

**THIRTY-NINTH NATIONAL CONVENTION
OF
THE AMERICAN LEGION
Indianapolis, Indiana
September 16, 17, 18, 19, 1957**

**Resolution No. 317: Participation of Membership of the American Legion in any
International or World Veterans Organization Opposed**

Origin: Washington

Submitted By: Convention Committee on Credentials and Internal Organization

WHEREAS, The American Legion is an American organization dedicated to the principles stated in the Preamble to The American Legion Constitution and we believe its activities should be strictly limited to said purposes; and

WHEREAS, Any form of membership in any international or world veterans organization is inconsistent with these principles; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By The American Legion in National Convention assembled in Atlantic City, New Jersey, September 16, 17, 18, 19, 1957, That The American Legion is opposed to participation or membership in any international or world veterans organization.