

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET

Tracking No. 0357-18

DATE: November 8, 2018

TITLE OF RESOLUTION: AN ACTION RELATING TO NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' AND NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; OVERRIDING THE NAVAJO NATION PRESIDENT'S VETO OF NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL RESOLUTION CO-70-18

PURPOSE: This resolution overrides the President's veto of CO-70-18 which amended the Navajo Veterans Administration and creating a Navajo Veterans Board of Commissioners

This written summary does not address recommended amendments as may be provided by the standing committee. The Office of Legislative Counsel requests each committee member to review the proposed legislation in detail.

5-DAY BILL HOLD PERIOD: None
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Naabik'iyáti' Committee
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Navajo Nation Council

PROPOSED NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL RESOLUTION
23rd NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL—FOURTH YEAR, 2018

INTRODUCED BY



1/7 Rae Allen Begay Jr.
Primary Sponsor

TRACKING NO. 0357-18

AN ACTION

RELATING TO NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' AND NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL;
OVERRIDING THE NAVAJO NATION PRESIDENT'S VETO OF NAVAJO NATION
COUNCIL RESOLUTION CO-70-18

BE IT ENACTED:

Section One. Authority

- A. All resolutions enacting new law or amending existing laws are subject to veto by the President of the Navajo Nation pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 1005(C)(10) and (11) and override by the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 164(A)(17).
- B. A vetoed resolution shall first be submitted to Naabik'iyáti' Committee before consideration by the [Navajo Nation] Council. 2 N.N.C. § 164 (A)(17).
- C. Veto legislation passed by the Navajo Nation Council [is] subject to an override of the veto by two-thirds (2/3) vote of the membership of the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 1005(C)(11).

Section Two. Findings

- A. The Navajo Nation approved an amendment to the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration and Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council established in CJA-3-16 by creating the Navajo Nation Veterans Board of Commissioners in the stead of the Advisory Council See CO-70-18 attached as **Exhibit A**.

- 1 B. The Navajo Nation President vetoed CO-70-18 on November 2, 2018 for the reason that
2 “Resolution No. CO-70-18 is premature as it was drafted and passed by the Navajo Nation
3 Council without input from all five Navajo Nation Agencies. Resolution No. CO-70-18 is
4 divisive (sic) as evidenced by the Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization’s
5 Resolution No. ENV-CVO-010-18 strongly opposing the amendments to 2 N.N.C. §§
6 1031, 1033, 1034 and 1035...” *See* Navajo Nation President’s memorandum dated
7 November 2, 2018 attached as **EXHIBIT B**.
- 8 C. The Navajo Nation President’s veto is “subject to an override...by two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) vote of
9 the membership of the Navajo Nation Council.” 2 N.N.C. § 164 (A)(17).
- 10 D. The Navajo Nation Council finds the override in the Nation’s best interest in supporting
11 Navajo Veterans.
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13 **Section Three. Override**

14 The Navajo Nation Council hereby overrides the Navajo Nation President’s veto of
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CO-70-18

RESOLUTION OF THE
NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

23rd NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL -- Fourth Year, 2018

AN ACT

RELATING TO HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES, LAW AND ORDER
AND NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEES AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL;
AMENDING 2 N.N.C. §§ 1031, 1033, 1034 AND 1035 RELATING TO THE
VETERANS ADVISORY COUNCIL

BE IT ENACTED:

SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- A. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council reviews and recommends resolutions relating to veterans and the Veterans Advisory Council. 2 N.N.C. §§ 400(A), 401 (B)(6)(a) and 1034.
- B. The Law and Order Committee of the Navajo Nation Council reviews and makes recommendations to the Navajo Nation Council proposed amendments to the Navajo Nation Code and possess oversight authority over the Navajo Nation Division of Public Safety. 2 N.N.C. §§ 601 (B)(14) and 601 (C)(1) (2012).
- C. The Naabik'íyáti' Committee of the Navajo Nation Council reviews proposed legislation which requires final action by the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 164 (A)(9).
- D. Enactments of positive law must be reviewed and approved by resolution by the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 164(A).

SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

- A. The Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council was established through Resolution CJA-3-16, attached as **Exhibit A**.
- B. The current Veterans Advisory Council is limited in their authority to properly execute the needs of Navajo veterans.
- C. Supporting resolution by the Fort Defiance Agency Veterans Organization is attached as **Exhibit B**.
- D. Supporting resolution by the Northern Agency Veterans Organization is attached as **Exhibit C**.
- E. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. 1035, amendments to the articles require a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Navajo Nation Council upon recommendation from the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory

Council. See Navajo Veterans Advisory Council Recommendation attached as **Exhibit D**.

- F. It is in the best interest of the Navajo Nation to amend Title 2 of the Navajo Nation Code to change the composition of the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council to a Navajo Nation Veterans Board of Commissioners.

SECTION THREE. AMENDING NAVAJO NATION CODE TITLE 2

The Navajo Nation amends the Navajo Nation Code, Title 2 as follows:

NAVAJO NATION CODE
TITLE 2. NAVAJO NATION GOVERNMENT
CHAPTER 5. EXECUTIVE BRANCH
SUBCHAPTER 1. GENERALLY

ARTICLE 3. NAVAJO NATION VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

§ 1031. Navajo Nation Veterans Administration establishment

- A. The Navajo Nation Veterans Administration is established under the Office of the President and Vice-President of the Navajo Nation. The President of the Navajo Nation, ~~after consultation with the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council,~~ shall retain by contract for a term of six (6) years an Executive Director who shall head the Veterans Administration, upon the selection and continuing recommendation by the Navajo Nation Veterans Board of Commissioners.

ARTICLE 4. NAVAJO NATION VETERANS ~~ADVISORY COUNCIL~~ BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

§ 1033. Navajo Nation Veterans ~~Advisory Council~~ Board of Commissioners Establishment

- A. The Navajo Nation Veterans ~~Advisory Council~~ Board of Commissioners is established under the Executive Branch of the Navajo Nation government with legislative oversight by the Health, Education and Human Services Committee.
- B. The purpose and authority of the Veterans ~~Advisory Council~~ Board of Commissioners is to ~~provide policy advice to~~

recommend and advise the President of the Navajo Nation and the Navajo Nation Council regarding veteran issues and concerns relating to funding, housing, Veterans Administration, policies, regulations, and other issues relating to veterans.

C. Membership, selection, term of office

1. A Navajo Nation Veterans ~~Advisory Council~~ Board of Commissioners is established consisting of eleven ten (10~~1~~) members.
2. The ~~Advisory Council~~ Board of Commissioners shall consist of the ten (10) Agency Veteran Commanders, one (1) female and one (1) male selected by each Agency.
3. All ten (10) as ~~the~~ Commissioners shall be designated voting members. ~~with~~ ~~the~~ Administration Executive Director and a designee from the Blue Star Mothers or Gold Star Mother and disabled veteran acting as a shall be non-voting members of the Commission.
34. The ~~Advisory Council~~ Board of Commissioners shall select from its voting members a Chair and Vice-Chair.
45. Designated members Commissioners shall be Veterans selected and/or removed by their respective Chapter Veteran Organizations, and confirmed by the Health, Education and Human Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council. Commissioners shall be removed upon the recommendation by the Commissioner's respective Chapter Veterans Organization and a vote by the Health, Education and Human Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council.
56. The ~~Council~~ Commissioners shall meet on a quarterly bi-monthly basis and as necessary. Voting members shall receive a meeting stipend, and travel expense reimbursement and budget pursuant to Navajo Nation laws, policies and procedures and budget.
7. The Board of Commissioners shall have a reoccurring budget and technical support for all meetings.

D. Authority of the Board of Commissioners

1. To hire and terminate the Administration Executive Director.

2. To approve the rules, policies and procedures for the Board of Commissioners and the Veterans Administration in accordance with the laws of the Navajo Nation.
3. To recommend to the Health, Education and Human Services Committee and Navajo Nation Council the adoption of legislation appropriate to address the concerns of veterans and veteran affairs.
4. To review and make recommendations for funding and budget matters of the Board of Commissioners and the Veterans Administration.

§ 1034. Oversight

The Navajo Nation authorizes the establishment of the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration and the Navajo Nation Veterans ~~Advisory Council~~ Board of Commissioners. Legislative oversight and confirmation and removal of voting Commissioners shall be provided by the Health, Education and Human Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council, which will have final approval of the respective plans of operation.

