



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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EGA  
Docket No: 8673-14  
29 January 2015

5 U.S.C. 552(b) (6)

Dear 5 U.S.C. 552(b) (6)

This is in reference to your latest reconsideration request dated 22 July 2014. You previously petitioned the Board on several occasions and were advised in our letters that your applications had been denied.

Your current request has been carefully examined by a three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session on 28 January 2015. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of your application and any material submitted in support of your application.

After careful and conscientious consideration of the entire record, the Board determined that the post service clinical correspondence you provided and your assertion of post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), even though not previously considered by the Board, were insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice. Despite providing liberal consideration of your PTSD claim, the Board determined it was not enough to outweigh the circumstances surrounding your resignation in order to avoid trial by courts-martial. Accordingly, your application has been denied.

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 within one year from the date of the Board's decision. 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,

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Executive Director