



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

WJH  
Docket: 2208-11  
21 April 2011

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) NAVSUP SYSTEMS CMD ltr 4050 Ser 53H/025 of 4 Apr 11  
(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 that his transfer orders were issued prior to 12 November 2010.

2. The Board, consisting of Messrs. Pfeiffer, Zsalman, and George reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 18 April 2011 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. In conjunction with his upcoming transfer to the Fleet Reserve, Petitioner sought counseling on his household goods (HHg) shipping entitlements from the Beauford Traffic Management office.

c. Petitioner was erroneously advised that he could commence his personally procured HHG move from Port Royal SC to Tuscaloosa AL prior to the receipt of his transfer orders.

d. Petitioner commenced his move on 12 November 2010. His orders were not issued until 2 December. Therefore, his claim for reimbursement of costs associated with the move was denied.

e. In March 2011, Petitioner submitted an application with this Board seeking a change to his record to show that his transfer orders were issued prior to 12 November 2010.

f. In correspondence attached as enclosure (2), the office having cognizance over HHG moves has commented to the effect 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. The orders releasing Petitioner from active duty were issued on 1 Nov 2010 vice any other date.

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

Note: Petitioner should resubmit his claim with a copy of this letter to the Business Support Detachment FISCN, HHG Audit Team Division, Code 302, 1968 Gilbert Street STE 600, Norfolk VA 23511-3392. Upon receipt, the auditors will recalculate Petitioner's reimbursement.

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

  
WILLIAM J. HESS, III  
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.

21 April 2011

  
For W. DEAN PFEIFFER  
Executive Director