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## The Air Cadet League of Canada Announces **Bar for Air Cadet Service Medal Now Available**

OTTAWA – Beginning in March 2013, Air Cadets will be eligible to receive a bar for the Air Cadet Service Medal for each year of training completed beyond the four year qualifying period. A rosette will also be provided for the undress ribbon.

A gold bar, similar to that used on the Air Cadet League Service Medal, has been approved for issue to cadets who have completed their fifth or sixth year of service in the program.

The process for ordering the bar is the same as for ordering the medal. Commanding Officers must confirm the years of service, using the ACC 56 form, and indicate whether they are ordering a new medal or just a bar. The Squadron Sponsoring Committee Chair must confirm the order and the completed form is sent to the appropriate provincial committee.

Former cadets who wish to purchase a bar for their medal will also follow the same process as for ordering the medal. They must complete the ACC57 form, along with supporting documentation to confirm their years of service, and send the application to the national office.

A gold rosette for the undress ribbon is also available from the national office.







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