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Candidates for Service Academy Nominations:

I am pleased to learn of your interest in competing for a nomination to a United States Service Academy. I nominate on a competitive basis by selecting ten nominees for each Academy vacancy, and usually I have only one vacancy to fill at each Academy. The Academies then review my nominees and offer appointments to those candidates whom they determine are best qualified to meet the rigorous academic and physical challenges of Academy life. I will have a local review board near your area, and they will assist me in the selection of my nominees and personal interviews in late November.

I rely heavily on records of academic achievements, high school transcripts, SAT scores, athletic participation, involvement in community and school activities that demonstrate leadership potential, and three references.

The Academies require that Members of Congress submit our nominations by January 31st for the class that will enter the following summer. Because of the amount of time needed to evaluate and interview all the candidates, I have established November 1st as the deadline for the return of all applications and requested materials. The exception to this deadline would be any November SAT scores, which will be accepted when received.

All candidates applying through my office for an Academy nomination will be informed of my decision by the end of December. Please feel free to contact my office in Bangor if you have any questions. The phone number is 207-942-6935. If you decide to withdraw your application, please advise me immediately so I can keep all applicants up-to-date.

With warmest regards,



Michael Michaud
Member of Congress

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APPLICATION FOR NOMINATION TO SERVICE ACADEMY
Personal Statement of Applicant

Name _____ Telephone _____
Home Address _____
Town & Zip Code _____ County _____
Mailing Address _____
Social Security Number _____ Date of Birth _____
Parents' or Guardians' Names _____
High School _____
Address of High School _____
Date of Graduation of High School _____
GPA: _____ Rank in Class: _____ in a class of _____ students.

List in order of preference: ___ Air Force ___ Army
 ___ Navy ___ Merchant Marine

Are you seeking a nomination from another source, and if so, which source?

Test Scores: SAT V ___ M ___ Date Taken _____
 SAT V ___ M ___ Date Taken _____
 SAT V ___ M ___ Date Taken _____

Home of record (for military dependents only) _____

REFERENCES:

Please list the names and addresses of three people that will be writing a reference for you. One of these must be from a principal, dean, teacher or guidance counselor at your high school or college. You are responsible for having the references submitted to me, or your file cannot be considered.

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____

Attach a recent photo of yourself, with your name and address printed on the back.

This application should be completed and returned by **November 1** to:

Honorable Michael H. Michaud
Academy Admission Desk
23 Water Street, Suite 205
Bangor, ME 04401

INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES SEEKING
NOMINATIONS TO THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE, MILITARY, NAVAL AND
MERCHANT MARINE ACADEMIES

In order to be considered for a nomination, you must meet the following requirements established by the Academies:

1. YOU MUST BE A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES
2. YOU MUST BE LEGAL RESIDENT OF THE 2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF MAINE.
3. YOU MUST NEVER HAVE BEEN MARRIED IF YOU ARE APPLYING TO THE AIR FORCE, MILITARY, OR NAVAL ACADEMIES. THE MERCHANT MARINE ACADEMY WILL CONSIDER MARRIED APPLICANTS FOR ADMISSION.
4. YOU MUST BE AT LEAST 17, BUT NOT HAVE PASSED YOUR 23RD BIRTHDAY.
5. YOU MUST BE IN EXCELLENT PHYSICAL CONDITION.

In addition, you must submit the following materials to Congressman Michaud's office by November 1:

1. TRANSCRIPT (YOUR SECONDARY ACADEMIC RECORD, INCLUDING ACTUAL OR ESTIMATED CLASS RANK, AND NUMBER OF STUDENTS IN YOUR CLASS).
2. SAT SCORES: (NEEDS TO BE AN OFFICIAL COPY OR CAN BE ON TRANSCRIPT). OUR SAT CODE NUMBER IS 3807.

ACT TEST SCORES ARE CODE 7000 ON THE TEST APPLICATION FORM. YOU WILL BE GIVEN AN ADDITIONAL COPY OF THE TEST SCORES TO SEND TO MY OFFICE.

3. RECOMMENDATION LETTERS
4. PHOTOGRAPH
5. COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM