



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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ARLINGTON VA 22204-2490

BAN
Docket No. 06807-12
10 October 2012

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Dear [REDACTED]

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of 10 USC 1552.

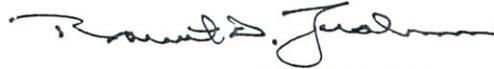
A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 10 September 2012. Your allegations of error and injustice were reviewed in accordance with administrative regulations and procedures applicable to the proceedings of this Board. 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. The Board considered an advisory opinion which stated that you had participated in the September 2009 (Cycle 204) Navy-wide examination for DC2 and were selected for advancement to DC2. However, you were separated on 15 June 2010, which was prior to your effective date of advancement of 16 June 2010. Upon your affiliation into the Navy Reserves, even if you had submitted an advancement determination to see if you were able to retain your advancement to DC2, it would have been disapproved due to your reenlistment in the PRISE-R program where you voluntarily came in as a HT3. There are no provisions to adequately compare one examination rate against another.

Therefore, 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 making this determination, 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 also 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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. Dean Pfeiffer".

W. DEAN PFEIFFER
Executive Director