



**DRB DIGEST/EXECUTIVE SUMMARY
DRB DOCKET 2013-046**

NAME	E4
CURRENT DD-214	Under Honorable Conditions, COMDINST 1-B-17, JKK, Misconduct, RE4
RELIEF REQUESTED	Honorable
RELIEF GRANTED BY DRB	None
ADMIN CORRECTIONS	None

TIS	3 yrs, 2 months, 2 days
Policy Implications	None

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The applicant was discharged for Misconduct due to Involvement with drugs. The applicant's complete Personnel Data Record and Separation Package were available for the Board to review.

The applicant admitted to investigators in the Fall of October 2011 to using spice. The applicant's command determined this to be a drug incident. Pursuant to policy, the applicant was processed for Discharge. Per ALCOAST 605/10, the use of spice was specified as illegal for all Coast Guard members.

The Board finds no issues with propriety or equity in this case.

The applicant was notified of the intent to discharge, and the applicant was also advised of the rights to an attorney. The applicant declined to make a statement and did not object to discharge.

Coast Guard policy prescribes no higher than an Under Honorable Conditions character of service for individuals separated as a result of violating the Coast Guard's drug policy. The USCG has zero tolerance for drug abuse. The Under Honorable Conditions discharge is equitable.

Propriety: Discharge was proper.

Equity: Discharge was equitable.

Final Adjudication by Assistant Commandant For Human Resources: No relief.