

THE AMERICAN LEGION DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA
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Department Executive Committee 14-15 January 2023
Anaheim, CA

Department Resolution No. 2023-002

Subject: Renaming the CA Aeronautics and Aerospace Commission

Origin: American Legion Post

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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the use of the term “Aeronautics and Aerospace” does not accurately describe the true nature of the industry, and

WHEREAS, the term “Aeronautics” includes only those technologies dealing with air travel, and

WHEREAS, the term “Aerospace” includes those technologies including both air and space travel, and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Aeronautics and Aerospace is not in line with that of the Aerospace Subcommittee of the National Security Commission of The American Legion, and

WHEREAS, the current purpose of the “Aeronautics and Aerospace Commission” is to: “Promote civilian air activities in the Department, including the building of model airplanes, and if deemed advisable competition among persons so engaged. (Aviation in the military field shall be handled by National Security.) To promote Aerospace research and to keep The American Legion advised of all activity in the field of Aerospace.” Now therefore, be it

RESAOLVED, By The American Legion Department of California at the Department Convention held in Visalia, CA, on June 23-25,2023, that The American Legion, Department of California Bylaws, Article XI – Commission and Committees, Section 6 (e) be changed to read “Aerospace Commission” with its purpose being: “To consider and project the advancement of military and commercial aerospace technologies and programs to include space exploration and research; and, such other purposes as may be assigned to it by the Department Executive Committee.”

This is to certify by the signatures below that the above Resolution was passed as described:

Adjutant, Post

Date

Adjutant, District

Date

Department Commander

Date

Department Adjutant

Date