NINETY-SECOND NATIONAL CONVENTION
OF
THE AMERICAN LEGION
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
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Resolution No. 39: Prosecute Alledged Terrorists As Enemy Combatants
Origin: Ohio
Submitted by: Convention Committee on National Security

WHEREAS, The United States of America is engaged in a global war on terror; and

WHEREAS, While our adversaries (al Qaeda and the Taliban) are not members of any sovereign nation's military, they are by virtue of their actions alien unprivileged enemy belligerents; and

WHEREAS, Congress has established legislation for the prosecution of detained alien unprivileged enemy belligerents with the passage of the Military Commissions Act of 2009; and

WHEREAS, The adoption of resolution number 169 at the eighty-ninth National Convention affirms The American Legion's support for the war on terror; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By The American Legion in National Convention assembled in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, August 31, September 1, 2, 2010, That the United States Government prosecute all alleged alien unprivileged enemy belligerents in accordance with the Military Commissions Act of 2009; and, be it finally

RESOLVED, That alien unprivileged enemy belligerents prosecuted by The United States government not be afforded the constitutional rights guaranteed to the citizens of The United States of America.