

Docket No. 7188-21 Ref: Signature Date

- From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records To: Secretary of the Navy
- Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO
- Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. §1552 (b) MILPERSMAN 1746-020

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments (2) NPPSC ltr of 11 Feb 22 (3) Subject's naval record

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 her naval record be corrected to show Petitioner was eligible for and received full Basic Allowance for Subsistence (BAS) while at her Permanent Duty Station (PDS).

2. The Board, consisting of the enclosures, relevant portions of Petitioner's naval record, 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. In accordance with reference (b), Enlisted Service members assigned to duty where a Government mess is operated may, under certain conditions, be authorized to mess separately (RATSSEP) and be paid a BAS.

c. On 14 November 2019, Petitioner transferred, and arrived to **service and arrived** for duty under instruction.

d. On 15 January 2020, Petitioner was issued official modification to change duty orders (BUPERS order: 1429), while stationed in **Sector 1429** with an effective date of departure of June 2019. Petitioner's ultimate activity was **Sector 1429** for duty with an effective date of arrival of 9 April 2020.

e. On 22 January 2020, Commanding Officer, Navy Medicine Readiness & Training Command, notified Officer in Charge, Personnel Support Detachment, with Food Service Office, National Military Medical Center, with and Commanding Officer, Naval Support

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Activity, **Example** that he authorized personnel attached to Navy Medicine Readiness & Training Command, **Example** to mess separately and to receive full Basic Allowance for Subsistence.

f. On 9 March 2020, Petitioner transferred, and arrived to **arrived to arrived to arrived to arrived to arrived to arrived to arrived to arrive arrived to arrive arrived to arrive arri**

g. On 26 March 2020, Second Endorsement on the second letter 7220 Ser 01/030 of 22 January 2020 from Commanding Officer, Naval Support Activity to Officer in Charge, Personnel Support Detachment, the forwarded with concurrence.

h. On 17 December 2020, Petitioner was issued a Request and Authorization for Temporary Duty (TDY) Travel of DoD Personnel for 174 days from to the and return to the and return to the second second

i. On 14 February 2021, Petitioner checked out and left for

j. On 2 June 2021, Commanding Officer, Navy Medicine Readiness and Training Command, Bethesda notified Director, Personnel Support Activity Detachment, to stop meal deductions for Petitioner effective 14 February 2021.

k. On 27 August 2021, Petitioner was honorably discharged due to condition, not a disability.

1. In correspondence attached as enclosure (2), the office having cognizance over the subject matter addressed in Petitioner's application has commented to the effect that the request has merit and warrants partial favorable action.

CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, and especially in light of the contents of enclosure (2), the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following partial corrective action. The Board concluded that on 22 January 2020 Petitioner's gaining command authorized her to receive full BAS at her permanent duty station Navy Medicine Readiness and Training Command, Bethesda. Petitioner was Temporary Additional Duty (TAD) beginning 28 December 2020 and she was not authorized full BAS for that period due to galley facilities at the TAD location. The Board found that Petitioner should have had meal deductions taken while at her TDY location; however, no meal deductions were taken. Furthermore, upon her return to her PDS, meal deductions were erroneously taken from her pay from 9 March until her discharge on 27 August 2021. No meal deductions should have been taken from 14 February 2021 to 27 August 2021. RECOMMENDATION

That Petitioner's naval record be corrected, where appropriate, to show that:

Petitioner's meal deductions stopped effective 14 February 2021 vice 27 August 2021. Note: Defense Finance & Accounting Service (DFAS) will complete an audit of Petitioner's records to determine if Petitioner is due any back pay.

That part of the Petitioner's request for corrective action that exceeds the foregoing be denied. Petitioner was not entitled to full BAS while TAD to the **second second second**

A copy of this Report of Proceedings will be filed in Petitioner's naval record.

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4. It is certified that 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 Regulations, 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.

