DRAFT CBL AMENDMENT 14-06a

SUBJECT: Amend AMVETS National Bylaws – Add new Article - XIX

SOURCE: AMVETS NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS

WHEREAS, the non-profit world is increasingly under scrutiny and the AMVETS Brand is not exempt from such evaluation from individual donors and/or media sensationalists; and

WHEREAS, AMVETS enjoys special tax exemptions that promote the idea of a public trust; and

WHEREAS, the public is entrusting AMVETS staff, officers and members to run our organization successfully, sensibly and ethically for the benefit of veterans and this nation’s citizens; and

WHEREAS, AMVETS must convey our programs/services are effective at accomplishing our mission and run prudently and honestly; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that an additional Article be added to the National Bylaws to convey the importance of this topic; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the new Article XIX should be titled: National Code of Ethics.