



MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

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From: Glen Barry Evans, PDC
To: National COO
Subj: Proposed Amendment to the National Bylaws

In accordance with ARTICLE EIGHT, SECTION 800 of the National Bylaws, the following amendment is proposed.

Delete the proposed SECTION 1100 of ARTICLE ELEVEN of the proposed National Bylaws and replace it with the SECTION 1100, below.

Section 1100 – Amendments – The National Bylaws and Administrative Procedures and all Enclosures may be revised, amended or repealed as follows:

a. The totality of the National Bylaws and Administrative Procedures may be revised, amended or repealed by a majority vote of the properly registered and approved Delegates present on the floor and voting at the National Convention.

b. The proposed revision, amendment or repeal must be submitted to the Chief Operating Officer at National Headquarters no later than 1 April prior to the National Convention at which said proposal is to be considered. Submission of proposed revisions, amendments or repeals will be in typewritten form, and will be in the exact wording intended. Submission should be sent via Certified U.S. Mail or by other carriers where Certified delivery may be verified, and a Return Receipt may be requested.

c. In addition, the Administrative Procedures and all Enclosures, except Enclosure (3) Uniforms and Enclosure (4) Awards, may be revised, amended or repealed by the National Board of Trustees as may be required. The body at the National Convention may revise, amend or repeal the Administrative Procedures and Enclosures. Changes to the Administrative Procedures and Enclosures made by the body may not be changed until next National Convention unless the Board of Trustees determines that a change is required due to changes in Laws and Regulations.

d. In the event that the National Board of Trustees determines that it is necessary to revise, amend or repeal provisions of the Administrative Procedures and authorized Enclosures in paragraph b. between National Conventions, the Divisions, Departments and Detachments will be notified of the action by the most expeditious means, and must include the justification for the change.

e. The proposed revisions, amendments or repeals will be posted on the MCL National Web Site no later than 1 May prior to the National Convention at which said proposal is to be considered. Any proposed changes that do not meet these requirements will not be considered at the National Convention.

f. Specific instructions on the composition and formatting of proposed revisions, amendments or repeals will be contained in the National Administrative Procedures.

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- RATIONALE:**
- a. This restores the parameters that were in effect prior to 1995 (?).
 - b. Restores some of the parameters omitted in the draft
 - c. Ensures that the Members on the floor have their authority retained.

Semper Fidelis,

Glen Barry Evans

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