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# ATTESTATION FORM

## FOR MEN OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

SURNAME.....Kennedy.....OFFICIAL NO.....

CHRISTIAN NAMES.....Robert Makin.....~~MARRIED~~ SINGLE or ~~WIDOWER~~

|                                    |  |   |
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| PERMANENT ADDRESS                  |  | RELIGION  |
| 416 Talbot Ave. Winnipeg Manitoba. |  | Presbyterian  |
| DATE OF BIRTH                      | PLACE OF BIRTH                                     | NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN                                   |
| 6th December 1915                  | Town<br>Winnipeg<br>County<br>Manitoba<br>Province | Mother, Margaret Kennedy<br>416 Talbot Ave. Winnipeg<br>Manitoba. |

### PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

| HEIGHT            | CHEST MEASUREMENT    | HAIR                                 | EYES  | COM-<br>PLEXION | WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS |
|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|-------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Feet.....5.....   | Inflated.....37..... | Dark                                 | Brown | Fresh           | Scar on Breast       |
| Inches.....5..... | Deflated.....34..... |                                      |       |                 |                      |
| .....             | Mean.....34 1/2..... |                                      |       |                 |                      |
| DATE OF ENROLMENT | RATING ENROLLING FOR | TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY |       |                 |                      |
|                   |                      |                                      |       |                 |                      |

### (B) DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT

I hereby declare as follows:—

- (1) That I am a British Subject domiciled in Canada.
- (2) That I am desirous of being enrolled as a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, and that I accept and agree to abide by the rules of the said Force.
- (3) That ¶ (a) I have never served, and am not serving in any Naval, Military, Reserve, or Territorial Force.  
                   ¶ (b) I served in.....for the period shown, and attach my record of service, in corroboration of this statement.

¶ Cross out Clause not applicable.

| SERVED IN | RANK | FROM | TO |
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*Noted*

- (c) I have never been rejected from any of His Majesty's Forces on account of unfitness.
- (4) That the particulars contained above are correct and true according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(5) On being enrolled as a member of the Winnipeg Company  
Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, I undertake and bind myself:—

(a) To serve from the date thereof for three consecutive years, being subject to the provisions of the Naval Service Act, and of the Regulations made in pursuance thereof for the government of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, and to the customs and usages of His Majesty's Canadian Naval Service.

(b) To report for active service if called upon in time of war or emergency, and, if called into active service, to serve ashore or afloat as may be directed, according to where my services are required.

(c) To keep in good repair and condition the articles of uniform and any articles of outfit which may be issued to me and to return them to the nearest Company Commanding Officer or to Training Headquarters prior to my discharge or when required so to do by any authorized person, or to pay compensation for any loss or damage thereto other than fair wear and tear; and also not to wear such uniform or outfit (which is and remains the property of the Crown) except when on Naval duty.

Dated this 13 day of December 1935

Signature of applicant R. M. Kennedy



(C) CERTIFICATE OF COMPANY COMMANDING OFFICER

I hereby certify that all the foregoing statements were made by the volunteer above named, in my presence, and that he has made and signed the above declaration in my presence on this 13 day of December 1935

Thomas R. Sturges  
Signature of C. C. O.

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, Robert William Kennedy do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Britannic Majesty.

Signature of Applicant R. M. Kennedy

Witness Thomas R. Sturges

Date 13/12/35 Rank Boat Cook

The Oath of Allegiance may be administered by a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service.

(E) CERTIFICATE OF COMPANY COMMANDING OFFICER

Robert William Kennedy having been duly enrolled to serve in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, I have caused his name and every prescribed particular to be recorded in the Record Book of the Winnipeg Company of the R.C.N.V.R.

Thomas R. Sturges  
Company Commanding Officer.

NOTE—This form when completed and when the particulars on it have been noted in the Company Commanding Officer's Record Book, is to be forwarded to Headquarters, Ottawa, for custody.

The Certificate of medical examination B-207, and certificates of previous service are to be sent to Headquarters, Ottawa, with this form.

Certificates of previous service will be returned after they have been examined at Headquarters, Ottawa.

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OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER

62-K.108

OFFICIAL NUMBER

3230

NAME

KENNEDY

Robert Makin

DATE OF BIRTH

6th December, 1915

(Surname)

(Given Names)

PLACE OF BIRTH

Winnipeg, Man.