§ 1035. Amendments

~~These~~ These Articles may be amended by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Navajo Nation Council upon recommendation from the Navajo Nation Veterans ~~Advisory Council~~ Board of Commissioners.

SECTION FOUR. APPROVAL AND ACCEPTANCE OF AMENDMENTS TO 2 N.N.C. §§ 1031, 1033, 1034 AND 1035 RELATING TO VETERANS AGENCY COUNCIL

The Navajo Nation hereby approves the Amendments to 2 N.N.C. §§ 1031, 1033, 1034 AND 1035.

SECTION FIVE. DIRECTIVE TO AMEND PLANS OF OPERATION

Divisions, departments and programs of which these amendments affect, shall within 90 days of approval of this action amend the respective Plans of Operation to ensure conformity with these amendments.

SECTION SIX. CODIFICATION

The provisions of the Act, which amend or adopt new sections of the Navajo Nation Code, shall be codified by the Office of Legislative Counsel. The Office of Legislative Counsel shall

incorporate such amended provisions in the next codification of the Navajo Nation Code.

SECTION SEVEN. SAVINGS CLAUSE

Should any provision of this Act be determined invalid by the Navajo Nation Supreme Court or the District Courts of the Navajo Nation, without appeal to the Navajo Nation Supreme Court, the remainder of the Act shall remain the law of the Navajo Nation.

SECTION EIGHT. EFFECTIVE DATE

The provisions of this Act shall become effective in accord with 2 N.N.C. § 221(B) and § 1035.

CERTIFICATION

I, hereby, certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting in Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona), at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of 19 in favor and 00 opposed, on this 17th day of October 2018.



LoRenzo C. Bates, Speaker
23rd Navajo Nation Council

10-23-18

Date

Motion: Honorable Alton Joe Shepherd

Second: Honorable Jonathan Perry

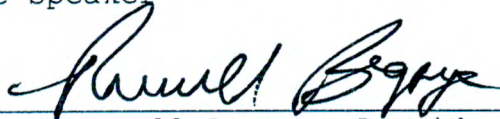
Speaker LoRenzo C. Bates not voting

ACTION BY THE NAVAJO NATION PRESIDENT:

1. I, hereby, sign into law the foregoing legislation, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §1005 (c) (10), on this _____ day of _____ 2018.

Russell Begaye, President
Navajo Nation

2. I, hereby, veto the foregoing legislation, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §1005 (c) (11), on this 2nd day of November 2018 for reason(s) expressed in the attached letter to the Speaker



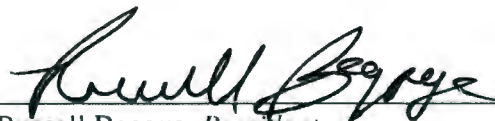
Russell Begaye, President
Navajo Nation



THE NAVAJO NATION RUSSELL BEGAYE **PRESIDENT**
JONATHAN NEZ **VICE PRESIDENT**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable LoRenzo Bates, *Speaker*
23rd Navajo Nation Council

FROM: 
Russell Begaye, *President*
THE NAVAJO NATION

DATE: November 2, 2018

SUBJECT: Resolution No. CO-70-18: AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES, LAW AND ORDER AND NAA'BIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEES AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; AMENDING 2 N.N.C. §§ 1031, 1033, 1034 AND 1035 RELATING TO THE VETERANS ADVISORY COUNCIL

Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 1005(C)(10), action for Resolution No. CO-70-18 is being submitted to the Navajo Nation Council, through the Office of the Speaker, within the ten (10)-day requirement.

After thorough review of Resolution No. CO-70-18, I hereby exercise my veto authority, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 1005(C)(11), to **Resolution No. CO-70-18: An Act Relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Law and Order and Naa'bik'íyáti' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending 2 N.N.C. §§ 1031, 1033, 1034 and 1035 Relating to the Veterans Advisory Council**. The justification for the use of the President's veto authority is set forth below:

Resolution No. CO-70-18 is premature as it was drafted and passed by the Navajo Nation Council without input from all five Navajo Nation Agencies. Resolution No. CO-70-18 is divisive as evidenced by the Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization's Resolution No. ENA-CVO-010-18 (see attachment) strongly opposing the amendments of 2 N.N.C. §§ 1031, 1033, 1034 and 1035, and requesting the Health, Education and Human Services Committee, Law and Order Committee and the Naa'bik'íyáti' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council to oppose the proposed legislation in the best interests of the Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization:

6. Mr. Kee Allen Begay the sponsor of the legislation has not come before us the Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization meeting to orientate the proposed legislation to our (31) Chapters Veterans Organization; and

7. The Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization have observed we do not have all the membership of the Navajo Veterans Advisory Council serving in our Easter[sic] Navajo Agency Veterans Organization best interest.

