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### ATTESTATION FORM

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(3) On being enrolled as a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, I undertake to bind myself:—

(a) To serve from the date thereof for the duration of hostilities, 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.

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 Divisional Commanding Officer or to Training Head-quarters 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.
(d) To undergo vaccination or re-vaccination, or inoculation, as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities.
Dated this # the day of Dovember 1940
Dated this ## day of Dovember 1940 Signature of applicant Dichardo,
(C) CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER
I hereby certify that all the foregoing statements were made by the volunteer above named, in my
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(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE
I, Donald Richards do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly
declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Britannic Majesty, His heirs and successors according to law.
Signature of Applicant St. Cochardo.
Witness William Mackay
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The Oath of Allegiance may be administered by a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service.

Rank A/Sub Lieur V. K lemp

Date 1100 1411 1940

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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

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R.C.N.V.R. Division

(or other establishment)

NOTE.—This form when completed and when the particulars on it have been noted in the Divisional 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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RICHARDS, Donald

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for

IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY Official Number 1-2589 talifax, T.S. Nearest known Relative or Friend (To be noted in pencil) Date of birth. Where Province. born Town or county Relationship Trade brought up to Address: Religious denomination Date passed swimming test Man's signature on discharge to pension All Engagements, including N.C.S., to be noted in these Columns Date of actually Period volunteered Commencement Date of actually Commencement Period volunteered volunteering of time for volunteering of time 1. 2. 6. 3. 7. Medals, Clasps, Etc.

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(R.C.N. OR RESERVE FORCES)

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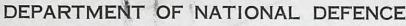
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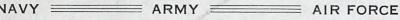
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Officer of Division.

Notes:—(1) This form is to be kept for each rating by the Officer of his Division.
(2) The form is to be completed to date, and signed by the Officer of the Division before the rating changes his Division or Ship.
(3) On a rating changing his Ship or Establishment, Form S. 264 is to be transferred with his other papers for the information of the next Officer of Division.





#### STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY





Donald Patterson

BF

RICHARDS (SURNAME)

REGISTER NO. 13207

FILE NO. 113 V-2589 DATE 20 AUG./45

SERVICE NO. V-2589

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AN NAMES TOHARDS Saint John, N.B.

10 Feb./42 DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE

Yo Feb./48 DATE OF DISCHARGE

FINAL RANK OR RATING

5.59

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A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE 112.50 NO. OF DAYS B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE
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C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE

DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE

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DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE 1/30 OF \$

TOTAL NO. OF DAYS

D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

E. DEDUCTIONS

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PAY AND ALLOWANCES \$
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AND ASSIGNED PAY \$

OTHER DEDUCTIONS

F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE

199.89

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G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS-

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE TO YOU \$\_

TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE \$

I CERTIFY THAT THE AMOUNT HAS BEEN CORRECTLY COMPUTED AND IS PAYABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THE WAR SERVICE GRANTS ACT, 1944 AND THE REGULATIONS ISSUED THEREUNDER.

REPARED BY

TREASURY CHECKED BY

Mrs. Doris J. Richards,

Rothesay, N.B.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to:-

THE ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATES, DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE, OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

and the following number quoted:-

H.Q. N.S. 113-R-616 FD. 329.

### DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE OTTAWA, ONT.

March 10th,

For the purpose of record and in the event of there being any balance of pay, medals or memorials available for distribution (according to law) on account of the

V.A. Donald P. RICHARDS, No. V-2589, RCNVR,

H.M.C.S. "Spikenard".

it is necessary that the requisite information regarding the deceased and his relatives should be furnished on the inside of this form in strict accordance with the printed instructions. The particulars required are to be carefully filled in and the Declaration on the back should then be signed in the presence of a Clergyman, Priest, Local Magistrate, Commissioner for Oaths or Notary Public, who should be asked to complete and sign the Certificate. This form should then be returned to the above address.

> R. Wade) Lieut.Cdr., RCNVR, (L.M. Firth) Major,

Administrator of Estates.

APR 23 1942

M.F.W. 77 5M—9-41 (1669) H.Q. 1772-39-972

for

### ANSWER IN FULL ALL APPLICABLE QUESTIONS

STATEMENT of the Names, Ages and Addresses or Dates of Death, of all the relatives that the ecceased ever had in each of the degrees specified below.