OCCUPATION

Paint filler

RELIGION

United

EDUCATION

Grade IX

RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No.

416 Talbot Ave.

Town

Winnipeg

Province, etc.

Manitoba

| ENGAGEMENTS       |       |      |             | DESCRIPTION |       |      |            |                | PREVIOUS SERVICE |                |         |         |
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| Day               | Month | Year |             |             |       |      |            |                |                  |                | From    | To      |
| 3                 | 10    | 38   | Seven years | 5' 5"       | Black | Blue | Fair       |                | RCNVR 9426       |                | 6.12.33 | 2.10.38 |

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil)

NAME (in pencil)

ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No.

Town

Province, etc.

| MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY |       |      |             | EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC. |       |      |                 |                   |       |      |             |
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| Date (in figures)                              |       |      | Particulars | Date (in figures)                |       |      | Particulars     | Date (in figures) |       |      | PARTICULARS |
| Day  | Month | Year |             | Day                              | Month | Year |                 | Day               | Month | Year |             |
|  |       |      |             | 4                                | 10    | 38   | P.P.T. (Good)   |                   |       |      |             |
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|  |       |      |             | 17                               | 7     | 39   | P.S.T. (Good)   |                   |       |      |             |
|  |       |      |             | 10                               | 3     | 39   | Qual. First Aid |                   |       |      |             |
|  |       |      |             | 29                               | 1     | 40   | "Tr"            |                   |       |      |             |

| BADGES, G.C. OR G.S. |       |      |                              | BRIEF PARTICULARS OF WARRANT OR C.M. PUNISHMENTS AND C.P. CHARGES |                       |         |                   |       |      |                              |            |
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| Date (in figures)    |       |      | 1st, 2nd or 3rd G.C. or G.S. | Granted Deprived Restored   | SHIP OR ESTABLISHMENT | Wt. No. | Date (in figures) |       |      | BRIEF PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE | PUNISHMENT |
| Day                  | Month | Year |                              |   |                       |         | Day               | Month | Year |                              |            |

FILM NO. WSR-4641-3  
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| Date (in figures) |       |      | DAYS FORFEITED |       |       |          |          |                |
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| Day               | Month | Year | Prison         | Det'n | Cells | C. Power | W. Trial | In diff. Char. |

Approved to count 159 days RCNVR time towards G.C. Badges

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT

From To

W.S.G.  
APPLICATION  
6065  
RECEIVED

3230

OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME

KENNEDY

(Surname)

Robert Makin

(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER

3230

| Ship or Establishment | Rating     | From |       |      | Remarks                | Character | Efficiency | Date |       |      | Non-Sub. Rating | Qualified |       |      | Re-Qualified |       |      |
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|                       |            | Day  | Month | Year |                        |           |            | Day  | Month | Year |                 | Day       | Month | Year | Day          | Month | Year |
| Naden                 | Ord. Smn.  | 3    | 10    | 38   |                        | V.G.      | Supr.      | 31   | 12    | 38   |                 |           |       |      |              |       |      |
| Fraser                | "          | 5    | 7     | 39   |                        | V.G.      | Sat.       | 31   | 12    | 39   |                 |           |       |      |              |       |      |
|                       | Able Smn.  | 3    | 4     | 40   |                        | V.G.      | Supr.      | 25   | 6     | 40   |                 |           |       |      |              |       |      |
|                       | "          | 25   | 6     | 40   | DEAD--Killed in action |           |            |      |       |      |                 |           |       |      |              |       |      |
|                       | DISCHARGED |      |       |      |                        |           |            |      |       |      |                 |           |       |      |              |       |      |



GENERAL REMARKS

16-4-41 Memorial Cross issued to  
Wife: Mrs. Agnes L. Kennedy  
348 Carlton St.  
Winnipeg, Man.

