

The following proposed By-Laws change is hereby submitted for the 52nd NCO Conference at Camp Shelby, MS.

Article I: Name

As Reads

The name of this Association shall be the Mississippi National Guard NonCommissioned Officers Association, hereinafter referred to as the Association.

Is amended to read:

The name of this Association shall be the Mississippi National Guard Enlisted Association, hereinafter referred to as the Association.

Rationale: Normally, the name of an Organization reflects its membership. For many year the Mississippi National Guard Noncommissioned Officers Association has had membership for anyone in the rank of E-1 through E-9, not just Noncommissioned Officers. I believe that the time has come to change the name of our Association to reflect all enlisted members. Our younger enlisted members in the rank of E4 and below do not feel that they are full members because they are not yet Noncommissioned Officers. Not only will this give them a feeling of being a member, but might encouraged them to be members.

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