

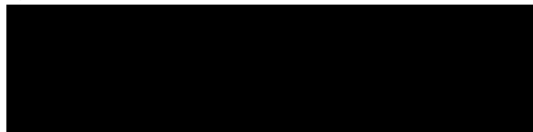


In reviewing the evidence in your case, the Board concluded the preponderance of the evidence does not support a change to your narrative reason for separation or RE code. Despite your assertions of error, the Board found no evidence to support a finding that you were misdiagnosed with a personality disorder in January 1987. Additionally, since a personality disorder is a non-compensable disability condition, the Board concluded you were appropriately separated at the convenience of the government based on your continued misconduct after you were diagnosed and counseled on your personality disorder. Finally, the Board determined your RE code was supported by the evidence in your case based on your documented history of misconduct. Based on these findings, the Board found no basis to award you retroactive compensation as you requested. The Board also considered your assertion regarding an inability to qualify for VA benefits but was not persuaded by this argument since they concluded your administrative separation remains supported by the evidence. Accordingly, the Board found insufficient evidence of error or injustice to warrant a change to your record.

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,

12/4/2021

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Deputy Director

Signed by: 