



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

LCC:lc
Docket No: 6360-03
5 August 2003

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records
To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: [REDACTED]
REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. 1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments
(2) Series of Documents
(3) Subject's naval record

1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Subject hereinafter referred to as Petitioner, filed enclosure (1) with this Board requesting, in effect, that the applicable naval record be corrected to show Petitioner's Home of Record (HOR) was recorded as [REDACTED] in his enlistment forms.

2. The Board, consisting of Messrs. McPartlin, Pfeiffer, and Ms. McCormick, reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 5 August 2003 and, pursuant to its regulations, determined that the corrective action indicated below should be taken on the available evidence of record. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of the enclosures, naval records, and applicable statutes, regulations and policies.

3. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice, finds as follows:

a. Before applying to this Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy.

b. Petitioner enlisted in the Delayed Enlistment Program (DEP) while in Denver, CO. He then returned to [REDACTED] which is where his mother lives and where he graduated from high school. He was visiting in Denver, CO when he enlisted in the DEP. He entered active duty on or about 1 July 2002 and shipped from [REDACTED]. The recruiting officer did not update his enlistment forms and the address listed as HOR, which was really a temporary mailing address, was never changed on Petitioner's enlistment documents.

c. After reviewing the correspondence attached as enclosure (2), the Board concluded that the request has merit and warrants favorable action.

CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, and especially in light of the contents of enclosure (2), the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following corrective action.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Petitioner's naval record be corrected, where appropriate, to show that:

a. Petitioner's HOR will be shown as [REDACTED] on his DD Form 4, the DD Form 1966, and in any other entry in the personnel record where the HOR is listed. [REDACTED] should have been shown as his HOR on all the processing forms when he returned to [REDACTED] from [REDACTED] and Petitioner enlisted for active duty in [REDACTED] and departed for active duty from [REDACTED]

b. That a copy of this Report of Proceedings be filed in Petitioner's naval record.

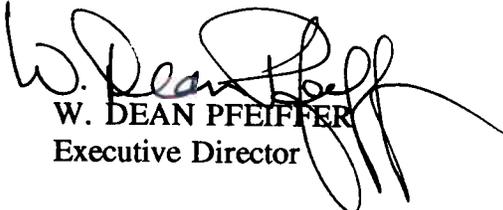
4. Pursuant to Section 6(c) of the revised Procedures of the Board for Correction of Naval Records (32 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 723.6(c)) it is certified that quorum was present at the Board's review and deliberations, and that the foregoing is a true and complete record of the Board's proceedings in the above entitled matter.

ROBERT D. ZSALMAN
Recorder


G. L. ADAMS
Acting Recorder

5. Pursuant to the delegation of authority set out in Section 6(e) of the revised Procedures of the Board for Correction of Naval Records (32 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 723.6(e)) and having assured compliance with its provisions, it is hereby announced that the foregoing corrective action, taken under the authority of reference (a), has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

5 August 2003


W. DEAN PFEIFFER
Executive Director