



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 6771-22
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW NAVAL RECORD OF FORMER [REDACTED], USN,
XXX-XX-[REDACTED]

Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. § 1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 with attachments
(2) Case summary (excerpts)

1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Petitioner, a former enlisted member of the Navy, filed enclosure (1) with this Board requesting that his social security number on his Armed Forces of the United States Report of Transfer or Discharge (DD Form 214) be changed. Enclosures (1) and (2) apply.

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED], reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 3 March 2023 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 enclosure, relevant portions of Petitioner's naval service records, 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 enclosure (1) was not filed in a timely manner, it is in the interest of justice to waive the statute of limitations and review the application on its merits.

c. Petitioner enlisted in the Naval Reserves and began a period of active duty on 1 March 1956. He was honorably discharged from active duty on 1 October 1957, at the expiration of term of active obligated service. On 23 July 1974, Petitioner was honorably discharged from the US Naval Reserves (inactive). In this regard, Petitioner was issued a Record of discharge from the US Naval Reserve (inactive), which indicates Petitioner's SSN as XXX-[REDACTED]-XXXX.

d. Petitioner's service record contains a copy of his social security card, which reflects his SSN as XXX-[REDACTED]-XXXX.

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CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board concludes that Petitioner's request warrants favorable action. The Board notes Petitioner's record contains an administrative error with his assigned SSN.

In view of the foregoing, the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following corrective action:

RECOMMENDATION

That Petitioner be issued a corrected Record of discharge from the US Naval Reserve to indicating his SSN as "[REDACTED]."

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 reference (a), has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

3/21/2023

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Signed by: [REDACTED]