ENCLOSURE 3 FORMAL DRESS UNIFORM FEMALE**

In accordance with National By-Laws, Article Eight, Section 800 {a} the following is submitted for Consideration by the body assembled at National Convention.

## **ENCLOSURE 3 FORMAL DRESS UNIFORM FEMALE**

### **FORMAL DRESS UNIFORM FEMALE**

- Standard Cover { paragraph V } NOT WORN AT INDOOR FORMAL EVENTS / CEREMONIES.
- Devil Dogs Collar, Marine of the Year Medallion, or Chapel of Four Chaplains Medallion, Legion of Merit, Humanitarian Award or the Bronze Medallion Award may be worn { optional }
- White Shirt, formal { standard collar } pleated front. NO RUFFLES
- Gold cuff links with EGA and gold studs.
- Tie, Women's USMC black neck tab
- Cummerbund, Gold of Gold Vest front { only approved design }
- Skirt, Long Women's USMC Evening Dress Uniform Skirt or Women's Tuxedo Skirt, Black Straight Ankle Length with slit on left side, no higher than bottom of knee cap.
- Skirt, Short Black Straight { length should be 1" to 2" below the knees } when wearing this skirt, it is to be worn with the Red Blazer, White Shirt, Tie, plain black with Marine Corps Gold { enlisted style } or Marine Corps League gold tie bar or Women's USMC Black Neck Tab.
- Marine Corps League Red Evening Dress Jacket, with Marine Corps League Buttons, Gold waist Chain and Sunburst Collar Devices at locating holes in the Jacket Collar. The Red Blazer may be worn as an option to the Red Evening Dress Jacket with the Formal Dress Uniform.
- Lapel Pin{s} { optional } { paragraph III }

- Shoes, black Oxford Patent Leather with Trousers. Patent Leather Flats or Pumps with skirt. Heels for Pumps will measure up to 2" in height.
- Hose, Nylon, black with pumps or socks, black with trousers.
- Earrings, { optional } small white pearl { or pearl like } or Gold ball, not to exceed 9mm. When worn, earrings will fit tight against the ear and will not extend below The ear lobe.
- Miniature Medals, Wings, Badges { paragraph I, II and III }

**OPTIONAL:** If the Red Blazer is worn as an option to the Red Dress Evening Jacket, the Following applies:

- The Marine Corps League Crest is optional { paragraph VII }
- Miniature Medals may be worn per paragraph I, II and III.

**OPTIONAL:** In addition to the Long Black Evening Skirt, the Black Dress Trousers may be worn with the Evening Dress Jacket. The wearer may opt to wear Marine Corps Dress Blue Trousers with NCO Red Stripe. The wearer must wear Military Black Bow Tie in place of the Female USMC Black Neck Tab. { Men's Formal Dress }

**NOTE:** **THE MARINE CORPS DRESS BLUE TROUSERS, OR THE WOMEN'S DRESS BLUE TROUSERS WILL NOT BE WORN WITH THE RED BLAZER AT ANY TIME.**

**Change and add as follows:**

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- **The Medallion presented by the Chapel of Four Chaplains, and Legion of Merit, Humanitarian Award and Bronze Medallion if authorized, may be worn with the RED BLAZER CASUAL UNIFORM & FORMAL DRESS UNIFORM - ONLY**  
**The Military Order of the Devil Dogs Collar may be worn at the OPTION of the wearer.**
- White Shirt, formal { standard collar } pleated front. NO RUFFLES
- Gold cuff links with EGA and gold studs.
- Tie, Women's USMC black neck tab
- Cummerbund, Gold or Gold Vest front { only approved design }
- Skirt, Long Women's USMC Evening Dress Uniform Skirt or Women's Tuxedo Skirt' Black Straight Ankle Length with slit on left side, no higher than bottom of knee cap
- Skirt, Short Black Straight { length should be 1" to 2" below the knees } When wearing this Skirt, it is to be worn with the Red Blazer, White Shirt, Tie, Plain Black with Marine Corps Gold { enlisted } or Marine Corps League Gold Tie Bar or Women's USMC Black Neck Tab.
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- Lapel Pin{s} { optional } } paragraph III }
- Shoes, Black Oxford Patent Leather with Trousers  
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Respectfully Submitted



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