



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
2 NAVY ANNEX  
WASHINGTON DC 20370-5100

LCC:ddj  
Docket No: 3604-01  
24 July 2001

[REDACTED]

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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 24 July 2001. 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 1830 PERS 823 SER 134 of 6 July 2001, 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

Enclosure



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MEMORANDUM FOR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF  
NAVAL RECORDS

Subj: COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS ICO [REDACTED]

Ref: (a) Pers-00XCB ltr of 31 May 2001

Encl: (1) BCNR File with Microfiche Service Record

1. Reference (a) requested comments and recommendations in subject member's case. Specifically, Petitioner requests reinstatement to paygrade E-6 for transfer to the Fleet Reserve.

2. [REDACTED] was reduced in rate as the result of a CO's NJP for violation of UCMJ Article 108, and did not request reinstatement to paygrade E-6 prior to his release from active duty and transfer to the Fleet Reserve. As stated in 10 USC 6334, each member of the naval service who, after December 4, 1987, is retired with less than 30 years of active service or is transferred to the Fleet Reserve is entitled, when his active service plus his service in the Fleet Reserve totals 30 years, to be advanced on the retired list to the highest grade in which he served on active duty satisfactorily, as determined by the Secretary of the Navy.

3. As indicated in paragraph 2 above, Petty Officer [REDACTED] may request advancement to paygrade E-6 upon the completion of 30 years total service.

4. In view of the above, no error or injustice occurred in Petitioner's case. I therefore, recommend his request be denied.

5. Enclosure (1) is returned. [REDACTED]

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Head, Enlisted Retirements Branch