



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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HCG
Docket No. NR5262-14
11 Mar 15

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

Subj: [REDACTED]

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

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments
(2) HQMC memo 1400/3 MMPR-2 dtd 8 Dec 14
(3) HQMC memo 1650 MMMA-3A dtd 9 Oct 14
(4) 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 correct authorized awards and ribbons.

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 10 March 2014 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 correspondence attached as enclosures (2) and (3), the office having cognizance over the subject matter addressed in Petitioner's application has commented 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 enclosures (2) and (3), the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following partial corrective action.

RECOMMENDATION:

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

a. Petitioner is authorized the Sea Service Deployment Ribbon with two bronze stars.

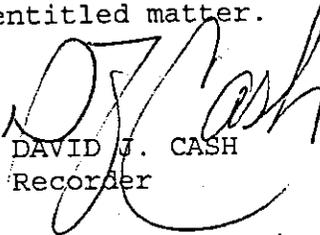
b. Note: A DD 215 will be issued to add the Sea Service Deployment Ribbon with two bronze stars.

c. The part of the Petitioner's request for corrective action that exceeds the foregoing is denied. Records show that Petitioner was Relieved for Cause from recruiting duty, and therefore is not authorized the Recruiting Ribbon.

d. Records show that the Petitioner was administratively separated with an other than honorable characterization of service, therefore, a reduction to the paygrade of E-3 is required. Petitioner's rank at separation and on DD 214 is correct.

e. A copy of this Report of Proceedings will be filed in petitioner's naval record.

4. 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.


DAVID J. CASH
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.

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ROBERT J. O'NEILL
Executive Director