

RESOLUTION

Resolution No. 2104

Subject Cold War Service Ribbon

Referred to Convention Resolutions Committee

WHEREAS, the United States Military Forces engaged the former Communist Armed Forces Nations from the years of 1945 to the dissolution of the former Soviet Union Empire in 1991; and,

WHEREAS, the United States, during the forty-five-year period, depended upon its manpower from the branches of service from the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and the Coast Guard, who were sworn to protect and defend the United States from hostile Communist aggression; and,

WHEREAS, the success in bringing to the defeat of the former Soviet Union Empire and its former allies from the former Warsaw Pact Nations, constituted a successful victory of the United States Armed Forces since the end of the Second World War; and,

WHEREAS, many members of the Armed Forces of the United States, who had served on active duty, whether being stationed stateside and or in overseas Cold War Zones, have never been properly recognized with an appropriate service ribbon to honor their service to our nation during the Cold War Period; now therefore, let it be

RESOLVED, that the National Organization of the American Legion, call upon the Congress of the United States to establish a Cold War Service Ribbon, or that the President of the United States by the authority of executive order create a Cold War Service Ribbon to recognize the significant contributions of the United States Military personnel to the defense of the United States of America from aggression from the former Communist Nations.

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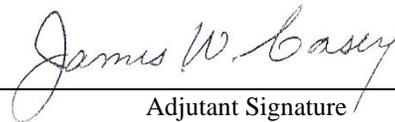
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