23-5-41 Memorial Cross issued to  
Mother: Mrs. Margaret Kennedy  
416 Talbot Ave.  
Elmwood, Man.

|               |                 |             |           |                 |            |                            |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|----------------------------|
| DATE OF BIRTH | PLACE           | CIVIL OCCU. | RELL. ED. | PERM. RESIDENCE | PREV. ENL. | RANK OR RATE ON ENLISTMENT |
| DY. MO. YR.   | BIRTH           | MAIN        | SUB       | CITY TOWN       | SERV. DIV. | A B C RANK                 |
| 06            | 15              | 16          | 340       | 0               | 4021606    | 06                         |
| ENLIST. DATE  | ACT. SERV. DATE |             |           |                 |            |                            |
| DY. MO. YR.   | DY. MO. YR.     |             |           |                 |            |                            |
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| SENIORITY     | STR.            | NON-SER.    |           |                 |            |                            |
| DY. MO. YR.   | CAT.            | A B ST.     |           |                 |            |                            |
| 03            | 04              | 40          | 09        |                 |            |                            |
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Department of National Defence  
(NAVAL SERVICE)

Ottawa, Canada,


19th May, 1938.

MEMORANDUM:

The Naval Training Report  
of **Robert Kennedy, A.B.,** O.N. **9426,**  
of the **Winnipeg** Division, R.C.N.V.R. who  
performed Naval Training during Period No. **S. I,**  
notes that he has passed the necessary examination for  
**Acting Seaman Gunner** and is recommended for ~~for~~ **xxx**

It is, therefore, approved  
that he be **rated Acting Seaman Gunner** to date from  
**April 8,** 193**8.**

BY ORDER,

  
(J.O. Cossette),  
Naval Secretary.

*E.W.*  
The Commanding Officer,  
**Winnipeg** Division, R.C.N.V.R.  
**Gertrude Ave. at Osborne St.,**  
**WINNIPEG, Man.**



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Department of National Defence  
Naval Service

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

No. NS. 113-K-62

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OTTAWA, October 1st, 1935.

MEMORANDUM:-

The Naval Training Report  
of Robert E. Kennedy, Ord. Sea..... O. N. 9426  
of the Winnipeg . . . . . Company, R.C.N.V.R.  
who performed Naval Training during Period  
No. XI . . . . . notes that he has passed  
the necessary examination for advancement

to Able Seaman . . . . . and is recommended  
for advancement.

It is therefore approved  
that he be rated Able Seaman . . . . . to date  
from 31st August, 1935.

Noted in Service  
Records by...  
C.W.  
4/10/35

BY ORDER,

(J. O. COSSETTE),  
Naval Secretary.

The Company Commanding Officer,  
R.C. .V.R.  
Gertrude Ave. and Osborne Sts.,  
Winnipeg, Man.

If a copy of this Form is required, Form C.N.S. 1243 is to be used

The corner of this Certificate is to be cut off if the man is discharged with a "Bad" character or with disgrace, or if specially directed by the Department of National Defence (Naval Service). If the corner is cut off, the fact is to be noted in the Ledger.

**CERTIFICATE of the Service of**

*Robert Makin* **KENNEDY.**

**IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY**

*Esquimalt. B.C.*

Official Number *3230*

Date of birth *6<sup>th</sup> December, 1915.*

Nearest known Relative or Friend  
(To be noted in pencil)

Where born { Province *Manitoba.*

Name: *wife*

Town or county *Winnipeg.*

Relationship: *Wife*

Trade brought up to *Paint filler.*

Address:

Religious denomination *United Church.*

*1117 Melville ave*

Date passed swimming test *PPR (Head) 14 Oct. 38 J.P. Hand*

*Victoria B.C.*

Man's signature on discharge to pension } *P.S.T. (Head) 17 July 39 J.P. Hand*

**All Engagements, including N.C.S., to be noted in these Columns**

| Date of actually volunteering | Commencement of time | Period volunteered for | Date of actually volunteering | Commencement of time | Period volunteered for |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| 1. <i>3rd Oct. 1938</i>       |                      | <i>Seven years</i>     | 5.                            |                      |                        |
| 2.                            |                      |                        | 6.                            |                      |                        |
| 3.                            |                      |                        | 7.                            |                      |                        |
| 4.                            |                      |                        | 8.                            |                      |                        |

**Medals, Clasps, Etc.**

| Date received or forfeited | Nature of decoration | Date received or forfeited | Nature of decoration |
|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
|                            |                      |                            |                      |
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|                            |                      |                            |                      |

| Description of Person  | Stature  |          | Chest, In. | Colour of   |             |             | Marks, Wounds and Scars |
|--|----------|----------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|  | Feet     | In.      |            | Hair        | Eyes        | Complexion  |                         |
| On entry as a boy.....   |          |          |            |             |             |             |                         |
| On advancement to man's rating or on entry under 28 years.....     | <i>5</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>34</i>  | <i>Blk.</i> | <i>Blue</i> | <i>Fair</i> |                         |
| On re-entry for C.S. or for Non-C.S. after attaining 28 years..... |          |          |            |             |             |             |                         |
| Further description if necessary.....                              |          |          |            |             |             |             |                         |







