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## Senior Vice Department Commander Vacancy Filled

By the authority vested in me as Commander, Department of Michigan, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, it is hereby ordered as follows:

**Section 1** – Per the SUCVW Constitution & Regulations, CHAPTER II – DEPARTMENTS, Article X – Department Council, Section 1 (d): The Department Council shall fill the unexpired term by a majority vote of the Council any vacancy which may occur in the elected Department office.

**Section 2** – The Department Council has notified this Office that they have filled the vacancy of Senior Vice Department Commander for the remainder of the unexpired 2017-2018 term. The Department Council has named Past Department Commander Dale Aurand to serve as the Senior Vice Department Commander.

**Section 3** – Great appreciation is given to the Department Council and PDC Aurand for their efforts and service to the Department in this matter.

The preceding Department Order is proclaimed this eleventh day of April in the year of our Lord two thousand and eighteen, the one hundred and fifty-second year since the founding of the Grand Army of the Republic, and of the two hundred and forty-first year of Independence of these United States of America.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

/s/

David S. Smith, LM, PCC  
Commander, Department of Michigan  
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ATTEST:

/s/

Richard Denney, PCC  
Secretary, Department of Michigan  
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War