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 CANADA

# ATTESTATION FORM

(HOSTILITIES FORM)

FOR MEN OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

P 19635

SURNAME ROBINSON OFFICIAL NO. 22987  
 CHRISTIAN NAMES ELWIN MARRIED, SINGLE OR WIDOWER SINGLE

PERMANENT ADDRESS		RELIGION
213 Grenadier Rd., Toronto, Ont.		Anglican.
DATE OF BIRTH	*PLACE OF BIRTH	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
17 July '18	Town Saskatoon, County Province Saskatchewan.	Mother: Mrs. Daisy Bolton, Fergus, Ontario.
*Original Nationality of:		
Father		
Mother		

\*If not the son of natural born British parents, particulars to be given at foot of next page.

## PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

HEIGHT	CHEST MEASUREMENT	HAIR	EYES	COMPLEXION	WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS
Feet..... 6	Inflated..... 38	Fair	Brown	Fair	None.
Inches..... 2 1/4	Deflated..... 34				
Mean.....	36				
DATE OF ENROLMENT	RATING ENROLLING FOR	TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY			
20 Jan. '41	Ord. Sea. Toronto, Ont.	Operator: National Steel Car Co., Malton, Ontario.			
R.C.N.V.R. Division (or other establishment) at which enrolled.....					

## (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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(c) I have never been rejected for or discharged 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.

TO	
Personnel Records Division.	
1. Noted in Records	<i>[Signature]</i>
2. Index Card	
3. Non-Sup. Card	
4. Statistical Card	
5. Roneo Strip	
6. Pension Card	<i>[Signature]</i>
7. ....	
8. ....	
DATE	25-2-41

(3) On being enrolled as a member of the Toronto, Ont. Division of  
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.

(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 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.

(d) To undergo vaccination or re-vaccination, or inoculation, as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities.

Dated this 20th day of Jan. '41

Signature of applicant Elwin Robinson

(C) CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING 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 20th day of Jan. '41

R. G. Judge  
Signature of and rank of Attesting Officer.  
LIEUTENANT R. C. N. V. R.

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, ELWIN ROBINSON 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 Elwin Robinson

Witness R. G. Judge

Date 20 Jan. '41 Rank LIEUTENANT R. C. N. V. R.

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

(E) CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER

ELWIN ROBINSON 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          Division of the R.C.N.V.R. or in the appropriate official documents.

R. G. Judge  
Attesting Officer.  
LIEUTENANT R. C. N. V. R.  
R.C.N.V.R. Division  
(or other establishment)

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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.

V22987

OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER 113-R-764

OFFICIAL NUMBER V22987

NAME ROBINSON Elwin DATE OF BIRTH 17th July, 1918  
 (Surname) (Given Names)  
 PLACE OF BIRTH Saskatoon, Sask. OCCUPATION Operator  
 RELIGION C. of E. EDUCATION \_\_\_\_\_  
 RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. 213 Grenadier Road Town Toronto Province, etc. Ont.

ENGAGEMENTS				DESCRIPTION					PREVIOUS SERVICE			
Date (in figures)			Period	Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates	
Day	Month	Year									From	To
20	1	41	H.O.	6'2 $\frac{1}{4}$	Fair	Brown	Fair	Nil.				

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) Mother NAME (in pencil) Mrs. Madala Bolton  
 ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 67 Cambridge St. Town Toronto Province, etc. Ont.

MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY				EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC.								
Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			PARTICULARS	
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year		
				20	12	41	Qualified for Tel.					

BADGES, G.C. OR G.S.				BRIEF PARTICULARS OF WARRANT OR C.M. PUNISHMENTS AND C.P. CHARGES								
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			

Date (in figures)			DAYS FORFEITED						O.H.F. Received.	
Day	Month	Year	Prison	Det'n	Cells	C. Power	W. Trial	In diff. Char.	Last Will & Testament Dated 13-6-41 Received.	

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT

From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

H.Q. 35-15M-10-41 (2177)  
N.S. 815-7-35

W.S.G.  
APPLICATION  
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V22987

OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME ROBINSON  
(Surname)

Elwin  
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER

V22987

Ship or Establishment	Rating	From			Remarks	Character	Efficiency	Date			Non-Sub. Rating	Qualified			Re-Qualified		
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
TORONTO Div. Str.	Ord. Smn.	20	1	41		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	41							
Duty Div. Hdqts.	" "	1	5	41		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	42							
Stadacona	" "	17	6	41		V.G.	Sat.	6	2	43							
"	Ord. Tel.	2	8	41													
St. Hyacinthe	" "	25	10	41													
Venture	" "	30	12	41													
Protector	" "	3	1	42													
Louisburg	" "	8	1	42													
	Tel.	29	1	42	Rated. (249A/22085)												
DISCHARGED	"	6	2	43	Missing, presumed killed in action. per casualty list.												

GENERAL REMARKS

Awarded Canadian Memorial Cross to:-  
 Mother:- Mrs. Melita Bolton,  
 67 Cambridge Ave.,  
 Toronto, Ont.  
 20 March, 1943.

DATE OF BIRTH			PLACE		CIVIL OCCU.		RESIDENCE		PREV. ENL.		RANK OR RATE	
BY	MO	YR.	BIRTH	MAIN	SUB	CTY.	TOWN	SERV.	DIV.	A	OR	RANK
17	7	18	19	399	X	30	X	56	19	0	23	0 08 95
ENLIST. DATE			ACT. SERV. DATE		STR.		DATE		SHIP		RANK OR RATE	
BY	MO	YR.	BY	MO	YR.	CAT.	BY	YR.	ESTAB.	A	OR	RANK
20	01	41	01	05	41				2160	0	12	94
SENIORITY			STR.		NON-SUB		DATE		CODED		CHECKED	
BY	MO	YR.	CAT.	A	B	C	BY	YR.				
29	01	42	09				20	06-02-43				

RGNVR Jun.43 "LOUISBURG"

**MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL**

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS

PERSON

ENTITLED TO Mrs. Melita Bolton - Mother -Benef.

