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To: Department of North Carolina

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Subject: Proposed amendment to DoNC By-laws
SECTION 135 - QUORUM

In accordance with the Bylaws and Administrative Procedures, Article Eight, Section 800, the following is submitted for consideration by the body assembled at the 2018 North Carolina Department Convention.

BYLAWS
MARINE CORPS LEAGUE
DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA
ARTICLE ONE – DEPARTMENT CONVENTION

SECTION 135 - QUORUM

CURRENT:

SECTION 135 – QUORUM - The minimum number required to transact the regular and legal business at a Department Convention or Staff Meeting shall be one or more Delegates in good standing from a majority of all Detachments present.

PROPOSED CHANGE TO READ:

SECTION 135 – QUORUM - The quorum for the Department Convention shall consist of at least two (2) of the five (5) Department Elected Officer Board of Trustee members and one Delegate from at least 40% of the Department's active Detachments in attendance.

RATIONALE:

This is in keeping with our current Department By-Laws under ARTICLE FOUR, SECTION 435 - QUORUM, for our Department Membership Meeting quorums to identify the need to have at least 40% of the Detachments represented at the Convention. The current reading does not make sense. This proposal corrects that issue.

Respectfully Submitted,

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