

**Annex T**

**ENLISTMENT BONUS AGREEMENT (NON-PRIOR SERVICE WITH GUARANTEED "A" SCHOOL OR PRIOR SERVICE WITH QUALIFYING SKILL)**

**Privacy Act Statement**

**Authority:** Title 37, U.S.C., Section 323

**Purpose:** To provide information necessary for the Approval Authority to determine if applicant meets all requirements to receive an Enlistment Bonus.

**Routine Uses:** For processing activities and Approval Authority to determine if applicant meets all eligibility requirements for the program. Use of SSN is necessary to make positive identification of individual records.

**Disclosure is voluntary:** If the applicant does not provide the information, however, no further action can be taken on the request and all further processing terminates.

An original and three copies of this form shall be prepared. The original will become an annex to the Enlistment/Reenlistment Document, Armed Forces of the United States (DD-4) and will follow the same retention and filing requirements. One copy shall be placed in the Unit PDR (if applicable), one copy shall be mailed to Commander (CG PSC-psd-mr) for electronic imaging into the EI-PDR, and one copy will be given to the enlistee.

Recruiting Office: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Prior to enlisting in the United States Coast Guard and receiving an Enlistment Bonus, I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that:

1. I have been offered an Enlistment Bonus of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to affiliate with the \_\_\_\_\_ rating. In order to affiliate with this rating, I have either been offered a guaranteed Class "A" school or I am a prior service member who is already qualified in the skill/rating in accordance with eligibility criteria established by the Coast Guard.
2. I agree to enlist for a minimum of four (4) years in the rating for which the bonus is paid. Therefore, if I am a prior service member with the qualifying skill or specialty, I will enlist in the eligible rating for at least four years or if I am a non-prior service member, I will be assigned to Class "A" school for the eligible rating identified above.
3. The bonus will be paid in lump sum. If I am a non-prior service member, the Enlistment Bonus will be paid after successful completion of Class "A" school. If I am a prior service member who already has the qualifying skill, the bonus will be paid upon reporting to my first unit assignment.
4. The Commanding Officer of the training center to which the Class "A" school is attached may revoke this guarantee should I fail to progress satisfactorily during Class "A" school. Failure to progress satisfactorily is interpreted to mean failure to complete Class "A" school training in accordance with established schedules due to academic, adaptability, or misconduct reasons. This guarantee is also contingent on my meeting all physical standards applicable for attending the Class "A" school.
5. Should I be convicted of a serious violation of the Uniform Code of Military Justice, this guarantee will be revoked.
6. Should I be disenrolled from the school identified in this statement of understanding for academic failure or misconduct, I will be ineligible to receive the bonus, I will not be guaranteed assignment to another school, and I will be required to complete my four years active duty commitment. If I am disenrolled from the aforementioned school for any of the reasons contained in this statement of understanding, I will not necessarily be precluded from applying for future school assignment per current regulations and policies.
7. I will become ineligible for continued payment of my Enlistment Bonus if I am no longer qualified in, or serving in, the rating identified in paragraph one. Further, all paid but unearned bonus will be recouped in these cases. I will be considered not qualified in the bonus eligible rating when, for any reason within my control:
  - a. I am no longer serving in the rating,
  - b. My rating designator is removed, or
  - c. My current or future assignment in the military specialty is precluded.

8. I understand that if while at training, I go into an overweight status, upon graduation, I will be ineligible for bonus payments until such time I am within published weight standards.
9. Any paid but unearned bonuses shall also be recouped when:
  - a. I am unable to perform the duties of the rating for which the bonus was paid as result of injuries caused by my own fault,
  - b. I am unable to perform the duties of the rating for which the bonus was paid as a result of a loss of security clearance due to my own fault, or
  - c. I refuse to perform the duties of the rating for which the bonus was paid.
10. If I am separated from the active duty Coast Guard, or change ratings, prior to completing the period of service for which the Enlistment Bonus was paid, a prorated share of all paid but unearned bonus shall be recouped except under the following circumstances:
  - a. I am involuntarily discharged for reason of Convenience of the Government in connection with a reduction in force,
  - b. I am separated or retired by reason of physical disability, illness, injury, or other impairment incurred in the line of duty and not due to misconduct,
  - c. I receive a hardship discharge,
  - d. I am discharged early for the purpose of immediate reenlistment, provided the reenlistment is in the eligible rating identified in this statement of understanding and the term of reenlistment is for a period greater than the obligated service remaining to be served for payment of the Enlistment Bonus, or
  - e. I am required to change ratings based on the needs of the Service.

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Signature of Enlisting Officer

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Signature of Enlistee (*full name*)

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Date

Copy: Enlistee  
Commander (CG PSC-psd-mr)