Name Robert Makin KENNEDY

Conduct

Second Class for Conduct (inclusive dates)

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*Approved to count 159 days  
R.C.W.V.R. Naval Training  
towards award of G.C. Badges.  
Ns. 62-K-108 of 17 Dec '38*

Good Conduct Badges

| Date | 1st, 2nd, 3rd | Granted, Deprived, Restored |
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Efficiency in Rating—ARTICLE 607—K.R.

3. Definition of Terms—As a guide to Commanding Officers when making their award the following definitions are given of the terms to be used:—

- Superior.....A man who performs his duties with more than average efficiency.
- Satisfactory .....A man who performs his duties with average efficiency.
- “ Sat.
- Moderate.....A man who performs his duties in an efficient manner
- “ Mod. but with less than average efficiency.
- Inferior..... A man who performs his duties in an inefficient manner.
- “ Inferior.

Note.—In these definitions “duties” means the general duties of the substantive rating held, and “average efficiency” means the average efficiency of all men in the Service holding the same substantive rating.

The substantive rating held by the man at the time is to be noted in brackets after each assessment thus: Supr. (A.B.).

| Character | Efficiency in Rating, noting substantive rating in brackets | Whether R.M.G. or not | Date        | Captain's Signature |
|-----------|---|-----------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| V.G.      | Sat. (O.Smn)  |                       | 31 Dec '38  | <i>[Signature]</i>  |
| V.E.      | Sat (O.SMN)   |                       | 31 Dec '39  | <i>[Signature]</i>  |
| V.G.      | Supr (A.B)  |                       | 30 June '40 | <i>[Signature]</i>  |
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Time forfeited

| Date | P, D, C, C.P., W.T. | Number of days |        |
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S. "NADEN", Esquimalt, B. C.

OFFICIAL NO. IF KNOWN  
Space to be left vacant  
if not known

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# CONTINUOUS SERVICE ENGAGEMENT, OR RE-ENGAGEMENT

To be forwarded to the Naval Secretary, Department of National Defence, with Form S. 59

|  |  |   |   |
|--|--|---|---|
| CHRISTIAN AND SURNAME IN FULL<br><b>Robert Makin Kennedy</b> |  | NEXT OF KIN<br>Wife, Agnes Love<br>Name... 348 Carlton St.<br>Address... Winnipeg, Man. | PRESENT RATING<br>Ord. Sea <b>39</b>  |
| DATE OF BIRTH*<br>6th December, 1915                         | PLACE OF BIRTH†<br>Town... <b>Winnipeg</b><br>County...<br>Province... <b>Manitoba</b> |   | NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER<br><b>Commander J.E.W. Oland, D.S.C., RCN.<br/>RCN Barracks<br/>Esquimalt, B. C.</b> |

### Personal Description at the Date of this Document

| Height | Chest           | Hair  | Eyes | Complexion | WOUNDS, SCARS OR MARKS | Religious Denomination | TRADE OR OCCUPATION |
|--------|-----------------|-------|------|------------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 5' 5"  | 36½<br>34<br>35 | Black | Blue | Fair       | Nil                    | United                 | Paint-filler        |

|  |                   |                                       |                   |
|--|-------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement       | 3rd October, 1938 | Period of Engagement or Re-engagement | SEVEN YEARS       |
| Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage | 3rd October, 1938 | Date of entering present ship         | 3rd October, 1938 |

Particulars of former Continuous Service Engagements, if any; but, if none, and the person engaging has had previous Service, the date of his First Entry should be given. If the person has not previously served, write the words "First Entry" here.

If an Engagement is ante-dated for any period, the man's services for such period should be forwarded in to office, with the Engagement, on Form S.—1243.

