

**The American Legion
Department of Nebraska**

RESOLUTION

Resolution No. 222

Subject: NEC/ANEC on DEC

Submitted by: D6, D7, D9, D11

Referred to:

- (1) Constitution & Bylaws CMTE
- (2) DEC

WHEREAS, The National Executive Committeeman and the Alternate National Executive Committeeman are an important link between the National Executive Committee and the Department Executive Committee; and

WHEREAS, There had always been an agreement that the National Executive Committeeman and the Alternate National Executive Committeeman were seated at Department Executive Committee meetings with voice and no vote; and

WHEREAS, For some reason that agreement was broken; and

WHEREAS, At the Department Executive Committee on January 8, 2020 in Kearney, NE a motion was made seconded and passed to seat the National Executive Committeeman and Alternate National Executive Committeeman at Department Executive Committee Meetings with voice and no vote; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By The American Legion, Department of Nebraska, in regular convention assembled in Columbus, Nebraska, on June 23, 24, 25, 26, 2022, That the National Executive Committeeman and Alternate National Executive Committeeman shall have voice but no vote on the Department Executive Committee; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That Article VII Section 1 of the Department Constitution read “The executive and administrative authority of the Department shall be vested in the Department Executive Committee as herein otherwise provided. The Department Executive Committee shall be composed of the Department Commander, the three immediate Past Department Commanders, the Department Senior Vice Commander, the Area Vice Commanders, the District Commanders, the National Executive Committeeman, and the Alternate National Executive Committeeman. All the aforementioned shall have voice and vote except the National Executive Committeeman and Alternate National Executive Committeeman who shall have voice only.”; and, be it finally

RESOLVED, That the last sentence of Article III Section 1 of the Department Bylaws be changed to read “With the exception of the Legislative Committee, the Constitution and Bylaws Committee, and the Distinguished Guest Committee, no member of the Department Executive Committee shall serve on a standing committee.”