



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Office of the Assistant Secretary
AFBCMR 98-02513

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHEF OF STAFF

Under the authority of Section 1552, Title 10, United States Code and **AFI** 36-2603, and having assured compliance with the provisions of the above regulation, the decision of the Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records is announced, and it is directed that:

The pertinent military records of the Department of the Air Force relating to [REDACTED] be corrected to show that his request for a waiver to receive Family Separation Allowance, Type II during his unaccompanied tour of [REDACTED] was approved on 12 September 1997 by competent authority.

Donna Pittenger
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Chief Examiner
Air Force Board for Correction
of Military Records



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MEMORANDUM OF CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATION BEFORE THE AFBCMR

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

Having carefully reviewed this application, we agree with the recommendation of the Air Force and adopt the rationale expressed as the basis for our decision that the applicant has been the victim of either an error or an injustice. Therefore, under the authority delegated in AFI 36-2603, the applicant's records will be corrected as set forth in the accompanying Memorandum for the Chief of Staff signed by the Executive Director or his designee.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bob Hunt".

Panel Chair

Attachment
Ltr, HQ USAF/DPRC, dtd 22 Sep 98 . . .



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/MIBR

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FROM: HQ USAF/DPRC
1040 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, DC 20330-104.0

SUBJECT: Correction of Military Records- [REDACTED]

Title 37, U.S.C., Section 427 only authorizes FSA for members serving in dependent-restricted areas. A member who elects to serve an unaccompanied tour in lieu of an accompanied tour at a permanent station where the member's dependents are permitted is not entitled to FSA unless waived by the Service Secretary. The waiver authority is prospective only and is limited to situations in which it would be inequitable to deny the allowance to the member because of unusual family or operational circumstances. These circumstances are defined in Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A, paragraph 27030 1E as: 1) when certified medical reasons involving family members or terrorist activity would make it inappropriate for dependents to accompany the member; 2) when ships in overhaul make temporary homeport changes; or 3) when married military couples with children are involuntarily separated by military orders.

[REDACTED] met the conditions identified in item (1) above and was authorized FSA in a letter dated 14 Jul 98. However, because the waiver authority is prospective only, he could not be paid FSA for the period between 12 Sep 97 (his reporting date) and 14 Jul 98.

We recommend approval of [REDACTED] request for payment of FSA from the date of arrival (12 Sep 97) at his permanent duty station to date of waiver approval (14 Jul 98). We recommend his record be changed to reflect the Secretarial waiver to receive FSA was granted and effective 12 Sep 97. Action officer is [REDACTED]

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