

## **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

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

> Docket No. 2972-23 Ref: Signature Date

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF FORMER MEMBER

Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. 1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149

(2) Naval record (excerpts)

- 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 correction to his social security number (SSN) on his Report of Separation from Active Duty (DD Form 214). Enclosures (1) and (2) apply.
- 2. The Board, consisting of allegations of error on 19 April 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 his naval service records, and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.
- 3. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error 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. Petitioner's enlistment contract inaccurately reflected his SSN as and was corrected to show On 4 October 1972, Petitioner began active duty. On 3 October 1974, Petitioner was honorably discharged from the Marine Corps and was issued a DD Form 214 that erroneously listed his SSN as

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d. Petitioner contends that his SSN listed on his DD Form 214 is incorrect. He provided supporting documentation in the form of a photo copy of his driver's license and a photo copy of his Social Security Card showing his SSN as

## CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board determined that the Petitioner's record warrants relief.

The Board noted Petitioner provided sufficient documentation that his SSN was incorrectly documented on his DD Form 214, and concludes that Petitioner's request warrants favorable action in the form of relief by correcting his SSN on the DD Form 214.

## RECOMMENDATION:

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

Petitioner be issued a DD Form 215 correcting the DD Form 214 to show that for the period ending 3 October 1974, Petitioner's SSN was listed as

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

That 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.

