**FORTY-EIGHTH NATIONAL CONVENTION**
**OF**
**THE AMERICAN LEGION**
**Washington, D. C.**
**August 30, 31, September 1, 1966**

**Resolution No. 147: Disposition of Resolutions Reiterating Established American Legion Policy**
**Origin: Indiana**
**Submitted By: Convention Committee on Internal Affairs**

WHEREAS, Each year resolutions duly approved at post and district and department levels, and which advocate positions on national or world affairs already adopted as Legion policy, are submitted to National Conventions for action; and

WHEREAS, While authors of such resolutions might not be aware of the prior adoption due to limited publicity, especially by some press associations, or might feel reiteration of such policy desirable, their offering ought not be discourage but courteously received; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED, By The American Legion in National Convention assembled in Washington, D.C., August 30, 31, September 1, 1966, That when resolutions are received that appear to be in line with and support a position already taken at the national level, the term 'rejected' be not used, but instead that the wording be "received and filed, being already established Legion policy," no further action being needed; and, be it finally**

**RESOLVED, That the term 'rejected' would then be used only when majority vote of a committee or convention indicates that the resolution is not felt acceptable nor desirable.**