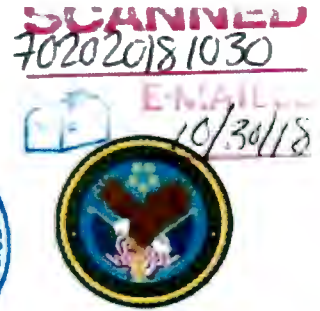
ENA-CVO-010-18

A veteran's advisory body should be one that is unifying and equally representative of all Navajo veterans from all agencies. In order to create an advisory body that is truly representative of all Navajo veterans, it is the firm belief of this Administration that any modifications to the current Veterans Advisory Council shall be done so with the input from veterans from all five agencies. This task should be accomplished through public forums held throughout the Navajo Nation—an opportunity for all Navajo veterans to speak to the potential reorganization of an advisory body tasked with the responsibility of representing their best interests.

For these reasons, I must exercise my veto authority, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §1005(C)(11) to Resolution No. CO-70-18.



Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization
P. O. Box 570
Crownpoint, New Mexico 87313
(Contact Number: 505/786-2030)



George H. Tolth, Commander

Lester Emerson, Vice-Commander

Jerry Whiterock, Secretary/Treasurer

ENA-CVO-010-18

RESOLUTION OF THE EASTERN NAVAJO AGENCY VETERANS ORGANIZATION

THE EASTERN NAVAJO AGENCY VETERANS ORGANIZATION HEREBY STRONGLY OPPOSED THE AMENDING 2 N.N.C. § § 1031, 1033, 1034, AND 1035 RELATING TO THE VETERANS ADVISORY COUNCIL TO CHANGE TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONER. REQUESTING THE HEALTH, EDUCATION & HUMAN SERVICE COMMITTEE, THE LAW AND ORDER AND NAABIK'IYATI' COMMITTEES AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL TO DISAPPROVE THE PROPOSED LEGISLATION 0467-17 THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE NAVAJO NATION VETERANS ADVISORY COUNCIL.

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to CJA - 3- 16, the Health, Education, and Human Services Committee was given oversight responsibilities over the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration and the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council. The committee was further authorized to approve plans of operation for these entities, respectively. 2N.N.C. § 1034.
2. Pursuant to the Health, Education & Human Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Government, the Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization was sanctioned and certified as a sub-division of the Navajo Nation Government to serve in the best interest of the local Navajo people, including Veterans surviving spouses and dependents, and Gold Stars Mothers; and
3. Pursuant to the Navajo Nation Council Resolution CMA- 25-71, the Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization was established, and which also established the Navajo Nation Administration Veterans Affairs within the Executive Branch of the Navajo Nation; and
4. The Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization is comprised of 31 Eastern Agency Navajo Veterans Organizations; and
5. The Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization and family members had their monthly meeting on July 12, 2018 at 8:00 am, at Sky City Casino, Acoma, New Mexico. The Veterans and family members had lengthy of discussion and disagreed with the proposed legislation by amending the Navajo Veterans Advisory Council to Board of Commissioner; and
6. Mr. Kee Allen Begay the sponsor of the legislation has not come before us the Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization meeting to orientate the proposed legislation to our (31) Chapters Veterans Organization; and
7. The Eastern Navajo Agency Chapter Veterans Organization have observed we do not have all the membership of the Navajo Veterans Advisory Council serving in our Easter Navajo Agency Chapter Veterans Organization best interest.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Eastern Navajo Agency Chapter Veterans Organization hereby strongly opposed to amending 2 N.N.C. § 1031, 1033, 1034, and 1035 relating to the Veterans Advisory Council to change to the Board of Commissioner.
2. Therefore, we are requesting the Health, Education & Human Service Committee, the Law and Order and Naabik'iyati' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council to oppose the proposed Legislation 0467-17 in the best interest of the Eastern Navajo Agency Chapter Veterans Organization.

