



**SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR**  
**DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN**  
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DEPARTMENT ORDER NO: 16  
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**RE: AMMENDED ORDER**

Brothers, it has come to my attention that Department Order #11 was in violation of our Department Bylaws. Our Department Bylaws require (5) members on the Nominating Committee. With the unfortunate passing of Brother Rick Danes, I needed to add one more member to this Committee.

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.

Brother Gary L. Gibson, PDC will be added to the Nominating Committee.

In addition, I have overlooked appointing the Chair appointment to the Keith G. Harrison Award Committee. I hereby appoint Brother Robert Payne, PDC as (Chair)

In Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty,

Steven S. Martin, PCC Commander, Department of Michigan, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

ATTEST:

/s/

Richard Denney, PCC

Secretary, Department of Michigan, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War