

## **DRAFT CBL AMENDMENT PROPOSAL**

**SUBJECT:** Amend AMVETS Sad Sacks Membership Qualifications

**SOURCE:** AMVETS National Sad Sacks

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**WHEREAS,** AMVETS is always seeking to maintain existing members and recruit new members; and

**WHEREAS,** Sad Sacks membership has been declining over the years; and

**WHEREAS,** Sad Sacks goal is to provide Nursing Scholarships and provide members with a fine and honorable way of service; and

**WHEREAS,** AMVETS National Constitution Article XVI, Section 3, states that, "Membership in Sad Sacks shall be limited to AMVET members in good standing", and

**WHEREAS,** The Riders Subordinate Organization is open to members in good standing of AMVETS, AMVETS Ladies Auxiliary and Sons of AMVETS, and

**WHEREAS,** by opening the membership to the AMVETS Ladies Auxiliary and Sons of AMVETS, we can better meet our goals to furnish nursing scholarships; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED,** that the AMVETS National Constitution, Article XVI, Section 3 be amended to read, "Eligibility for membership in the Sad Sacks shall be limited to members in good standing of AMVETS, AMVETS Ladies Auxiliary and Sons of AMVETS", be it further

**RESOLVED,** that the AMVETS National Constitution, Article XV, Section 8 add sentence, "AMVETS Ladies Auxiliary members in good standing are eligible to be members of AMVETS Sad Sacks", and be it further

**RESOLVED,** that The AMVETS National Constitution, Article XX, Section 8 add sentence, "Sons of AMVETS members in good standing are eligible to be members of AMVETS Sad Sacks"

### **COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS**

Constitution and Bylaws:	<input type="checkbox"/> Adopt	<input type="checkbox"/> Amend	<input type="checkbox"/> Reject	<input type="checkbox"/> None
Subordinate Organizations Liaison	<input type="checkbox"/> Adopt	<input type="checkbox"/> Amend	<input type="checkbox"/> Reject	<input type="checkbox"/> None
<b>Floor Action:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Adopt	<input type="checkbox"/> Amend	<input type="checkbox"/> Reject	<input type="checkbox"/> None