

2010 SDNGEA RETIRED MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

When you pay your dues to your local SDNGEA (South Dakota National Guard Enlisted Association) Representative, you are not only becoming a member of the State Association, you are becoming a member of EANGUS (Enlisted Association of the National Guard of the United States). EANGUS is the only organization whose primary interest is to represent the enlisted members of the National Guard. EANGUS has had a loud voice in Washington, D.C. working to improve and protect your entitlements and with your continued support EANGUS will continue its strong voice.

In the days of limited budgets, now more than ever our voice is vital for protection of what we already have. That voice can carry with membership. Your membership in the SDNGEA & EANGUS can help us tell members of congress our story and why it's important we keep what we have. Very few members of Congress served in the military, so they need to be educated as to what we do. We need our Legislators to understand our importance to the local communities, the state and, nation.

Your membership provides a voice....but it comes with other benefits. Such as:

- issues of the state publication – The Enlisted ECHO
- issues of the national publication - The New Patriot
- \$1,000 NO COST Accidental Death & Dismemberment Insurance (Dues must be paid before 01 JAN each year)
- Scholarships – both state and national level (self, spouses, children, grandchildren)

Any specific questions you have on the association will be enthusiastically answered by any of the members of the Executive Council. Your Executive Council Representative is listed in The Enlisted ECHO front cover or see you full time unit representative to get information.

I AM A RETIRED MEMBER OF THE ARMY / AIR NATIONAL GUARD OF SOUTH DAKOTA
(Circle One)

NAME: _____ RANK: _____ UNIT: _____
Last, First, MI

ADDRESS: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

ANNUAL DUES: \$14.00

LIFE MEMBERSHIP: 50 - _____ = _____ X \$20.00 = _____ + \$175.00 = _____
(age) (Life Dues)

Check box if you meet the requirements below for "War Veteran" status. NOTE: Per IRS ruling on Sept 01, 2005; War veterans are defined as persons, whether or not present members of the United States Armed Forces (to include Guard and Reserve), who have served in the Armed Forces of the United States during a period of war. Have you served in the South Dakota Army / Air National Guard during one of these periods of service?

A. December 7, 1941, through December 31, 1946;

B. June 27, 1950, through January 31, 1955;

C. February 28, 1961, through May 7, 1975, in the case of a veteran who served in the Republic of Vietnam during this period;

D. August 5, 1964, through May 7, 1975; and

E. August 2, 1990, and ending on a future date prescribed by Presidential Proclamation or by law.

Make checks payable to: SDNGEA

Send to: Jim Poppen, PO Box 938, Pierre, SD 57501-0938

DUES RECEIVED BY: _____