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Her Excellency, Governor Margaret Wood Hassan  
and the Honorable Council  
State House  
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

Dear Governor and Councilors:

**REQUESTED ACTION**

Be it resolved to recommend that the following officer, currently a Captain in the New Hampshire Army National Guard, be nominated for promotion to the rank of Major, New Hampshire Army National Guard. This officer meets all prerequisites for this grade, having been found to be physically, mentally, and professionally qualified.

Brian P. Calhoun  
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Hooksett, NH 03106

HHB 197th Fires Brigade  
1059 Canal Street  
Manchester, NH 03101-1295

**EXPLANATION**

Resume of military service pertaining to Captain Brian P. Calhoun:

Captain Calhoun enlisted in the New Hampshire Army National Guard on December 29, 1987. He spent 15 years as an enlisted Soldier before attending Reserve Officers' Training Corps. On August 27, 2002, he was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant. His first assignment was as a Platoon Leader with A Battery 1st Battalion 172nd Field Artillery. On January 1, 2004, Captain Calhoun was transferred to 1st Battalion, 172nd Field Artillery Forward for a deployment to Iraq. Captain Calhoun served as a Platoon Leader in a 180 man "In Lieu of" Military Police Company. This was a Field Artillery unit that was given a few short weeks of Military Police training and sent to Iraq to perform all base security for Camp Bucca, run convoy escorts, and also guard the internment facility of the largest prison in Iraq. Captain Calhoun was awarded the Bronze Star for his performance. Upon return from his successful deployment, he was selected as the Operations Officer for B Battery 3rd Battalion 197th Field Artillery. After a short period, Captain Calhoun was chosen to command that same unit. After a successful command, he then served as Battalion Operations Officer, Brigade Liaison Officer and Brigade Fire Control Officer for the 197th Fires Brigade. Captain Calhoun was recently selected to be the Effects and Electronic Warfare Integration Officer for the 197th Fires Brigade and recommended for promotion to Major. Captain Calhoun is a graduate of the Captains Career Course and holds a Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems from Southern New Hampshire University.

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