Motioned by: Mr. Willie Norton

Seconded by: Mr. Alvin Brown

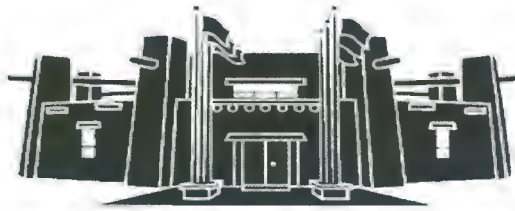
CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was considered by a duly called regular special meeting of the Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization, at Sky City Casino, Acoma, New Mexico (Navajo Nation) at which the same was approved by a vote of **40** in favor, **01** opposed, and **12** abstained on this 12th day of July 2018.

*George H. Tolth, Commander
Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization*

*Lester Emerson, Vice-Commander
Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization*

*Jerry Whiterock, Secretary/Treasurer
Eastern Navajo Agency Veterans Organization*



MEMORANDUM

TO: Hon. Kee Allen Begay
23rd Navajo Nation Council

FROM: 
Levon Henry, Chief Legislative Counsel
Office of Legislative Counsel

DATE: November 8, 2018

SUBJECT: AN ACTION RELATING TO NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' AND NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; OVERRIDING THE NAVAJO NATION PRESIDENT'S VETO OF NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL RESOLUTION CO-70-18

Pursuant to your request, attached is the above-referenced proposed resolution and associated legislative summary sheet. Based on existing law, the resolution as drafted is legally sufficient. However, as with all legislation, it is subject to review by the courts in the event of a challenge. *Please note this legislation requires a two-thirds vote of the membership of Council.*

The Office of Legislative Council confirms the appropriate review is with the Naabik'íyáti' Committee and Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 164, 2 N.N.C. § 1005. Nevertheless, "the Speaker of the Navajo Nation Council shall introduce [the proposed resolution] into the legislative process by assigning it to the respective oversight committee(s) of the Navajo Nation Council having authority over the matters for proper consideration." 2 N.N.C. § 164(A)(5).

Please review the proposed resolution to ensure it is drafted to your satisfaction. If this proposed resolution is acceptable to you, please sign it where it indicates "Prime Sponsor", and submit it to the Office of Legislative Services for the assignment of a tracking number and referral to the Speaker.

If the proposed resolution is unacceptable to you, or if you have further questions, please contact me at the Office of Legislative Counsel and advise me of changes you would like made to the proposed resolution. You may contact me at (928) 871-7166. Thank you.

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THE NAVAJO NATION
LEGISLATIVE BRANCH
INTERNET PUBLIC REVIEW PUBLICATION



LEGISLATION NO: _0357-18__

SPONSOR: Kee Allen Begay Jr.

**TITLE: An Action Relating To NAABIK'IYATI' And Navajo Nation; Overriding
The Navajo Nation President's Veto Of Navajo Nation Council Resolution CO-70-18**

Date posted: November 8, 2018 at 5:06 PM

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**THE NAVAJO NATION
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SPONSOR: Honorable Kce Allen Begay Jr.

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Posted: November 8, 2018 at 5:06 PM

5 DAY Comment Period Ended: November 13, 2018

Digital Comments received:

Comments Supporting	<i>None</i>
Comments Opposing	<i>None</i>
Inconclusive Comment	<i>None</i>



**Legislative Secretary II
Office of Legislative Services**

11/14/2018 8:15am

Date/Time

**THE NAVAJO NATION
LEGISLATIVE BRANCH
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SPONSOR: Honorable Kee Allen Begay Jr.

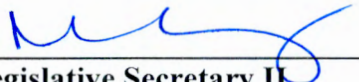
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Comments Supporting	<i>None</i>
Comments Opposing (1)	1. Paul J. George, Commander, Veterans Organization Tse' Daa Kaan Chapter
Inconclusive Comment	<i>None</i>



Legislative Secretary II
Office of Legislative Services

12/7/18 5:02pm

Date/Time

0357-18

pjgeorge@citlink.net

Mon 11/12/2018 8:16 AM

To: comments <comments@navajo-nsn.gov>;

Opposing: Proposed NNC Resolution 0357-18, attempting to override NN President's vote the NNC Resolution CO-70-18 which is to change the Navajo Veterans Advisory Council to Navajo Veterans Board of Commissioners.

