



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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Docket No. 3085-22  
Ref: Signature Date

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Dear ██████████ ██████████,

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to Section 1552 of Title 10, United States Code. After careful and conscientious consideration of relevant portions of your naval record and your application, the Board for Correction of Naval Records (Board) found the evidence submitted insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice. Consequently, your application has been denied.

A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 29 June 2022. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request. Your allegations of error and injustice were reviewed in accordance with administrative regulations and procedures applicable to the proceedings of this Board. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of your application, together with all material submitted in support thereof, relevant portions of your naval record and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies. In addition, the Board considered the advisory opinion by Headquarters Marine Corps memorandum 1070 MPO of 9 June 2022 which was previously provided to you for comment.

You requested to establish entitlement to Continuation Pay. The Board, in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, to include your assertions. The Board concluded that you did not meet the eligibility criteria to receive Continuation Pay in accordance with Marine Corps Bulletin 1800 dated 25 June 2019 and Marine Corps Administrative message 691/21. Specifically, the policies indicate Continuation Pay must be elected prior to completing 12 years of service as calculated from the pay entry base date (PEBD). Additionally, the policies specify that notification of eligibility would be sent to eligible Marines 180 days and 30 days before reaching 12 years of service. A review of your record indicates your PEBD is 11 January 2010, and you enrolled in the Blended Retirement System on 27 September 2018. Continuation Pay eligibility notifications were posted to your leave and earning statements 12 times between January 2021 and December 2021 and Marine Online notifications were posted 12 times from 12 February 2021 through 10 December 2021. In this connection, the Board substantially concurred with the comments contained in the advisory opinion.

