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To: Commandant, Department of Florida
From: Junior Vice Commandant, Department of Florida

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1. In accordance with the reference, the following report is submitted.
2. September 1 Registration: Reports from the 11 District Vice Commandants indicate that though detachments are working hard to register all members by the deadline, there will be a considerable shortfall. It is impossible to tell at this time, but as many as 30-40 % of our members may not be registered in September 1. One of the lingering problems with registration has always been members' going past their registration date and then catching up just before they become a delinquent member. Detachment Commanders will have to develop their own methods of convincing members to "sign on time." The next National roster close out will be 30 September. We should receive the next quarterly roster by the second week of October and, like on the rifle range, we will "readem and weep". Hopefully, with continued emphasis, the delinquency numbers will reside 3 or 4 points lower on average for the Department.
3. Delinquency: Mentioned briefly above, District Vice Commandants are monitoring their detachments for progress on reducing the delinquency average for each unit. There are no new numbers to report at this time.
4. Awards: A review of all awards under the purview of the Junior Vice-Commandant is now underway.

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