

## **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS 2 NAVY ANNEX WASHINGTON, D.C. 20370-5100

MEH:ddj

Docket No: 4116-98

9 March 1999





This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of title 10 of the United States Code, section 1552.

A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 9 March 1999. Your allegations of error and injustice were reviewed in accordance with administrative regulations and procedures applicable to the proceedings of this Board. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of your application, together with all material submitted in support thereof, your naval record and applicable statutes, regulations and policies. In addition, the Board considered the advisory opinion furnished by BUPERS memorandum 1160 NPC-815 of 17 February 1999, a copy of which is attached.

After careful and conscientious consideration of the entire record, the Board found that the evidence submitted was insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice. In this connection, the Board substantially concurred with the comments contained in the advisory opinion. Accordingly, your application has been denied. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request.

It is regretted that the circumstances of your case are such that favorable action cannot be taken. You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new and material evidence or other matter not previously considered by the Board. In this regard, it is important to keep in mind that a presumption of regularity attaches to all official records. Consequently, when applying for a correction of an official naval record, the burden is on the applicant to demonstrate the existence of probable material error or injustice.

Sincerely,

W. DEAN PFEIFFER Executive Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR CHAIRMAN, BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS

Via: NPC-00XCB

Subj: BCNR PETITION ICO

Ref:

(a) SNM's DD Form 149 dtd 12 May 98

(b) NAVADMIN 111/96

(c) OPNAVINST 1160.6A

Encl: (1) BCNR File

- 1. In response to reference (a), recommend disapproval to petitioner's request.
- Petitioner was discharged from Active Duty on 09 Oct 1992 after four years of Naval service. Petitioner was in paygrade E3 at the time of discharge.
- Petitioner reenlisted for three years on 06 Aug 1996. Reference (b) carried zone "A" SRB entitlement for AT(0000) rate at the time petitioner reenlisted.
- Petitioner requests to receive the zone "A" SRB entitlement in reference (b) for the broken-service reenlistment.
- Per reference (c), members with broken-service must be a petty officer in an SRB eligible rating/NEC. Designated strikers are not eligible for broken-service SRB. Petitioner was an ATAN upon reenlistment on 06 Aug 1996.
- 2. In view of the above, recommend petitioner's record remain as is.
- 3. This is an advisory memorandum to reference (a) for the use by the Board for Correction of Naval Records (BCNR) only. Enclosure (1) is returned.

Head,

Reenlistment Incentives Branch