



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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[REDACTED]
Docket No. 535-22
Ref: Signature Date

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records
To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO [REDACTED], USNR,
XXX-XX-[REDACTED]

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552
(b) JTR

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 be reimbursed for a personally procured move (PPM).

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 1 February 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, 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. On 10 March 2015 Petitioner entered active duty.

c. On 19 February 2021 Petitioner initiated a PPM.

d. On 23 February 2021 Petitioner was issued BUPERS Separation Order 0541.

e. On 9 March 2021 Petitioner was released from active duty and transferred to the Navy Reserve.

f. On 10 November 2021 Petitioner was notified by the household goods audit team (HHG-AT) that his request for reimbursement for his PPM was denied due to moving before orders issued.

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CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board agreed that HHG allowances are based on the PCS order's effective date, in accordance with reference (b), paragraph 051302.A. The Board agreed that Petitioner's BUPERS Separation Order was not issued in a timely manner to allow Petitioner to complete all requirements to move his HHG's properly. The issuance of orders less than one month prior to separation is unsatisfactory and warrants relief. The Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following corrective action.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner's BUPERS Separation Order 0541 were issued on "18 February 2021" vice "23 February 2021."

Petitioner is advised to resubmit his orders and a copy of this Board of Correction of Naval Records (BCNR) decision letter to the Household Good Audit Team (HHG-AT) for re-adjudication.

Settlement of claim is chargeable to the line of accounting on the Petitioner's BUPERS Separation Order 0541.

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.

3/3/2022

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Deputy Director

Signed by: [REDACTED]