



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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Docket No: 3861-22  
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF FORMER MEMBER █,  
USN, █

Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. § 1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149

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 a correction to his social security number listed on his Report of Separation from Active Duty (DD Form 214).

2. The Board, consisting of █, █, and █, reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 27 June 2022 and, pursuant to its regulations, determined that the corrective action indicated below should be taken. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of Petitioner's application together with all material submitted in support thereof, relevant portions of Former Member'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. Although the enclosure was not filed in a timely manner, it is in the interest of justice to review the application on its merits.

c. Petitioner enlisted in the Navy and began a period of active duty on 1 September 1972. His enlistment contract lists his last four digits of his social security number as "█." On 5 June 1974, Petitioner was discharged with a General (Under Honorable Conditions) characterization of service. He was issued a DD Form 214 that lists the last four digits of his social security number as "█." Petitioner was also issued a DD Form 215 that lists the same last four digits of his social security number.

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d. Petitioner asserts that his social security number, as listed on his original DD Form 214 and DD Form 215, is erroneous. He provided a copy of his social security card with his petition which confirms the last four digits of his social security number are “[REDACTED].”

CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board concludes that Petitioner’s request warrants favorable action. The Board determined there to be sufficient evidence to identify an administrative error on Petitioner DD Form 214 and DD Form 215. In this regard, Petitioner’s social security number should reflect [REDACTED] on his discharge documents.

RECOMMENDATION:

In view of the above, the Board directs the following corrective action.

That Petitioner record be corrected by changing the last four digits of his social security number on his DD Form 214 to reflect “[REDACTED].”

Petitioner be issued a new DD Form 214.

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 Regulation, 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.

7/15/2022

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