

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS 701 S. COURTHOUSE ROAD, SUITE 1001 ARLINGTON, VA 22204-2490

Docket No. 3773-16



Dear

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 11 April 2017. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request. 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 that the evidence submitted was insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice. You contend that your Administrative Remarks (Page 11) counseling entry dated 10 January 2010, should be removed from your official records because it contradicts the positive markings in your fitness report for the period covering 1 April 2010 to 31 March 2011. However, the Board determined that the Page 11 counseling entry was issued to correct your deficiency during that timeframe. The outcome of the Page 11 counseling entry has no bearing on the context of a fitness report. 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 evidence. New evidence is evidence not previously considered by the Board. 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.

