

Congress. The following is a list of specific recommended word changes:

SEX-SPECIFIC LANGUAGE

serviceman, servicemen

crewman

midshipman

enlisted man

laboring men and women

seamen

longshoremen

chairman

postmaster

plainclothesman

lineman

newsboy

she, her (reference to ship)

"to man" a vessel

duties of seamanship

lifeboat man

businessman

"husband" of the vessel

master

entryman

workman's compensation

salesman

watchman

Relationship Models

widow or widower

wife, wives/husband, husband's

SEX-NEUTRAL LANGUAGE

services, service member,
servicemembers

crew member

cadet, midshipperson

enlisted personnel,

enlisted member, enlistee

workers, laborers

sailor, crew member

stevedores

chairperson, moderator,

the chair, coordinator

postoffice director, postal director

plainclothesperson,

officer, investigator

line installer, line repairer,

line maintainer, line service

attendant

newscarrier, newspaper vendor

it, its

to staff

nautical or seafaring duties

lifeboat person or operator

business person, executive,

member of the business community,

business manager

manager

captain, commanding officer

entry person, enterer

workers' compensation

salesperson, sales personnel,

sales representative, sales

agent, sales clerk

guard, watchperson, watcher,

the watch patroller

surviving spouse

spouse, spouses, spouse's

brother/sister
daughter/son
mother/father
husband and wife
father/mother
grandfather/grandmother
stepbrother/stepsister
paternity
mother's insurance benefits
maternal welfare

sibling/siblings
child/children
parent
married couple
either parent
grandparents
stepsibling
parentage
child-in-care benefits
parental welfare

Gender Models

man, living man

mankind
per man
prudent man
female/male
manpower
manmade

trained manpower

person, human, human being,
living human
humanity, human beings, humankind
per person
prudent individual, person
person, individual
human resources
artificial, of human
origin, synthetic
trained work force