

specified MCC for the first 24 months (following the end of their current contract), will rate a 20,000 dollar kicker in addition to the Primary Military Occupational Specialties (PMOS) bonus amount listed in section(s) 3.l, 3.m, and 3.n. If no PMOS bonus is listed in section(s) 3.l, 3.m, and 3.n, the Marine rates a lump sum kicker of 20,000 dollars. MCCs Authorized for Aircraft Maintenance Kicker: "...VLA..."

On 18 July 2020, your 1st Term Active Duty Reenlistment was submitted, and was approved by Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps (HQMC) on 1 November 2020. On 3 November 2020, you reenlisted for 4 years with an ECC of 2 November 2024. On 21 January 2021, you were issued Modification Marine Corps Basic Order for involuntary assignment to [REDACTED] Report no later than 31 March 2021. On 1 March 2021, you transferred from [REDACTED], and arrived and joined to [REDACTED] on 31 March 2021 for duty.

You requested a \$20,000 Aircraft Maintenance Kicker; the Board, in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, to include your assertions. However, the Board concluded that you are ineligible to receive the Aircraft Maintenance Kicker. Although you had orders to transfer to an authorized MCC, at the time of your reenlistment, you were not stationed at an authorized MCC. In this connection, the Board substantially concurred with the comments contained in the advisory opinion.

You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new matters, which will require you to complete and submit a new DD Form 149. New matters are those not previously presented to or 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.

Sincerely,

1/8/2022

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Deputy Director

Signed by: [REDACTED]