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To: Department JA, Department Adjutant
Subject: Proposed By-Law change, Department of Ohio

Department of Ohio, Article 12, Veterans Affairs Directors, Section 1250, Meetings:

Current:

[Veterans Affairs Directors] Will meet at the call of the Chairman. A meeting must be held at least once between staff meetings and prior to the Convention [minimum of four (4) meetings between conventions].

Proposed:

The Veterans Affairs Directors will meet at the Department Convention and all other Scheduled Department Meetings.

Rationale:

The three (3) Veterans Affairs Directors traditionally reside in remote parts of the state and often are employed. Traveling for extra meetings could be an undue hardship and expense. Also, with modern media of communication, i.e., telephone, email and faxing, face-to-face extra meetings are unnecessary. Plus, in Section 1240 (c), Duties, “A report of expenditures will be provided to the Board of Trustees at each Scheduled Department Meeting”.

Respectfully submitted,

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