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2	Children of the dates of their	Deceased and Births	Diane Beverley Cichards Donna Patricia Richards Dala Carolyn Richards	6 4 3 " 3 mail	Rothermy 11.13.
3	Father of the D	eceased	Edward Sagon Richards	*5y	Ottawa Federal Dist la
4	Mother of the I	Deceased	Elsie Marion Sicharde	52	Rockinghami 9/28.
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood	Lieux James Richards	24	Middleton
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6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood	Miss Physis Richards	27	Rockingham W.S.
		Half Blood	,		
7	of the full or the h	or sisters (whether alf blood) of the De- ad, and date of death	Names and ages of their children (if any)		Address of their children
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## ONLY IF NO RELATIVES IN THE DEGREES ABOVE ARE NOW LIVING, THE FOLLOWING PARTICULARS SHOULD BE GIVEN

,	_	NAMES OF THOSE LIVING	Age	ADDRESS IN FULL
8	Grand-Parents of the Deceased			
9	Uncles and Aunts by blood of the Deceased (not Uncles and Aunts by marriage)		Age	78 W.A.S. (0.07 J.G 171 (0.07 J.W 20-07 J 1772 - 20-07 J 20-07 J.

### FULL PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

10	What is the full name of the deceased?	Donald Patterson Richard
11	Give the month and year of his birth.	April third, 1912
12	Where and when were his parents married?	St John N.B. Sept et 1910
13	If deceased was married, state place and date of marriage.	St John M.B. April 3 th
14	Did he leave a Will? If so, a copy should be attached hereto.	(no)
15	Did he leave a bank account? If so, give full particulars.	(no)
16	Is there any other estate which will necessitate application being made for Probate of the Will or Letters of Administration of the estate?	
17	State your own postal address in full.	Rotheray M.B.

### PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

18	Where was deceased born?	St John W.B.
19	State, in order, the Province (or State) and country in which the deceased resided and the period of time in each, and in which last.	St John M.S. 16 year Malifax M.S. 13 year
20	What was the nature of his employment?	Commercial Travelar.
21	Did he own the premises in which he lived? If so, where?	(no)
22	Did he ever state verbally, or in writing, where he intended to make his permanent home?	(no)

### OTHER PARTICULARS

23	Did the deceased after enlistment incur any debts for:—		
	(a) His own separate board and lodging while on service. (b) Service clothing and equipment.  An itemized account for each such debt should be attached hereto, and if same is correct you should mark the bill "approved" and sign same. If believed incorrect, give	(no)	· ·
24	Have you or any other relative paid the funeral expenses or any part thereof? If so, attach itemized accounts showing amount paid, and by whom.	Sunk at se	a):
	(Note:—The Government pays funeral expenses within the and burial is made Overseas as well as where death occurs and those expenses the Government will reimburse such relative to the amount of such expenses in excess of those authorized in the Regregiest the service estate of the deceased.)	burial is made in Canada, and he extent of the amount authori	if a relative has already paid zed in the Regulations. Any

#### DECLARATION

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USE SPACE BELOW FOR ANY ADDITIONAL REMARKS YOU MAY WISH TO MAKE

Edward Sajon Richards, Step-Father of Donald Patterson Richards. (legally adopted)

NATIONAL DEFENSE

### ACCOUNTS OF MEN DISCHARGED

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Account of the Balance of Wages, the Sale of Clothes and Effects and the other Credits of Men Discharged to the Shore, D. D. or Run

Who* Was Discharged Dead on the 10 th Februa	ry. P. M19.4
Net sum due on ledger on account of Wages	. \$
Proceeds of sale of Effects charged against Wages, brought from the other side	3
Cash— Proceeds of sale of Effects, paid for in Cash, brought from the other side	
Found amongst Effects	
Debts collected §	
Cash debited in the Accountant Officer's Cash Acct	
If in debt in ledger, amount to be stated (in red ink)	10.
Rate of allotment (in words) Seventy- Seven Dollars arged to 28	th
Name of ship from which transferred HMCS "SPIKENARD"	42
Total† Debtor	10.
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We hereby certify that we have every reason to believe that the above a	ccount contain
true statement of all wages, Effects, and other Credits or Debts on the Ledger	of
HMCS "SPIKENARD" amounting to a net balance† Debtor	······································
of Ten dollar Ninety-Nine -	
Dated on board H.M.C.S. AVALON at St.	John!s,
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\*State whether discharged on shore, D.D. or Run.

