



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 3646-22
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO FORMER MEMBER [REDACTED]
XXX XX [REDACTED] USMC

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552
(b) MCO 1900.16C

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 change blocks 12a, 12c through 12e, 12g, and maybe 12h of DD Form 214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty dated 1 October 1984.

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 7 June 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 8 August 1979 Petitioner enlisted into the Marine Corps Reserve.

b. On 15 October 1979 Petitioner entered active duty and reported to the Officer Candidate School. On 21 December 1979 Petitioner was commissioned on active duty in the Reserve component and on 5 January 1983 was augmented into the active duty component.

c. On 1 October 1984 Petitioner was released from active duty and transferred to the Marine Corps Reserve and was discharged on 7 August 1985.

CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board finds the existence of an error warranting the following corrective action. The Board concluded that Petitioner's official

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military personnel file does not contain a DD Form 214 to cover the active duty period from date of commissioning to the day prior to being augmented as required by reference (b). Therefore, the Board felt, under these circumstances, partial relief is warranted.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner will be issued a DD Form 214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty for the period of active duty service from 21 December 1979 to 4 January 1983. Note: Headquarters Marine Corps will correct Petitioner's DD Form 214 dated 1 October 1984 as required to account for the aforementioned prior active duty service.

The part of Petitioner's request for corrective action that exceeds the foregoing is denied. The Board determined Petitioner was entitled to a DD Form 214 for the prior active duty service that was not accounted for. Additionally, the Board noted corrections to DD Form 214 dated 1 October 1984 could be completed by the Service.

That no further changes be made to Petitioner's naval record.

That a copy of this report of proceedings 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.

7/9/2022

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Deputy Director

Signed by: [REDACTED]