1) NNC Resolution CO-70-18 has no substance that will benefit the veterans. The issue is that the Navajo Veterans Advisory Council has not perform their duty to betterment the Navajo Nation Veterans Program.

2) NNC 0357-18 is unnecessary, changing the title only creating addition costs to the NN Budget, and it infringes the Executive authority to manage personnel, in that Veterans Advisory Council wanting to hiring and firing the Navajo Veterans Administration's Executive Director. Executive Director is a professional position. Veterans Advisory Council is the citizen advisor to recommend, advise and overall enlighten the program services.

Paul J. George, Commander
Veterans Organization
Tse' Daa Kaan Chapter
(505) 486-5377

23rd NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE REPORT Fourth Year 2018

The **NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE** to whom has been assigned:

NAVAJO LEGISLATIVE BILL #0357-18

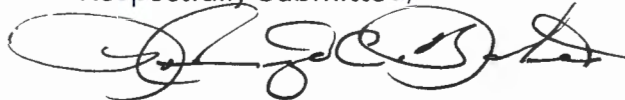
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Sponsored by: Honorable Kee Allen Begay, Jr.

Co-Sponsored by: Honorable Olin Kieyoomia

Has had it under consideration and reports the same that the legislation **WAS PASSED AND REFERRED TO THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL.**

Respectfully Submitted,



*Honorable LoRenzo C. Bates, Chairman
NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE*

29 NOVEMBER 2018

MAIN MOTION

Motioned by: Honorable Alton Joe Shepherd

Seconded by: Honorable Edmund Yazzie

Vote: 10 in Favor, 02 Opposed (Chairman Bates not voting)

NAVAJO NATION

RCS# 1114

Naa'bik'iyati Committee

11/29/2018
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PASSED

MOT Shepherd

Legislation 0357-18, Overriding
the NN President's Veto of NNC
Resolution

SEC Yazzie

Yea : 10

Nay : 2

Excused : 0

Not Voting : 12

Yea : 10

Begay, K
BeGaye, N
Crotty

Filfred
Hale
Perry

Shepherd
Slim

Yazzie
Yellowhair

Nay : 2

Pete

Bennett

Excused : 0

Not Voting : 12

Bates
Begay, NM
Brown

Chee
Damon
Daniels

Jack
Kieyoomia
Phelps

Smith
Tso
Tsosie

23rd NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL ACTION REPORT Fourth Year 2018

The **NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL** to whom has been assigned:

NAVAJO LEGISLATIVE BILL #0357-18

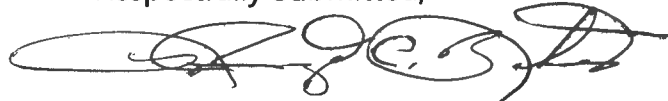
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Sponsored by: Honorable Kee Allen Begay, Jr.

Co-Sponsored by: Honorable Olin Kieyoomia

Has had it under consideration and reports the same **FAILED (NEEDED 16 IN FAVOR VOTES)**

Respectfully Submitted,



Honorable LoRenzo C. Bates, Speaker
NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

20 DECEMBER 2018

MAIN MOTION:

Motioned by: Honorable Alton Joe Shepherd

Seconded by: Honorable Olin Kieyoomia

Vote: 04 in Favor, 11 Opposed (Speaker Bates Not Voting) – Needed 16 In Favor Votes

NAVAJO NATION

RCS# 1363

12/20/2018

Special Session

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Amd# to Amd# Legislation 0357-18: Overriding
MOT Shepherd the Navajo Nation President's
SEC Kieyoomia Veto of Navajo Nation Council
Resolution CO-70-18

FAILED

Yea : 4

Nay : 11

Excused : 0

Not Voting : 9

Yea : 4

Crotty

Begay, K

Kieyoomia

Smith

Nay : 11

BeGaye, N
Bennett
Brown

Chee
Damon
Daniels

Jack
Phelps
Shepherd

Slim
Yellowhair

Excused : 0

Not Voting : 9

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Begay, NM
Filfred

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