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Subj: Proposed amendment to National Administrative Procedures

In accordance with the National Administrative Procedures, Chapter TEN, Section 10020, the following is submitted for consideration by the body assembled at the 2026 National Convention.

IRT: National Administrative Procedures, Enclosure (3) Section X MEDALLIONS, 2025 Edition.

CURRENT:

X. MEDALLIONS

The Marine of the Year or Associate Member of the Year medallion and ribbon (national, division, department or detachment); the Chapel of Four Chaplains Medallion (Legion of Merit, Humanitarian Award, and Bronze Medallion Award); the Chief's Badge of Office, the Past Chief Devil Dog Collar, or the Military Order of Devil Dogs collar, if authorized, may be worn with the RED BLAZER CASUAL UNIFORM, RED BLAZER FORMAL UNIFORM, THE EVENING DRESS UNIFORM, OR THE UNDRRESS UNIFORMS (MALE AND FEMALE). Only one of these devices, medallions, or collars, may be worn at a time at the option of the wearer. NOTE – MEDALLIONS MAY NOT BE WORN WITH ANY OTHER STYLE SHIRT (I.E., POLO, T-SHIRT, OR CIVILIAN DRESS SHIRTS.) (Rev 2022)

PROPOSED:

X. MEDALLIONS & COLLARS

a. Medallions:

The Marine of the Year or Associate Member of the Year medallion and ribbon (national, division, department or detachment);); the Chapel of Four Chaplains Medallion (Legion of Merit, Humanitarian Award, and Bronze Medallion Award); if authorized, may be worn with the RED BLAZER CASUAL UNIFORM, RED BLAZER FORMAL UNIFORM, THE EVENING DRESS UNIFORM, OR THE UNDRRESS UNIFORMS (MALE AND FEMALE).

NOTE – MEDALLIONS MAY NOT BE WORN WITH ANY OTHER STYLE SHIRT (I.E., POLO, T-SHIRT, OR CIVILIAN DRESS SHIRTS.)

b. Collars:

The Chief's Badge of Office, the Past Chief Devil Dog Collar, or the Military Order of Devil Dogs collar, if authorized, may be worn with the RED BLAZER CASUAL UNIFORM, RED BLAZER FORMAL UNIFORM, THE EVENING DRESS UNIFORM, OR THE UNDRESS UNIFORMS (MALE AND FEMALE).

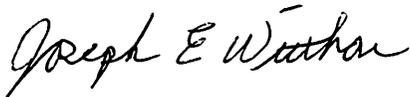
REFERENCE – MODD KENNEL CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

NOTE - Only one of these devices, medallions, or collars, may be worn at a time at the option of the wearer.

Rationale

To clarify for some members the difference between Medallions and Collars. The Chapel of Four Chaplains Medallion, though a tremendous honor to receive, the MCL is not the governing body awarding that honor. The MODD collars are already covered in their constitution and bylaws, therefore should not be referred to as a medallion.

Respectfully Submitted



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