**First Entry**

### Declaration of Entry or Re-Entry from Shore for Continuous Service

The following questions are to be put by the Commanding Officer to the person about to engage for Continuous Service, whose answers are to be recorded hereon:—

- Are the particulars given above of your name and date and place of birth correct?..... **Yes**
- Are you a British subject?..... **Yes**
- Nationality of parents—Father..... **Scotch**..... Mother..... **Scotch**
- Have you ever served in the Navy, Royal Fleet Reserve, Royal Naval Reserve, Army, Army Reserve, Marines, Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force, or in His Majesty's Indian or Colonial Military Forces, or in the R. C. Mounted Police?..... **Yes. R.C.N.V.R.**
- Do you now belong to the Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force or any Regiment or Corps in His Majesty's Army, or to any established Naval or Army Reserve Force, or to the R. C. Mounted Police?..... **No.**
- Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's service, or discharged from it on that account? If so, state reason of rejection or discharge, and date..... **No.**
- Have you ever been discharged from the Navy, Marines, Army or R. C. Mounted Police on account of misconduct?..... **No.**
- Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?..... **Yes.**
- Can you swim?..... **Yes.**

*Naval Secretary please*

\* When evidence of age is obtained on First Entry, it should be attached to this Form.  
† Foreigners are not to be entered. On the entry of a person born out of the British Empire, it should be ascertained that he is (and in the case of a boy, that his father is) a British Subject, and evidence of the fact should be attached to the "Entry Papers."  
‡ Particulars of service in the Army, Army Reserve, Naval Reserve, Marines, Militia, or H. M. Indian or Colonial Military Forces, or in the Merchant Service should be forwarded in to office with this Engagement. If a member of the Royal Fleet Reserve, the man's Registrar is to be immediately informed of his entry (Royal Fleet Reserve Instructions). If an R.N.R. man, state number of R.V. 2.

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I.—Declaration and Certificate for Men newly entered and Men who have been out of the Service at expiration of their previous C. S. Engagement

I, **Robert Makin Kennedy**, do solemnly declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the answers to the questions overleaf are true, and I do hereby agree to serve honestly and faithfully in the Naval Service of Canada **For the Term of Seven Years** from **October 3rd,** 193**8.** provided my service should be so long required. And I do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty. As witness my hand this **Third** day of **October** 193**8.**

Witness to Signature..... *[Signature]* Man's Signature in full  
*Robert Makin Kennedy*

Attested before me this **Third** day of **M.A.A. October** 193**8.**

*[Signature]* { Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service  
**Lieutenant-Commander, RCN.**  
Date **3rd October,** 193**8.**

This is to certify that we have examined the person named on the other side hereof as to his fitness for the Naval Service of Canada, and we find as follows:—He is of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, free from all physical malformation, active and intelligent; and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

*[Signature]* **COMMANDER, RCN** Commanding Officer.....  
*[Signature]* **CAPTAIN, RCAMC** Medical Officer

II.—Certificate and Declaration for Boys

Date.....193.....

This is to certify that we have examined the boy named on the other side hereof as to his fitness for the Naval Service of Canada, and we find as follows:—He is a well grown, stout, intelligent lad, of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, and free from all physical malformation, and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

The consent of his parents or guardian has been obtained in writing, and they are willing and desirous that the boy should be entered for.....years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till he attains that age.

.....Commanding Officer  
.....Lieutenant  
.....Medical Officer

I declare that to the best of my knowledge or belief the answers to the questions on the other side of this form are true and that I am not indentured as an apprentice.

I am willing to enter and serve in the Naval Service of Canada for.....years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, provided my service should be so long required, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till I attain that age. And I do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

.....Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature.....

Attested before me this.....day of.....193.....

..... { Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

III.—Re-engagement for Continuous Service

To be executed by men who have not been out of the Service since the expiration of their first engagement

The particulars indicated on the other side are also required when this Form is used.

I,....., now serving as a..... on board H. M. C. S....., who on the.....of.....193..... engaged to serve in the Naval Service of Canada for a period of §.....years, do hereby engage to serve for a further period\*\*.....from ††.....193..... provided my services should be so long required.

.....Man's Signature in full  
.....193.....

Witness,.....Commanding Officer

\* Insert "for the term of (number in words) years," or "to complete (number) years for pension," or "until I attain the age of.....years."  
† Insert the date from which the engagement actually commences.  
‡ The document conveying the consent to be attached to this paper. (N.B.—Not required in the case of youths over 17 years of age.)  
§ To be written in words.  
\*\* Insert as follows:—"Of (number) years," or "to complete time for pension," or "until I attain the age of.....years," as the case may be.  
†† Insert the date of commencement of the re-engagement, which must either be coincident with, or (when the re-engagement is ante-dated) earlier than the date of execution.

