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Chief Scout Executive
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Dear Chief Scout Executive:

I am pleased to advise you of a U.S. Coast Guard enlistment program that authorizes the advanced pay grade enlistment of active and qualified members of the Sea Scouts who are high school graduates. Instead of enlisting as a Seaman Recruit (pay grade E-1), a currently qualified Able Seaman Sea Scout may be enlisted as a Seaman Apprentice (E-2), and a currently qualified Quartermaster Sea Scout may be enlisted as a Seaman (E-3).

I think your members will find this an attractive enlistment option, and I believe the Coast Guard will benefit by enlisting highly qualified, motivated, and mature individuals to our service.

If you have any questions regarding this service, please contact LCDR Cedric A. Hughes of my staff at (202) 493-6659.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. G. Schneeweis".

W. G. SCHNEEWEIS
Captain, U. S. Coast Guard
Director, Coast Guard Recruiting Center

