



## Department of North Carolina

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**Subj: Proposed Amendment to the National Bylaws/National Administrative Procedures (NBL/NAP), Chapter Six, Section .6015 Installation of Detachment Officers**

In accordance with the Bylaws Article XI, Sections 1100, the following is submitted for consideration by the body assembled at the 2023 National Convention.

### **CURRENT SECTION:**

Section 6015. Installation of Detachment Officers

- a. The Detachment Commandant elect shall select an Installing Officer of his/her choice. Such information shall be forwarded to the Department Commandant.
- b. The Installing Officer must be the National Commandant, an elected National Officer, a Past National Commandant, the Department Commandant, an elected Department Officer, a Past Department Commandant, the outgoing Detachment Commandant or a Past Detachment Commandant. (REV 2021)
- c. It shall be the responsibility of the Installing Officer to sign, date and forward the Report of Officer Installation within the time frame specified in Article IX (9), Section 940 of the National Bylaws. (See Enclosure Five (5) "Report of Officer Installation" Form.)

### **PROPOSED SECTION:**

Section 6015. Installation of Detachment Officers

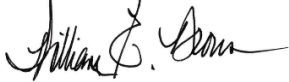
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- b. The Installing Officer must be the National Commandant, an elected National Officer, a Past National Commandant, the Department Commandant, an elected Department Officer, a Past Department Commandant, the outgoing Detachment Commandant or a Past Detachment Commandant. (REV 2021)
- c. It shall be the responsibility of the Installing Officer to sign, date and forward the *Report of Officer Installation--Detachment* form within five (5) days of the installation and submission within the time frame to their respective Department and National Headquarters as specified in NBL Article IX, Section 940. (See NAP Enclosure Six (6) "*Report of Officer Installation--Detachment*" Form.)

**CHANGE RATIONALE:** Section 940 of NBL does not specify a time frame for submission of the *Report of Officer Installation – Detachment* form only that it must be received at National Headquarters by June 30<sup>th</sup> of each year to establish credentials for the National Convention. Five (5) days to submit the form is the same time frame allotted to officers to turnover records and property to their elected or appointed successors

Additionally, the current NAP Enclosure 5 form shown is that of the Department and not the Detachment. Both should be shown to reflect the right form for Department as Enclosure 5 and Detachment as Enclosure 6.

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Respectfully Submitted,



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