ADDRESS: ~~67 Cambridge Ave.,~~ 849 Broadview Ave.,  
TORONTO, Ont.

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

ADDRESS:

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER Mrs. Melita Bolton

ADDRESS: 67 Cambridge Ave., Toronto, Ont.

**MEMORIAL BAR**

(1)  
DATE DESP .....

REGN. NO .....

2/30

(2)

(3)

20-3-43

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

NAVY

D.D.  
WAR SERVICE RECORDS

ROBINSON	Elwin	V-22987	Tel.	FILE No.
SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT

WAR SERVICE

BADGE

(CLASS)	No.	DATE DESPATCHED:
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ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AND DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	3887 15.10.49
Atlantic Star	
Africa Star & Clasp	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)



VERIFICATION FORM  
 MEDAL, WAR MEDAL, C.V.S.M. and CLASP.  
 GENERAL SERVICE MEDAL (1915).

REG. NO. *761* OFF. NO. *V-22987* ADDRESS .....

QUALIFYING PERIODS IN DAYS

FROM	TO	1939-45	ATLANTIC	DEFENCE	CLASP C.V.S.M.	1915 MEDAL	STARS	✓	ELIGIBLE FOR AWARDS OF
							MEDALS	1 2	
							1939-45	1	<i>Star</i>
							ATLANTIC	1	<i>Star</i>
							FRANCE G.		
							AFRICA	2	<i>+ clasp</i>
							PACIFIC		
							BURMA		
							ITALY		
							DEFENCE		
							C.V.S.M.	2	<i>+ clasp</i>
							" CLASP		
							WAR 1945	1	<i>medal</i>
							WAR 1915		

VERIFIED BY *[Signature]* .....

*[Signature]*

DIR. OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.



File Number. 113-R-764

SERVICE

NAME: *Robinson, Edwin.*

O.N. *422987*

PRESENT RANK/RATING: *Telegraphist.*

DATE TAKEN ON ACTIVE SERVICE: *1.5.41.*

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SERVICE

SHIP OR ESTABLISHMENT

From

To

<i>Stadacona</i>	<i>17.6.41.</i>	<i>24.10.41.</i>
<i>St. Hyacinthe</i>	<i>25.10.41.</i>	<i>29.12.41.</i>
<i>Venture</i>	<i>30.12.41.</i>	<i>2.1.42.</i>
<i>Protector</i>	<i>3.1.42.</i>	<i>7.1.42.</i>
<i>Louisburg</i>	<i>8.1.42.</i>	

*Canada & High Seas  
JRM 15.2.43*

WILL: *Dated. 13.6.41.*

NAME & ADDRESS OF  
NEXT OF KIN:

*Mother:  
Mrs. Melita Balton,  
67 Cambridge Avenue.,  
Toronto, Ontario.*

~~DISCHARGED PREVIOUSLY?~~

~~REASON:~~

~~DATE:~~

Initialled by: *J. Ferguson* Date: *15/2/43*

Section: *4 R.C.N.V.R.*

Naval Personnel Records.

(TO BE COMPLETED IN INK.)

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20th March, 1943.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that according to official information Elwin Robinson, Telegraphist, Official Number V-22987, Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, is missing, presumed killed in action to date the 6th of February, 1943, when the ship in which he was serving was sunk by enemy action Overseas.

  
DEPUTY SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD. 

113-R-764  
#816  
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Six copies to be rendered to Naval Service Headquarters

REPORT OF THE DEATH OF AN OFFICER, MAN OR BOY

H.M.C.S. "NIOBE" (LOUISBURG) at 94143

Name ROBINSON, Elwin  
(Christian names in full)

Rank of Rating Telegraphist Official No. V-22987  
(If unknown, date of first entry)

Place of Birth Saskatoon, Sask. Date of Birth 17th July, 1918

Occupation in Civil Life Operator Religion Anglican

Number of years service in the Navy (Long Service R.C.N., or mobilized service in case of R.C.N. (Temporary) or Reserve ratings) Two years.

Date of Death 6th February, 1943 Place of Death At Sea.

Cause of Death Loss of ship due to enemy action.  
(If due to accident, violence, or enemy action, particulars to be stated briefly)

Nearest known relative or friend { Name Daisy Bolton Relationship mother  
Address Fergus, Ontario.

Date on which the above was informed by Ship Informed by N.S.H.Q.

Date on which death was registered with local Officials

In the case of Imperial Service men, whether Active Service, Pensioner or Reserve, date on which the prescribed return was rendered to the Registrar General in London, Edinburgh or Dublin, according to Nationality

Place of Burial (if known) Date of Burial (if known)

Location, Number, etc., of grave (if known)

Undertaker employed (if any)

If borne for discipline only, date D.S.Q. or invalidated

*H. Kugley* Commander, R.C.N.,  
Commanding Officer,

10th March, 1943

The NAVAL SECRETARY,  
Department of National Defence,  
Ottawa, Canada.

In all cases this Form is to be sent in addition to the Report by Telegraph required by the Regulations.

Distribution: File, Imp. W. G. Com., Dom. Stat., Register.

C.N.S. 1121  
15M-7-40 (5849)  
N.S. 815-9-1121

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