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Currently serving as SAMS' Adjutant (previously Operations Officer). I am also SAMS's National Commander Emeritus (having served over 10 years as National Commander (NC) 5 terms. a past Chairman of the At-large Councilors, developer of the present Patriot format, past Comptroller, author of Bylaws changes that provided for Posts, author of Regulations to promote operational efficiency, and 75th member to join SAMS in at organizational meeting in 1981.

Some activities as a former NC include Incorporating President of the National Capital Tartan Day Committee in Washington DC, and Member National Joint Veterans Organizational Committee for the Bicentennial of the of the Constitution in Philadelphia, PA.

My philosophy on SAMS is the assumption that SAMS National's prime objective is to support the growth and activities of its Posts and its members at-large. As your National Adjutant, I pledge to strengthen and support all efforts making SAMS the veteran's organization it should and can be.

Confirmation: This will confirm my approval and agree to serve as recommendations given for my election to serve as SAMS' Adjutant in the upcoming Membership election (see form attached to original message forwarded). See also photo attached.

(s) Al Ankrum, National Commander Emeritus, 7/25/2024