



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 2297-23
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552
(b) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20
(c) FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 004/FY22), 9 Aug 22

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments
(2) Advisory opinion by CMSB BUPERS-328, 23 Mar 23
(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 show Petitioner reenlisted on 29 August 2022 and was eligible for and received a Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB).

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 2 May 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 enclosures, relevant portions of Petitioner's naval record, and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.

3. Before applying to this Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice finds as follows:

a. On 27 August 2015, Petitioner entered active duty.

b. On 30 August 2019, Petitioner reenlisted for 3 years with an End of Active Obligated Service (EAOS) of 29 August 2022.

c. On 1 February 2020, Petitioner signed an agreement to extend enlistment for 15 months in accordance with Navy Standard Integrated Personnel System with an Soft EAOS (SEAOS) of 29 November 2023.

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d. In accordance with reference (b), announced revised SRB policy for Active Component and Full-Time Support, 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.

e. On 1 August 2020, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED] and arrived to S [REDACTED] on 9 August 2020 for temporary duty.

f. In September 2020, Petitioner was awarded Navy Enlisted Classification 803R.

g. On 11 September 2020, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED] and arrived to [REDACTED] on 19 October 2020 for duty.

h. On 27 August 2021, Petitioner entered Zone B.

i. On 1 August 2022, Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel notified Petitioner that he was authorized immediate in-rate reenlistment in the active component with an end date of November 2023.

j. In accordance with reference (c), FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 004/FY22) a Zone "B" SRB with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 award ceiling) for the ABE rate is listed.

k. On 9 September 2022, Petitioner reenlisted for 6 years with an EAOS of 8 September 2028.

l. In the advisory opinion, 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, Petitioner was not within the required 365 days in order to be eligible to reenlist for SRB. Petitioner should have been advised to reenlist for 6 years on 29 August 2022, prior to his 15-month extension becoming operative. Petitioner would have been approved for 72 months of obligated service and a Zone B SRB.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner was discharged and reenlisted on 28/29 August 2022 vice 8/9 September 2022 for a term of 6 years.

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Note: This change will entitle the member to a Zone "B" SRB with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 dollar award ceiling) for the ABE rate.

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.

5/14/2023

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