

ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS

NAVPER 1070/613
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SHIP OR STATION

STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING OF SEAMAN TO ADMIRAL - 21 PROGRAM (NUCLEAR OPTION) REQUIREMENTS

I am volunteering for the Seaman to Admiral - 21 Commissioning Program (STA-21) as a Nuclear Power Officer Candidate. If accepted, I understand that the following requirements apply:

- a. Requirements for a bachelor's degree must be completed in 36 months or less.
- b. Full time student status is required, including school attendance during summer sessions.
- c. Only engineering or technical majors will be authorized. The major will be approved by the Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (DCNO) (Manpower, Personnel, Training, and Education) (N133).
- d. A semester/quarter grade point average (GPA) of less than 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, or grades less than "C" in any technical/math/science classes, may result in academic probation and/or disenrollment.
- e. Grades will be submitted to DCNO (N133) immediately following each semester/quarter of work.
- f. DCNO (N133) may recommend disenrollment for academic reasons or discipline/moral problems (e.g., drug usage, civil convictions, etc.).
- g. If disenrolled for any reason, I will not be allowed to remain in the STA-21 core program.
- h. If not accepted into the Naval Nuclear Propulsion Program as an officer when interviewed by the Director, Naval Nuclear Propulsion, I will be allowed to complete my degree and be commissioned as a non-nuclear unrestricted line officer.
- i. Applications will be restricted to the following Universities:

Auburn University
 University of Arizona
 The Citadel
 University of Idaho
 University of Illinois
 University of Kansas
 University of New Mexico
 North Carolina State University
 Oregon State University

Pennsylvania State University
 Purdue University
 University of South Carolina
 State University of New York, Maritime College
 University of Texas
 University of Utah
 University of Washington
 University of Wisconsin
 Southern University and A&M College

- j. I will receive full pay and allowances for my enlisted pay grade and an education voucher of up to \$10,000 per year, paid to the university by Naval Service Training Command, to supplement costs of tuition, books and other fees incurred. I understand that I will not be eligible for tuition assistance under the Navy's Tuition Assistance Program.
- k. If disenrolled, I will be screened in accordance with MILPERSMAN 1510-030 or OPNAVINST 1221.1 series, as applicable, for return to the Nuclear Propulsion Program in an enlisted status. If deemed unsuitable for active duty, I may be subject to recoupment of all tuition, fees, and books. This obligation remains until I have completed 5 years of active enlisted service following the date I am disenrolled from the program.
- l. An enlistment of six years upon receipt of orders to STA-21(N) is required.
- m. A five-year active duty obligation as a nuclear power officer is incurred upon commissioning.
- n. STA-21(N) students disenrolled prior to completing degree requirements will be obligated for five years of enlisted service from the date of program disenrollment, or the remainder of their enlistment contract, whichever is longer. They will also be subject to recoupment of all tuition, fees and books.
- o. STA-21(N) disenrollees who complete degree requirements but fail to be commissioned will incur a five-year enlisted service obligation from the date of program completion or disenrollment, or will be obligated to serve the remainder of their current enlistment, whichever is longer.
- p. For all STA-21(N) students, regardless of accession source, assignment to the submarine or surface warfare communities upon commissioning will be based on the needs of the Navy. This may be pre-designated by the Nuclear Officer Program Manager such that all students may be assigned either a submarine warfare designator (1170) or a surface warfare designator (1160) based upon Fleet manning requirements.
- q. I currently meet the Navy's physical fitness (minimum of GOOD on the PRT) and height, weight and body fat standards of OPNAVINST 6110.1 series and understand that I am required to remain within these requirements for the duration of the program.
- r. I acknowledge that active service in the STA-21(N) program is not used when determining an officer's retirement eligibility.

Signature/Date of Witnessing Officer

Signature/date of Applicant

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

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