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(To be read in the camps and retained in Camp files)

After further discussions regarding the IRS Form 1023 filing requirements mandated by the National Organization with the National Treasurer and conferring with Department Council regarding the actions needed to ensure that all active camps in the Department remain in good standing I have been authorized to act on behalf of the following camps authorizing the National Organization of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War to be included in the application for the group exemption letter.

Those Camps are as follows:

Thomas #19 in Lancaster, PA

Baker-Fisher #101 in Blue Bell, PA

Garfield #34 in Mount Carmel, PA

Washington # 120 in Washington, PA

Crawford #43 in Kittaning, PA

Gore #141 in Sayre, PA

Howell #48 in Northampton, PA

Searfoss # 273 in Bangor, PA

Gennari #90 in Trappe, PA

Eaton Camp #504 in Mercer, PA

If I had not acted for these Camps in allowing them to be included in the group exemption, they would have ceased to exist within the SUVCW organizational structure based on the requirements of the IRS. It is with great reluctance I took this action for these Camps and is not something I take lightly. However, it is something that had to be done to ensure the greater structural continuity of the Order.

So ordered this 9th day of August, 2016,
John S. Frantz, DC, Commanding,
Pennsylvania Department
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Attest:
Rob Koenigsberg, PCC
Pennsylvania Department
Secretary/ Treasurer