

## **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

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

> Docket No: 3343-21 Ref: Signature Date

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

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USMC

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552

(b) MCO 1070/12K (IRAM)

(c) MCO 1900.16 (MARCORSEPMAN)

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/enclosures

(2) Administrative Remarks (Page 11) counseling entry of 18 January 2018

- 1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Subject, hereinafter referred to as Petitioner, filed enclosure (1) with the Board for Correction of Naval Records (Board), requesting that his naval record be corrected to remove an Administrative Remarks (Page 11) counseling entry.
- 2. 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. The Board, consisting of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_, reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 21 October 2021, 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, relevant portions of the 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. Petitioner was issued a Page 11 counseling him for his non-recommendation for promotion to Corporal/E-4 for the first Quarter of 2018 (Jan, Feb, Mar) due to Professional Military Education Incompetency. Petitioner signed and acknowledged the entry, and chose not to submit a written rebuttal. Enclosure (2).
- c. Petitioner contends that when the Page 11 was issued, he was already promoted to Corporal with a date or rank of 2 December 2016.

## CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board finds the existence of an error and injustice warranting relief. In this regard, the Board determined that Petitioner

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submitted sufficient evidence to support his contention, and that the evidence of record does not support the matters of the Page 11 counseling entry.

The Board noted that the Petitioner's service record indicates he was a Corporal at the time he was issued the Page 11, and therefore deemed the entry invalid. The Board concluded that the contested Page 11 shall be removed from Petitioner's official military personnel file.

## RECOMMENDATION

In view of the above, the Board directs the following corrective action.

Petitioner's naval record be corrected by removing enclosure (2), his 18 January 2018 Page 11 counseling entry.

- 4. It is certified that a 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.
- 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 Regulation, 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.