§Subscription for Charitable or other purposes should not be shown hereon, but on a Remittance List, and dealt with as laid down in the King's Regulations.

C.N.S. 46

10m-10-40 (7450) H.Q. N.S. 815-9-45

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When the effects are those of an Officer, this statement is to be signed by two of his messmates; when they are those of a Petty Officer, Seaman or Boy, it is to be signed by the Executive Officer and by the Master at Arms or a Ship's Corporal.



### Department of National Defence Naval Service

No. N.S. 113-R-616.

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Ottawa, Canada.

February 25, 1942.

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Sir:

In accordance with Naval Order No. 839, it is notified for your information that the following casualty in the Naval Forces of Canada has been reported:

NAME, RANK/RATING

PLACE, DATE & CAUSE of DEATH

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RICHARDS, Donald P. Victualling Assistant, V-2589, R.C.N.V.R.

High Seas. 10 February, 1942. Missing, presumed lost on Active Service. He was serving in H.M.C.S. "SPIKENARD" which was torpedoed and sunk.

Wife: Mrs. Doris J. Richards, R.R. #1, ROTHESAY, N.B.

ALLOTMENTS IN FORCE

In favour of:

Mrs. Doris Richards, R.R. #1. Rothesay, N.B. (Wife) Amount

\$77.00

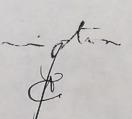
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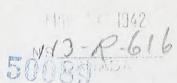
Yours truly,

SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

.Administrator of Estates,
Estates Branch,
Department of National Defence,
OTTAWA.



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# APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT OF MARRIAGE ALLOWANCE

List and Number in Ledger	List and Number in Ledger NAME		No.	Rank or Rating	Official No.	Daily Rate of Pay	
AVALON for SPIKENARD 12-2/109	Surname RICH DONAL Christian Names	DP.		V.A.	V-2589	1.95 / 1.25 M.A.	
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Surname RICHARDS  MRS. DORIS J.  Christian Names			Rothesay,  New Brunswick.				
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- (1) All applications for Marriage Allowance must be supported by Certificate of Marriage, Birth Certificates in the case of children, or other unimpeachable evidences as to marriage, birth or guardianship.
- (2) The Allotment should be equivalent to the nearest dollar of 15 days' pay of rank or rating, and the Marriage Allowance based on a thirty day month.

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### MEMORANDUM

### TO - ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATES

Donald P. Richards, S.A., O.No. V-2589 D.D. 10 February, 1942 - H.M.C.S. "SPIKENARD"

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The Service Estate of the above named is now ready for disposal.

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7 (1) Report of death at folio 53.

- (2) Balance of wages, per form C.N.S. 46, is \$10.99 Debtor Balance. It is requested that this amount be considered as a first charge against the Service Estate of rating.
- (3) Service Certificate not on hand.
- (4) No record of a Will

(5) Funeral expenses - Nil

(6) Allotment stopped last payment made
February 28, 1942 \$77.00 to Mrs. Doris Richards (wife).

(V. Barbes) Superintendent of Naval Pay Accounting.

CHECKED BY

OTTAWA, April 20, 1942.

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Chor STOP NOTICE

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(Navy Allotments)

LIST NUMBER	ALLOTTOR'S SURNAME	CHRISTIAN NAME	RANK OR OFF. No
AVALON for "SPIKENARD"			
12-21109	RICHARDS	Donald P.	V.A. V-2589
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#### PARTICULARS OF ALLOTMENT BEING STOPPED

RATE PER MONTH	DATE (Inclusive to which) Allotment is to be paid	NAME OF ALLOTTEE	RELATIONSHIP TO ALLOTTOR	ADDRESS
77.00	28 th February 1942.	Mrs. Doris Richard	is Wife	R.R. no.1. Rothesay, N.B.
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Not. Available D.D. Signature of Allottor

#### Cause of Stoppage

(When an Allotment in favour of an Allottee, on whose account M.A. is credited has to be stopped, information regarding the stoppage of M.A. should be also inserted here.)