VERIFICATION FORM  
 CAMPAIGN STARS, DEFENCE MEDAL, WAR MEDAL, C.V.S.  
 NAVAL GENERAL SERVICE MEDAL (1915).

NAME IN FULL *KENNEDY, Robert Malcolm* RANK/RATING *A. D. S.*

| SHIP         | SERVICE        |                |            | AREA        | QUALIFYING PERIOD |    |         |     |
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VERIFICATION FORM

STARS, DEFENCE MEDAL, WAR MEDAL, C.V.S.M. and CLASP.  
 NAVAL GENERAL SERVICE MEDAL (1915).

RANK/RATING ..... *A. D. ...* ..... OFF. NO. *N. 3230* ..... ADDRESS .....

| AREA | QUALIFYING PERIODS IN DAYS |    |         |          |         |                | STARS MEDALS | ✓<br>1<br>2 | ELIGIBLE FOR AWARDS OF |
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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
(Naval Service)

C.N.S. 2417  
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N.S. 815-9-2417

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APPLICATION FOR ENTRY IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

The Naval Secretary,  
Department of National Defence,  
OTTAWA.

Winnipeg, Man. (Place)

Feb 3/38 (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
MAR - 2 1938  
113-K62  
CANADA

SIR:-

I hereby make formal application for entry in the Royal Canadian Navy, under a seven years' continuous service engagement as a Seaman (Insert rating chosen)

I certify that the following particulars are in my own handwriting and are true in every respect:

- Name (to be given in full in Block Letters) ROBERT MAKIN KENNEDY Dec. 6, 1915 cert.
- Date of Birth (Birth Certificate or sworn declaration by parent or guardian must be attached) Dec 6/1915 3/3/38
- Place of Birth. Town Winnipeg, Province Manitoba
- Permanent Place of Residence. No. 416 Street Salbot Ave P2860  
Town Winnipeg, Province Manitoba In. In.
- Are you a British Subject? yes
- How long have you resided in Canada? Twenty-two years
- What is your Mother Tongue? English
- What other language do you speak? none
- Are you of the White Race? yes
- Are you Single, Married or a Widower? Single
- How far advanced educationally are you? Grade 8+9  
(Certificates of School Authorities must be attached)

- What practical experience have you had?  
(Details and certificates from employers, trade credentials, etc., must be attached to substantiate employment reported.)  
Two years with a Paint Company
- Do you belong to any Naval, Military, Air or Police Force? yes
- If so, give details. 4 years + 1 month with R.C.N.V.R.
- Have you ever served in such forces?
- If so, give dates and details.
- Have you ever been discharged from His Majesty's Forces as medically unfit? no
- Have you ever offered to serve in His Majesty's Forces and been rejected? no
- Why?

- Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence?  
(Enclose two character references, one of which must confirm your answer to Question 19) no
- What is your weight? 136 lbs Height 5'5" Chest Measurement (Not inflated) 34 1/2
- Have you ever had fits? no
- Do you suffer from any deformity? no
- Have you suffered the loss of any fingers, toes, etc? no
- Do you suffer from any disease? no
- Do you wear glasses? no
- Are you subject to any disability which might cause your rejection?  
no

27. Give details.

28. Are you willing to be vaccinated and inoculated as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities? yes

Signature of Witness: Regg G.O. Woodh. Signature of Applicant: R. M. Kennedy

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF CANDIDATES UNDER 21 YEARS OLD

I agree to refund to the Department of National Defence the expenses incurred by that Department for transportation to a Naval Base of the above applicant, should he, on arrival at such Base, fail to enrol for seven years' continuous Naval service for reasons which in the opinion of the Department are within his own control. Signed and

Sealed at....., this.....day of....., 19....., in the presence of  
Signature of Witness Signature of Parent or Guardian

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY CANDIDATES OVER 21 YEARS OF AGE

I agree to refund to the Department of National Defence the expenses incurred by that Department for my transportation to a Naval Base, should I, on arrival at such Base, fail to enrol for seven years' continuous Naval service for reasons which in the opinion of the Department are within my own control.

