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VETERANS ADVOCACY GROUP NAMES NEW DIRECTOR OF LITIGATION

Louisiana based Military-Veterans Advocacy (MVA) has named attorney Robin Hood as its new director of litigation. Hood, a former rating specialist for the Department of Veterans Affairs, practices Veterans law for the firm of Morgan and Morgan in Jacksonville, Florida.

MVA Chairman of the Board Commander John B. Wells, USN (retired), has been acting as the group's Director of Litigation, among his other duties. Since it was formed in 2012.

"We are lucky to have a Veteran's law expert like Robin joining our organization," Wells said. "We are involved in litigation at all levels, including the Courts of Appeal and the Supreme Court of the United States. It is time to have a director dedicated just to litigation."

MVA, under Wells, won the case of Procopio v. Wilkie, which extended Agent Orange benefits to approximately 90,000 Veterans who served in the bays, harbors and territorial seas of the Republic of Vietnam. The group currently has suits pending to cover veterans who served in Guam, Johnston Island, American Samoa and Thailand.

Mr. Hood embraced his new pro bono position.

"I am honored and humbled to have been selected by MVA to serve as their Director of Litigation," he said. "I am passionate about helping veterans, and this position allows me to take that passion to a new level."

Like his legendary namesake, Hood says that his mission is to fight against the establishment on behalf of the common man.

Hood is married to Dana Hood, a disabled Air Force Veteran.

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