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Maj. Elizabeth Ayotte serves as the commander of the Minneapolis Military Entrance Processing Station and supports the USMEPCOM mission of evaluating applicants by applying Department of Defense standards in processing and determining eligibility for military service.

Maj. Ayotte received her commission in 2009 through the Army ROTC Program at the University of Minnesota. She also has a prior service enlistment in the Minnesota National Guard as a paralegal specialist.

She served as battalion human resources officer, 4th Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade, 4th Infantry Division, Fort Carson, Colorado; squadron human resources, 1st Squadron, 33rd Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade (Rakkasan), 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), Fort Campbell, Kentucky; and headquarters commander and brigade human resources officer, U.S. Army Marketing and Engagement Brigade, U.S. Army Recruiting Command, Fort Knox, Kentucky. She completed two combat deployment tours, one with the 4th Infantry Division and another with 101st Airborne Division.

Maj. Ayotte earned a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and International Relations from the University of Minnesota, and a Master of Arts in Human Resources and Industrial Relations from the Carlson School of Management, University of Minnesota.

Her military awards and decorations include the Bronze Star, the Meritorious Service Medal, three Army Commendation medals, the Combat Action Badge, and various service, unit and personal medals and ribbons.