



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

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Docket No: 7192-14  
20 July 2015

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

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

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of title 10 of the United States Code, section 1552.

Although your application was not filed in a timely manner, the Board found it in the interest of justice to waive the statute of limitations and consider your application on its merits. A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 7 July 2015. 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.

After careful and conscientious consideration of the entire record, the Board found the evidence submitted was insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice.

You enlisted in the Marine Corps and began a period of active duty on 7 December 2009. On 17 December 2012, you were counseled for failure to adhere to Marine Corps body composition standards. During the period from 8 February to 25 March 2013, you were counseled for unauthorized absence (UA) from remedial physical training while assigned to the Marine Corps Body Composition Program (BCP). On 17 May 2013, you were honorably discharged and assigned an RE-3P reentry code.

The Board, in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, such as your desire to change your RE-3P reentry code and assertion that you received the wrong reentry code. Nevertheless, the Board concluded that these factors were not sufficient to warrant changing your reentry code given your failure to adhere to Marine Corps body composition standards. Further, an RE-3P reentry code is authorized when a Marine is discharged, due to failing the Marine Corps BCP. This code does not automatically bar reenlistment, but requires that a waiver be obtained. With that being said, you were assigned the most appropriate reentry code based on your situation. 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 within one year from the date of the Board's decision. New evidence is evidence not previously considered by the Board prior to making its decision in your case. In this regard, it is important to keep in mind that a presumption of applying for correction of an official naval record, the burden is on the applicant to demonstrate the existence of the probable material error or injustice.

Sincerely,  
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