

# Marine Corps League



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## Section 110- Policy

- (a) The supreme power of the Marine Corps League shall be vested always in its membership functioning through delegates at All National Conventions; executive and administrative powers only will be delegated to its Board of Trustees or to individual members of the Marine Corps League.
- (b) The Marine Corps League **shall never take part in any labor or management dispute or issue, and it shall be ever non-sectarian, non-political, and non-partisan; nor shall it be used as a medium of political ambition or preferment nor shall former or present military rank or former or present civilian position be used as a basis for special consideration or preferment.**
- (c) Nothing in the preceding subsection shall prohibit the Marine Corps League or any subdivision thereof, from participating in political issues affecting the welfare of the United States Marine Corps, the national security of our Nation, or any veterans' claims for justice arising from service in the Armed Forces of the United States of American

Be advised that wearing of the Marine Corps League cover or uniform, at political rallies, indicates preference and/or support by the League of a particular candidate. This is forbidden by Section 10 as stated above.