

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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> Docket No. 0323-23 Ref: Signature Date

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF FORMER MEMBER

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Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. §1552

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 his record be corrected to change the social security number listed on his discharge documents. Enclosure (2) applies.
- 2. The Board, consisting of particles, and particles, and pursuant to its regulations, determined 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 his naval service records, and applicable statutes, regulations, 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 review the application on its merits.
- c. Petitioner enlisted in the Marine Corps and commenced active duty on 29 November 1971. At the time of his enlistment, he indicated his social security number (SSN) as XXX-XX-He was honorably discharged from active duty on 16 December 1975. He was issued a Report of Separation from Active Duty (DD Form 214) with his SSN listed as XXX-XX-Subsequently, on 10 December 1975, Petitioner was issued a Correction to DD Form 214, Report of Separation from Active duty (DD Form 215) that also indicates his SSN as XXX-XX-

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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. In this regard, the Board found it reasonable to conclude the SSN shown on Petitioner's DD Form 214 was erroneously entered based on his enlistment contract that listed a different SSN. In this regard, the Board determined Petitioner's SSN on his DD Form 214, and subsequently issued DD Form 215, should reflect XXX-XX-

RECOMMENDATION:

In view of the above, the Board directs the following corrective action: Petitioner be issued a Correction to DD Form 214, Report of Separation from Active duty (DD Form 215) that corrects the SSN listed on his DD Form 214, for the period ending 16 December 1975, and DD Form 215, issued on 10 December 1975, to reflect a SSN of XXX-XX

No further changes be made to Petitioner's record.

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.

