

**ROYAL SIGNALS ASSOCIATION
RECOMMENDATION FOR THE 50 YEAR AWARD (2017)
(See guidelines)**

1. SERVICE PARTICULARS:

No _____ Rank _____ Last Name _____
First Name _____ Decorations _____
Address _____

2. SERVICE IN THE CORPS:

a. Regular/National Service:	No of years
From: _____ To _____	_____
b. TAVR/TA/RESERVE:	
From: _____ To _____	_____

3. ASSOCIATION SERVICE (This must not overlap with Paragraph 2)

RSA Life Membership No: _____ Date joined: _____
Branch/Branches: _____

GRAND TOTAL (Years) _____

The Grand Total should NOT be less than 50 years.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Signature of Branch Representative: _____

5. APPLICATION ACKNOWLEDGED BY RHQ _____

6. Awards Sub Committee (RHQ): _____

7. APPROVED BY CENTRAL COMMITTEE: _____

GUIDELINES

1. The New Royal Signals Association 50 Year Award has been instigated to recognise 50 years of service to the Corps and Association. A new badge has been commissioned and will be sent to branches along with a certificate for successful applicants.

2. A total of 50 years of service can be made up of a combination of Regular, TA or National Service, and membership of The Association (normally of a branch) which cumulatively total at least 50 years.

3. Service in both the Regular or Territorial Corps and The Association need not be continuous, and The Central Committee acknowledges that there will inevitably be a time gap between them. Such a period of inactivity will NOT be included towards the grand total.
4. Recommendations are to be prepared by branches on the form available from RHQ and are to be submitted to RHQ by 15 February or 15 August annually, in time for consideration by The Awards Sub Committee and passed at The Central Committee meetings held in the Spring and the Autumn.
5. Awards will be notified to branch chairmen and also published in Central Committee meeting minutes.
6. The award should be presented under branch arrangements.