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SUBMIT YOUR NOMINATIONS FOR THE VETERANS OMBUDSMAN COMMENDATION

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

February 8, 2019

The efforts of individuals and groups across Canada on behalf of Veterans and their families truly make a difference. These individuals and groups often have a thankless job, but their passion and dedication are crucial to the advancement of Veterans' issues and help to support our Veterans and their families. Stephanie Kusie, Member of Parliament for Calgary Midnapore, would like to ensure that her constituents have the opportunity to recognize outstanding contributions to the well-being of Veterans and their families by awarding the Veterans Ombudsman Commendation.

Kusie asks that constituents consider nominating individuals, groups, businesses or associations that meet one of the following criteria:

- **National organization or group** – to recognize the exceptional work and significant contribution of an organization or group with a national scope that resulted in a long-lasting and positive impact on the well-being of Veterans and their families;
- **Local organization or group** – to recognize the exceptional work and significant contribution of an organization or group that resulted in a long-lasting and positive impact, at the local or regional level, on the well-being of Veterans and their families;
- **Individual** – to recognize the exceptional work and significant contribution of an individual that resulted in a long-lasting and positive impact on the well-being of Veterans and their families at the national or local level; or
- **Lifetime Contribution** – to recognize the life-long dedication, exceptional work, and significant contribution an individual has made in supporting or advocating for Veterans and their families.

The [nomination form](#) is available online and must include a brief summary describing the exceptional work and significant contribution of the nominee, as well as two letters of support from individuals other than the nominator. ([Learn more about the nomination process.](#))

Nominations can be sent electronically to ovo.communication.bov@canada.ca or by mail to:

Office of the Veterans Ombudsman
1560 - 360 Albert St.
Ottawa, ON K1R 7X7

The deadline for receipt of nominations is **March 31st, 2019**.

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