



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 7444-22
Ref: Signature Date

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

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

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552
(b) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20
(c) FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 001/FY22), 14 Feb 22
(d) FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 002/FY22), 13 May 22

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments
(2) CMSB memo 1160 SerB328/115, 17 Oct 22
(3) 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 establish Petitioner was eligible for and received a Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB).

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 3 November 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 14 May 2012, Petitioner entered active duty.

c. On 15 January 2019, Petitioner reenlisted for 4 years with an EAOS of 14 January 2023 and received a zone "B" SRB.

d. On 22 July 2019, Petitioner was issued official change duty orders (BUPERS order: 2039) with required obligated service to March 2023, while stationed in [REDACTED] with an

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effective date of departure of February 2020. Petitioner's intermediate (1) activity was [REDACTED] for temporary duty under instruction with an effective date of arrival of 7 March 2020. Petitioner's ultimate activity was [REDACTED] for duty with an effective date of arrival of 31 March 2020.

e. In accordance with reference (b), this NAVADMIN announced revised SRB policy for Active Component (AC) and Full-Time Support (FTS), superseding NAVADMIN 272/19. Sailors must now have reenlisted within 365-days of their EAOS (as opposed to 270-days required in NAVADMIN 272/19), except in the case of Nuclear-trained Sailors who could have reenlisted at any point in the reenlistment zone, per guidance in OPNAVINST 1160.8B.

f. In accordance with reference (c), FY21 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 005/FY21) listed a zone "B" SRB with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 award ceiling) and a zone "C" with an award level of 0.0 (\$30,000 award ceiling) for the AO rate.

g. On 2 May 2022, Petitioner reenlisted for 5 years with an EAOS of 1 May 2027.

h. In accordance with reference (d), FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 002/FY22) listed a zone "B" SRB with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 award ceiling) and a zone "C" with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 award ceiling) for the AO rate.

i. On 14 May 2022, Petitioner entered zone "C."

j. In correspondence attached as enclosure (2), the office having cognizance over the subject matter addressed in Petitioner's application has commented to the effect that the request has merit and warrants favorable action.

CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, and especially in light of the contents of enclosure (2), the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following corrective action. The Board concluded that at the time of reenlistment on 2 May 2022, Petitioner was not eligible for a zone "B" SRB due to already receiving a Zone "B" SRB. Petitioner should have been counseled that he could not receive more than one SRB per zone. Reference (d) was published on 13 May 2022 authorizing a zone "C" SRB for the AO rate. Petitioner crossed into zone "C" in 14 May 2022 and would have been eligible for SRB had he been advised correctly.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner's was discharged and reenlisted on 13/14 May 2022 vice 1/2 May 2022 for a term of 5 years.

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Note: This change will entitle the member to a zone "C" SRB with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 award ceiling) for the AO rate. Remaining obligated service to 14 January 2023 will be deducted from SRB computation.

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.

11/14/2022

