

THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN

RESOLUTION: 5-09-C
SUBMITTED BY: 7th District of The American Legion, Department of Michigan
SUBJECT: Cold War Inclusion

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The State of Michigan Act 190 of 1965, titled "Uniformity of Service Dates" and subsequent amendments, define veteran as a person who served in the active military force during time of war; and

WHEREAS, Time of war relates to conflicts WWII, Korea, and Vietnam; and

WHEREAS, Hostile acts against the United States having occurred in periods other than those mentioned, e.g. Cold War September 2, 1946 to December 26, 1991; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That Act 190 of 1965 and subsequent amendments define veteran as any person who served in the active military forces of the United States honorably during any period; and, be it

FINALLY RESOLVED, By The American Legion, Department of Michigan, in annual Department Convention, assembled in Lansing, Michigan, June 18-21, 2009, That the phrase "Cold War" be included in the mentioned Act when referring to the period September 2, 1946 to December 26, 1991.