

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
153713 .....	36:1019.	Sept. 7, 1962, Pub. L. 87-650, §19, 76 Stat. 506.

Before clause (1), the word “applied” is omitted as included in “distributed” and for consistency in the revised title.

In clause (1), the word “obligations” is omitted as included in “liabilities”, and the word “satisfied” is omitted as included in “discharged”.

In clauses (2) and (3), the words “conveyance” and “conveyed” are omitted as included in “transfer” and “transferred”, respectively.

In clause (3), the word “eleemosynary” is omitted as included in “charitable”.

In clause (5), the words “and all Federal, State, and District of Columbia laws applicable thereto” are omitted as unnecessary.

**CHAPTER 1539—THE NATIONAL YEOMEN (F)**

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AMENDMENTS

2014—Pub. L. 113-237, §3(c)(8)(A), Dec. 18, 2014, 128 Stat. 2840, substituted “YEOMEN (F)” for “YOEMEN F” in chapter heading.

**§ 153901. Organization**

The National Yeomen (F) (in this chapter, the “corporation”) is a body corporate and politic in the District of Columbia.

(Pub. L. 105-225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1431; Pub. L. 113-237, §3(c)(8)(B), Dec. 18, 2014, 128 Stat. 2840.)

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153901 .....	36:139 (words before “for patriotic, historical, and educational purposes”).	June 15, 1936, ch. 546, §1 (words before “for patriotic, historical, and educational purposes”), 49 Stat. 1501.

This section is substituted for the source provision for consistency in the revised title and to eliminate unnecessary and executed words.

AMENDMENTS

2014—Pub. L. 113-237 substituted “Yeomen (F)” for “Yeomen F”.

**§ 153902. Purposes**

The purposes of the corporation are patriotic, historical, and educational and are—

- (1) to foster and perpetuate the memory of the service of Yeomen (F) in the United States Naval Reserve Force of the United States Navy during World War I;
- (2) to preserve the memories and incidents of their association in World War I by the encouragement of historical research concerning the service of Yeomen (F);
- (3) to cherish, maintain, and extend the institutions of American freedom by the promotion of celebrations of all patriotic anniversaries;

(4) to foster true patriotism and love of country; and

(5) to aid in securing for mankind all the blessings of liberty.

(Pub. L. 105-225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1431; Pub. L. 113-237, §3(c)(8)(C), Dec. 18, 2014, 128 Stat. 2841.)

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153902 .....	36:139 (words beginning with “for patriotic, historical, and educational purposes”).	June 15, 1936, ch. 546, §1 (words beginning with “for patriotic, historical, and educational purposes”), 49 Stat. 1506.

In clauses (1) and (2), the term “Yeomen (f)” is used (despite the inconsistency with section 153901 of the revised title) for consistency with section 1 of the Act of June 15, 1936.

In clause (1), the words “World War I” are substituted for “the World War” for clarity.

AMENDMENTS

2014—Pars. (1), (2). Pub. L. 113-237 substituted “Yeomen (F)” for “Yeomen (f)”.

CHANGE OF NAME

References to Naval Reserve, other than references to Naval Reserve regarding the United States Naval Reserve Retired List, deemed to refer to Navy Reserve, see section 515(h) of Pub. L. 109-163, set out as a note under section 10101 of Title 10, Armed Forces.

**§ 153903. Powers**

The corporation may—

- (1) adopt a constitution and bylaws;
- (2) adopt a seal; and
- (3) hold real and personal property in the United States, but only to the extent necessary to carry out the purposes of the corporation and only in an amount not more than \$50,000.

(Pub. L. 105-225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1431.)

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153903 .....	36:139a.	June 15, 1936, ch. 546, §2, 49 Stat. 1506.

In clause (1), the words “not inconsistent with law” are omitted as unnecessary.

**§ 153904. Deposit of historical material**

The Regents of the Smithsonian Institution may permit the corporation to deposit its collections, manuscripts, books, pamphlets, and other material for history in the Smithsonian Institution or in the National Museum, on conditions and under rules they prescribe.

(Pub. L. 105-225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1431.)

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153904 .....	36:139b.	June 15, 1936, ch. 546, §3, 49 Stat. 1506; June 29, 1960, Pub. L. 86-533, (23), 74 Stat. 249.