



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

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Docket No: 7909-08  
26 March 2009

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

Subj: FORMER [REDACTED]  
REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD

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

Encl: (1) Case Summary  
(2) Subject's naval record

1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Petitioner applied to this Board requesting her naval record be corrected by changing the reason for discharge and the reentry code she was assigned on 17 November 2006.

2. The Board, consisting of Messrs. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 14 January 2009 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 Navy on 11 September 2006. On 26 October 2006 she received nonjudicial punishment for dereliction of duty which was based on her giving another recruit ibuprofen. On 17 November 2006 she received an entry level separation by reason of misconduct due to the commission of a serious offense and was assigned a reentry code of RE-4.

c. An individual separated for the best interest of the service may be assigned a reentry code of RE-R1, RE-1, or RE 4.

CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record the Board concludes that Petitioner's request warrants favorable action. In this regard, the Board believes that the reason for discharge should be changed to best interest of the service since

the Board agreed that giving another recruit ibuprofen was an insignificant act and not worthy of disciplinary action. Finally, the RE-4 reentry code appears to be unjust based on the foregoing. Accordingly, the reentry code should be changed to RE-1.

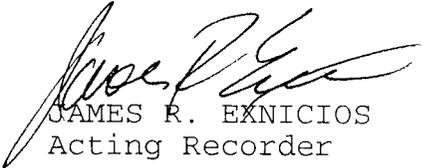
RECOMMENDATION:

a. That Petitioner's naval record be corrected to show that on 17 November 2006 she was issued an entry level separation by reason of best interest of the service with an RE-1 reentry code.

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

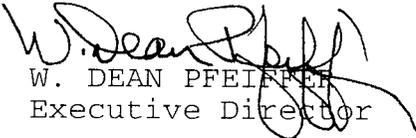
4. It is certified that a quorum was present at the Board's review and deliberations, and that the foregoing is a true and complete record of the Board's proceedings in the above entitled matter.

ROBERT D. ZSALMAN  
Recorder



JAMES R. EXNICIOS  
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.



W. DEAN PFEIFFER  
Executive Director