



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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Docket No. 7895-22

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, XXX-XX-█

Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. §1552  
(b) USECDEF Memo, "Guidance to Military Discharge Review Boards and Boards for Correction of Military/Naval Records Regarding Equity, Injustice, or Clemency Determinations," of 25 July 2018

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

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 social security number (SSN) be corrected to reflect █ vice █

2. The Board, consisting of █, █ and █, reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 25 January 2023 and, pursuant to its regulations, determined that the partial 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 Petitioner's naval record, and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies, to include the 25 July 2018 guidance from the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness regarding equity, injustice or clemency determinations (Wilkie Memo).

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. Although enclosure (1) was not filed in a timely manner, it is in the interest of justice to review the application on its merits.

b. Petitioner enlisted in the Navy and began a period of active duty on 9 February 1977. In his enlistment contract, his SSN is listed as █. During the period from 9 February 1977 to 9 December 1984, Petitioner completed two periods of honorable service and immediately reenlisted again on 10 December 1984.

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c. Subsequently, on 26 September 1986, Petitioner was administratively discharged from the Navy with an Other Than Honorable (OTH) characterization of service by reason of misconduct due to commission of a serious and was issued a Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214) that lists his SSN as reflected on his enlistment contract.

d. Petitioner contends that his SSN listed on his DD Form 214 is incorrect. Petitioner asserts that a correction to his record is needed in order for him to get his benefits started and to receive medical health attention.

e. The Board noted Petitioner provided supporting documentation in the form of Social Security Administration verification letter and social security card that shows a SSN of [REDACTED]

#### CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, to include a copy of a Social Security Card, provided by the Petitioner, which list his SSN as [REDACTED] the Board concludes that Petitioner's request warrants favorable action in the form of relief by changing his SSN on the DD Form 214 to reflect [REDACTED]

#### RECOMMENDATION:

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

That Petitioner's naval record, specifically, Block 3 of all DD Form 214s for the periods 9 February 1977 to 11 December 1980; 12 December 1980 to 9 December 1984; and 10 December 1984 to 26 September 1986, be corrected to reflect his SSN as [REDACTED] vice [REDACTED]

That Petitioner be issued new DD Form 214s which reflects the Petitioner's correct SSN.

That no further correction action be taken on Petitioner's naval record.

That a copy of this record 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

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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.

2/10/2023

[REDACTED]

Executive Director

Signed by: [REDACTED]