WHEREAS, Harold E. Thompson Jr., a member from the Detachment of Nebraska, has been an active member of the Sons of The American Legion for over 35 years; and

WHEREAS, Harold’s eligibility comes from his father, Harold E. Thompson, who was killed in action during World War II while serving with the United States Army Air Corps; and

WHEREAS, Harold has been involved in the Sons of The American Legion when his mother was District President and remains a member to “Honor my father for his service and my freedom.” and

WHEREAS, Throughout his membership he has demonstrated selfless commitment and exceptional leadership while serving on various Detachment and National committees, commissions, appointments and offices at all levels of the Sons of The American Legion; and

WHEREAS, He has faithfully and loyaly served the Sons of The American Legion as National Assistant Adjutant since 1989 and his distinguished service has developed many initiatives to streamline the Adjutants function at the National organization; and

WHEREAS, The National Executive Committee of the Sons of The American Legion is desirous of recognizing this outstanding member for his service and achievements, particularly for serving as a National Assistant Adjutant; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the National Executive Committee of the Sons of The American Legion in regular meeting assembled in Indianapolis, Indiana, on May 3-4, 2014, That Harold E. Thompson Jr. (NE) is commended for his long and extraordinary service to the Sons of The American Legion in key leadership positions, particularly as National Assistant Adjutant; and, be it finally

RESOLVED, That Harold E. Thompson Jr. (NE) is hereby appointed National Assistant Adjutant Emeritus in recognition of his 25 years of outstanding service as a distinguished National officer and in this appointed capacity may continue to serve our organization.