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# VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AUXILIARY

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS

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## **OFFICAL RULING – Secretary and Treasurer Assumption of Duties**

**VFW Auxiliary National Bylaw, Article VIII, Sec. 806A-Auxiliary Installation, Sec. 806B-District Installation, and Sec. 806C-Department Installation**, currently state that the Secretary and Treasurer shall begin their duties of their respective offices at the beginning of the new fiscal year. This has presented a conflict in some instances due to the timing of the Department Conventions and the Installation of Officers. Therefore, I am making the following ruling:

If a current Secretary is elected to a conflicting office (e.g., Trustee), following installation, this individual will immediately assume the duties of the new office and the newly appointed Secretary will immediately assume the duties of the office of Secretary.

Similarly,

If a current Treasurer is elected to any office on the same level, following installation, this individual will immediately assume the duties of the newly elected office and the newly elected Treasurer will immediately assume the duties of the office of Treasurer.

By Order of



Brenda Bryant  
National President

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