

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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> Docket No. 7977-21 Ref: Signature Date

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From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF RETIRED

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Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552

(b) Joint Travel Regulations

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments

(2) 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 that his naval record be corrected to establish Petitioner's effective date of BUPERS Order 2351 (Official Fleet Reserve Orders) to a date acceptable for Household Goods (HHG) shipment claim processing and payment per reference (b).
- 2. The Board, consisting of property and provided Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 20 January 2022 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 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, found that, before applying to this Board, he exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy. The Board made the following findings:
- a. On 17 August 2021 Petitioner is on separation leave status per his September 2021 Leave and Earnings Statement (LES).
- b. On 20 August 2021 Petitioner executes HHG shipment per NAVSUP letter 4600 302/N00138-711 of 22 November 2021.
- c. On 23 August 2021 Petitioner issued BUPERS Order 2351 (Official Fleet Reserve Orders).
- d. On 30 September 2021 Petitioner released from active duty and transferred to the Fleet Reserve.

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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 corrective action. The Board concluded per reference (b) HHG allowances are based on the when orders are effective and certain criteria must be met in order to execute HHG transportation before an order is issued. The Petitioner failed to meet the requirements and began execution of HHG shipment prior to issuance of orders. To eliminate financial burden for the Petitioner relief is granted.

RECOMMENDATION

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

BUPERS Order 2351 (Official Fleet Reserve Orders) issued 17 August 2021 vice 23 August 2021. Petitioner authorized to submit Household Goods (HHG) claim.

Petitioner will submit a copy of the Board's approval letter to the Navy Household Goods Audit Team with all appropriate HHG documentation and orders to settle his claim. Settlement of move charged against Petitioner's BUPERS Order 2351.

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

- 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 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 the reference, has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