Signed and Sealed at Winnipeg, this 3 day of February, 1938 in the presence of  
Signature of Witness: Regg G.O. Woodh. Signature of Candidate: R. M. Kennedy



DEPT. OF  
NATIONAL DEFENCE  
JAN 14 1937  
N.S. 113-K 62  
CANADA

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**RE-ENROLMENT FORM FOR MEN**  
OF THE  
**ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

SURNAME Kennedy OFFICIAL NO. 9426

CHRISTIAN NAMES Robert Makin MARRIED, SINGLE, OR WIDOWER Single

| DATE OF RE-ENROLMENT | RATING IN WHICH RE-ENROLLING | FORMER PERIODS OF ENROLMENT                                  |
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|                      | <u>Ord Sea</u>               | 1st period from <u>6/12/33</u> 19... to <u>5/12/36</u> 19... |
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*Approved*  
*[Signature]*  
*18.1.37*

**(B) DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT**

(1) I hereby declare that I am desirous of being re-enrolled as a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, and that I accept and agree to abide by the rules of the said Force.

(2) On being re-enrolled as a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, I undertake and bind myself:—

- (a) to serve from the date hereof for three consecutive years, being subject to the provisions of the Naval Service Act, and of the Regulations made in pursuance thereof for the government of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, and to the Customs and usages of His Majesty's Canadian Naval Service.
- (b) To report for active service if called upon in time of war or emergency, and, if called into active service, to serve ashore or afloat as may be directed, according to where my services are required.
- (c) To keep in good repair and condition the articles of uniform and any articles of outfit which may be issued to me and to return them to the nearest Company Commanding Officer or to Training Headquarters prior to my discharge or when required so to do by any authorized person, or to pay compensation for any loss or damage thereto other than fair wear and tear; and also not to wear such uniform or outfit (which is and remains the property of the Crown) except when on Naval duty.

Dated this 13 day of January 1937 193.....

Signature of Applicant R. Kennedy

**(C) CERTIFICATE OF COMPANY COMMANDING OFFICER**

I hereby certify that all the foregoing statements were made by the volunteer above named, in my presence, and that he has made and signed the above declaration in my presence on this 13

day of January 1937 193.....

*[Signature]*  
Lieut-Comdr R.C.N.V.R.  
Signature of C.C.O.



(D)

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

**Robert Makin Kennedy**....., do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Britannic Majesty.

Signature of Applicant *R. Kennedy*.....

Witness *[Signature]*.....

Date ~~6/17/37~~ **13/1/37**.....

Rank **Lieut. R.C.N.V.R.**

The Oath of Allegiance may be administered by any Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service.

(E)

CERTIFICATE OF COMPANY COMMANDING OFFICER

**Robert Makin Kennedy**.....having been duly re-enrolled to serve in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Force, I have caused his name and every prescribed particular to be recorded in the Record Book of this Unit.

*[Signature]*  
**Lieut-Comdr R.C.N.V.R.**  
Company Commanding Officer

NOTE—When this form has been completed and the particulars in it have been noted in the Company Commanding Officer's Record Book, the form is to be forwarded to Headquarters, Ottawa, for custody.

The certificate of medical examination B-207 is to be sent to Headquarters, Ottawa, with this form.

OFFICIAL COPY

NAVAL RADIO

Esquimalt, October 3rd 1938

NS HQ

803 NS 113-K-62 of 7th September. Robert M Kennedy ex V.R. Winnipeg  
desires to enter as Stoker. Request authority to enter as Stoker  
2nd Class if not approved he is willing to enter as Ord. Seaman  
1102/3

C. NADEN

OCT 3 1938  
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N.S. 113-K-62

Via W/T

Ottawa Oct. 3 1938

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C. NADEN  
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Your 1102/3 Robert Kennedy to be entered as Ordinary Seaman  
FULLSTOP Entry Soker Second Class not repetition not  
approved. 1600

Naval Headquarters

Drafted By Recruits

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# QUESTIONNAIRE FOR CANDIDATES

## FOR ENTRY IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

NOV 16 1933  
AS/113-K-62  
CANADA

Name (in full)..... Robert Makin Kennedy

Date and Place of Birth..... Dec 6th 1915 Winnipeg, Manitoba  
(Birth certificate, declaration by parents or affidavit as to date of birth must be attached)

Permanent Place of Residence..... Winnipeg

Nearest Town to Residence (if living in country).....

