

**Military Order of the Purple Heart Auxiliary
San Diego Unit 49**

Resolution No. _____

Date rec'd by Nat'l Secretary _____

Bylaw Committee:

_____ Accept _____ Reject

Convention Action

Resolution: Majority Vote

WHEREAS: Article X – NATIONAL OFFICERS, Voting - Section 6(I)(1) states:

I. Voting strength of the convention is the number of votes tabulated after the rolls have been called.

1. One half (1/2) of that number plus one (1) constitutes a majority, and

WHEREAS: Article X Section 6(I)(1) is the only place in the bylaws where the phrase “one half (1/2) plus one (1)” is used as a voting requirement while the term “majority” is used throughout the remainder of the bylaws, and

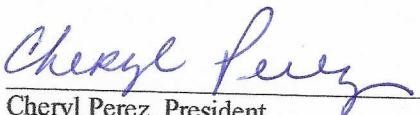
WHEREAS: The phrase “one half (1/2) plus one (1)” is not the customary parliamentary terminology used in bylaws and may create confusion in calculating the number of votes required, and

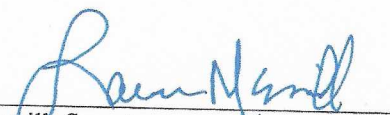
WHEREAS: The term “majority” is the standard parliamentary term recognized in “Robert’s Rules of Order Newly Revised” to mean more than half of the votes cast,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that **ARTICLE X – NATIONAL OFFICERS, Section 6(I)** be amended to read:

I. The voting strength of the convention shall be the number of votes tabulated after the rolls have been called.

1. A majority shall consist of more than one half (1/2) of the votes cast.


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