

106TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 604

AN ACT

To amend the charter of the AMVETS organization.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENTS TO AMVETS CHARTER.**

2 (a) NAME OF ORGANIZATION.—(1) Sections
3 22701(a) and 22706 of title 36, United States Code, are
4 amended by striking “AMVETS (American Veterans of
5 World War II, Korea, and Vietnam)” and inserting
6 “AMVETS (American Veterans)”.

7 (2)(A) The heading of chapter 227 of such title is
8 amended to read as follows:

9 **“CHAPTER 227—AMVETS (AMERICAN**
10 **VETERANS)”.**

11 (B) The item relating to such chapter in the table
12 of chapters at the beginning of subtitle II of such title
13 is amended to read as follows:

“227. AMVETS (AMERICAN VETERANS) 22701”.

14 (b) GOVERNING BODY.—Section 22704(c)(1) of such
15 title is amended by striking “seven national vice com-
16 manders” and all that follows through “a judge advocate,”
17 and inserting “two national vice commanders and six na-
18 tional district commanders, at least one of whom shall be
19 a woman, a finance officer, a judge advocate, a chaplain,”.

20 (c) HEADQUARTERS AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF
21 BUSINESS.—Section 22708 of such title is amended—

22 (1) by striking “the District of Columbia” in
23 the first sentence and inserting “Maryland”; and

- 1 (2) by striking “the District of Columbia” in
- 2 the second sentence and inserting “Maryland”.

Passed the House of Representatives December 15,
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Attest:

Clerk.

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