Are you a British Subject?..... Yes

Are you single, married or a widower?..... Single

In what capacity do you wish to enrol?..... Junior Gunner  
(See standards of qualifications in attached pamphlet)

Present occupation or trade..... None  
(Attach any testimonials or recommendations)

Do you belong to any Naval, Military, Reserve or Territorial Force?..... Sea Cadets

Have you ever served with such forces? Give dates and details..... Yes  
October 1932

Have you ever been discharged from any of H. M. Forces as medically unfit?..... No

Have you ever offered to serve in any of H. M. Forces and been rejected?..... No

What is your weight?..... 134..... What is your height?..... 5ft 5 1/2

What is your chest measurement (not inflated)?..... 34 1/2"

Are you free from all physical defects or malformation, and not subject to fits?..... Yes

Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities?..... Yes

I hereby declare that the above answers are true in every respect.

Robert Makin Kennedy..... Signature

September 11th 33..... Date

416 Talbot Ave...... Address

[Signature]  
.....  
(Witness to Signature)

This is to certify that I have personally seen the birth certificate of this applicant, or a sworn declaration as to his date of birth.

I certify his date of birth, according to legal documentary evidence, to be..... December 6, 1915

Signed..... [Signature]  
.....  
Company Commanding Officer

OK



Department of National Defence

QUOTE NO. NS. 62-K-108

Ottawa, Canada, Dec. 7th, 1938.



MEMORANDUM

With reference to Art. 96 (3) C.N.R.'s, it is approved for Robert M. Kennedy, No. 3230, (formerly Winnipeg Division, R.C.N.V.R.) to count 159 days R.C.N.V.R. Naval Training over the age of 18 years towards Good Conduct Badges.

*Trq off. am*  
*BO. [signature]*  
*Alt-BK [signature]*  
*m-a-a [signature]*

BY ORDER.

(J.O. Cossette)  
Naval Secretary.

The Commander,  
R.C.N. Barracks,  
Esquimalt, B.C.

OFFICIAL COPY  
NAVAL MESSAGE

S. 1320D  
10 Mil.-5-40 (5005)  
N.S. 815-9-1320D

62-K108

To:

MRS. AGNES KENNEDY,  
1117 HILSIDE AVE.,  
VICTORIA, B.C.

From:

NAVAL SERVICE HEADQUARTERS  
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

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THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENCE DEEPLY REGRETS  
TO INFORM YOU THAT YOUR ~~(SON)~~

(HUSBAND) ROBT. MAKIN KENNEDY, A.B.

~~(FATHER)~~

OFFICIAL NUMBER 3230

HAS BEEN KILLED IN ACTION.

28.6.40

\$ 60.00  
reduce to 54.00  
*[Signature]*

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CANADIAN NATIONAL TELEGRAPH

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MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS  
PERSON Morgan (Re-married)  
ENTITLED TO Mrs. Agnes ~~Kennedy~~ - Widow  
ADDRESS: ~~348 Carleton St.,~~ 340 McGee St.,  
WINNIPEG, Man.  
28-2-49

MEMORIAL BAR

DATE DESP  
(1)

REGN. NO 241

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS  
WIDOW Mrs. A. Kennedy  
ADDRESS: 348 Carlton Street  
WINNIPEG, Man.

(2) 16 April 1941

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS  
MOTHER Mrs. H. Kennedy  
ADDRESS: 416 Talbot Avenue  
ELMWOOD, Man.

(3) 23 May 1941



DECEASED 25 June 1940

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

(NAVY)

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WAR SERVICE RECORDS

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| KENNEDY | Robert Makin | N-3230 | A. Smn. | FILE No. |
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| SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS) | CHRISTIAN NAMES | REG. No. | RANK ON DISCHARGE | C.A.S.F. UNIT |
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WAR SERVICE

BADGE

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| (CLASS) | No. | DATE DESPATCHED: |
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ADDRESS:

| CAMPAIGN MEDALS  | REGISTRATION NUMBER AN DATE DESPATCHED  |
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| 1939-45 Star     |  |
| Atlantic Star    |   |
| C.V.S.M. & Clasp |   |
| War Medal        |   |
|                  | 8205  |
|                  |   |
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(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)