

## **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS 701 S. COURTHOUSE ROAD, SUITE 1001 ARLINGTON, VA 22204-2490

> Docket No. 1509-23 Ref: Signature Date

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From: To:	Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records Secretary of the Navy
Subj:	REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF XXX XX USMC USMC
Ref:	(a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552 (b) MCO P1070/12K w/CH 1 (c) MCO 1900.16 w/CH2
Encl:	<ul> <li>(1) DD Form 149 w/enclosures</li> <li>(2) Administrative Remarks 6105 counseling entry, 9 Mar 22</li> <li>(3) Administrative Remarks counseling entry, 9 Mar 22</li> <li>(4) CO, transfer in 1070 CO, 10 Jan 23</li> </ul>
enclos	suant to the provisions of reference (a), Subject, hereinafter referred to as Petitioner, filed ure (1) with the Board for Correction of Naval Records (Board), requesting that her naval be corrected to remove the 9 March 2022 Administrative Remarks 6105 counseling entry.
allegat that the Docun	e Board, consisting of, and reviewed Petitioner's ions of error and injustice on 21 March 2023, and pursuant to its regulations, determined e corrective action indicated below should be taken on the available evidence of record. The nentary material considered by the Board consisted of the enclosures, relevant portions of aval records, and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.
error a	e Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of and injustice, found that, before applying to this Board, he exhausted all administrative ies available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy. The made the following findings:
logboo notifyi Petitio	On 9 March 2022, Petitioner was issued a counseling entry for slapping and throwing a ok at the body of On the same date, Petitioner was issued a counseling entry ng her that she is restricted from being promoted to the next higher grade for 12 months. ner acknowledged the counseling entries and elected not to submit a statement. sures (2) and (3)
subsentries report	On 10 January 2023, the Commanding Officer (CO), Combat Logistics Battalion mitted correspondence recommending removal of Petitioner's contested counseling. The CO indicated that he issued the counseling entries after receipt of a military police alleging that the Petitioner struck her intimate partner. Multiple request to review relevant to footage were denied by the records custodian. However, after having the opportunity to

personally review the security footage from the incident, he determined that the police did not accurately describe the facts, therefore, allowing the counseling entries to remain in her record would be an injustice. Enclosure (4)

c. Petitioner explained that she denied the accuracy of the police report or that she had committed assault. After the CO was finally able to view the security footage, he determined the incident did not happen as alleged in the report. As evidence, Petitioner furnished enclosure (4).

## CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting relief.

The Board noted the CO's correspondence recommending removal of the counseling entries and found his justification credible and sufficient to demonstrate an injustice. The Board also noted that Petitioner did not specifically request to remove the counseling entry restricting her promotion. In the interested of justice, the Board determined that the both counseling entries should be removed.

## RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner's naval record be corrected by removing enclosures (2) and (3).

Any material or entries inconsistent with or relating to the Board's recommendation be corrected, removed, or completely expunged from Petitioner's record, and that no such entries or material be added to the record in the future. This includes, but is not limited to, all information systems or database entries that reference or discuss the expunged material.

- 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.