Discharged Dead to #D te 11th February 1942

THE CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

(Naval Service)

Ottawa, Canada

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Accountant Officer

H.M.C.S. AVALON

Date forwarded.....

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#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR ACCOUNTANT OFFICERS

When an Officer or Rating has two or more allotments in force they are not to be combined but treated as two or more allotments, and therefore Stop Notices should be dealt with accordingly.

A Stop Notice form should be filled out immediately an allotment has to be stopped, numbered consecutively and despatched at once to Headquarters.

A night-letter giving the Stop Notice number and other required particulars should be sent when it is impossible to forward this form in time to reach Headquarters by the 16th of the month.

This night-letter should be immediately confirmed by a Stop Notice form.

Canadian Allotments, if any, of R.N. ranks or ratings returning to R. N. should be stopped and debited prior to discharge.

Allotments continue to be paid by Headquarters until a Stop Notice is received. A Stop Notice should, therefore, be sent whenever an allotment has to be discontinued for reasons such as discharge, etc.

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February 20, 1942.

AIR MAIL

Memorandum:

With reference to Naval Service

Headquarter's Memorandum N.S. 30-17-1 of the 5th

November, 1941, you are informed with regret (casualty has )

that the following (casualties have) been reported

to the Next-of-kin in your area:

RANK/RATING & OFFICIAL NO.	NAME & ADDRESS OF NEXT-OF-KIN.
Stoker I, V-2408, R.C.N.V.R.	Wife: Mrs. Alice Helena Connor, 83 Ludlow Street, ST. JOHN, West, N.B.
Stoker I, V-2412, R.C.N.V.R.	Father: Mr. William J. Seaman, 90 Somerset Street, ST. JOHN, N.B.
V.A., V-2589, R.C.N.V.R.	Wife: Mrs. Doris J. Richards, R.R. No. I, ROTHESAY, N.B.
	Stoker I, V-2408, R.C.N.V.R.  Stoker I, V-2412, R.C.N.V.R.

Cause of Death: Loss of H.M.C.S. "SPIKENARD" on 10 February, 1942.

By Order,

SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

The Commanding Officer,
H.M.C.S. "BRUNSWICKER",
McPartland Building,
221 Prince William Street,
ST. JOHN, N.B.

AIR MAIL

19th February, 1942

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Dear Madam:

It is with deepest regret that I must confirm the telegram of the 18th February from the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services informing you that your husband, Donald Paterson Richards, Victualling Assistant, R.C.N.V.R., O.N. V.2589, is missing and must be presumed lost on Active Service.

Your husband was serving in H. M. C. S. "SPIKENARD" which was torpedoed and sunk by enemy action on the 10th February, 1942. Details of the action are not, however, available at this time.

The possibility of your husband having been rescued by other ships-cannot be estimated but it has been established that he was not among the survivors landed at a United Kingdom port and very little hope is held out for the survival of the remainder. You will be informed immediately should any further information be received.

I wish to express the sincere sympathy of the Chief of the Naval Staff, Officers and men of the Royal Canadian Navy, the high traditions of which your husband has helped to maintain.

Yours sincerely,

PUN SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

Mrs. Doris J. Richards, R. R. 1, ROTHESAY, N.B. BREET BEILE

CAPTAIN IN CHARGE H M C DOCKYARD

HALIFAX, N.S.

To:

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### NAVAL MESSAGE

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From:

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YOUR SUBMISSION FILE C.C.22-2-5 DATED 9TH JULY, D.P. RIGHARDS,
V.A., O. NO. V-2559 WHILE ON ACTIVE SERVICE AT ST. JOHN DIVISION
R.C.N.V.R. DECLARED IN FAVOUR OF AMERICAN CLOTHING HOUSE ALLOTMENT
OF \$5.00 EFFECTIVE DECEMBER. DECEMBER ALLOTMENT CHARGED ON
HEADQUARTERS LEDGERS. RATING TRANSFERRED STADACONA IN DECEMBER.
NO RECOVERY OF THIS ALLOTMENT HAS BEEN EFFECTED FROM JANUARY,
1941. TO ADJUST \$30.00 ARREARS FROM JANUARY TO JUNE INCL. TO BE
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WHETHER RATING WISHES PAYMENT OF ALLOTMENT CONTINUED.

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