

For White House Fellowship—

Mary Moses is a semifinalist

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Mary E. Moses, 31, of Kaltag, Alaska, has been chosen as a Regional Semifinalist in the competition for 1976-77 White House Fellowships.

Ms. Moses is a learning resource teacher and a principal teacher for the Alaska Unorganized Borough School District in Anchorage.

Along with 98 other young men and women from around the country, Ms. Moses was chosen from among 2,864 applicants.

The 99 candidates will next be evaluated by Commission-appointed panels of distinguished community leaders in 11 cities from coast to coast. The top 30-35 of the candidates will be selected as National finalists, from among whom the Presidential Commission will nominate 14-19 White House

fellows to the President on May 24.

The fellowship was created in 1964 to provide outstanding young Americans with firsthand experience in the process of governing the Nation. The White House Fellowship program is open to U.S. citizens from all occupations and professions who are no less than 23 and no more than 36 years old by the commencement of the fellowship year.

In addition to their educational assignments with the Vice President and members of the Cabinet and the President's principal White House Staff, the fellows participate in an

extensive program of 250-300 off-record seminar meetings with top government officials, scholars, journalists, and leaders from other segments of life.

Leadership, intellectual and professional ability, and a commitment to community and nation are the broad criteria employed in the selection process.

Applications for the 1977-78 program will be available in August 1976. Application forms and additional information on the program can be obtained for the Presidents Commission on White House Fellowships, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20415.