



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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Docket No. 3493-23  
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO [REDACTED], USN,  
XXX-XX-[REDACTED] (RET)

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552  
(b) NAVMILPERSCOMINST 1900.1B, 11 Sep 86  
(c) BUPERSINST 1900.8, 28 Jun 93

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments  
(2) 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's current Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214) includes all service not accounted.

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 11 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 31 January 1977, Petitioner enlisted in the U.S Naval Reserve for 6 years with an Expiration of Obligated Service of 30 January 1983. On 17 November 1977, Petitioner entered active duty for 4 years with an End of Active Obligated Service (EAOS) of 16 November 1981 and Soft EAOS of 16 November 1983. Petitioner was discharged with an honorable character of service and was issued a DD Form 214 for the period of 17 November 1977 to 28 August 1983 within three months of expiration of enlistment. Petitioner was released from active duty and transferred to the Navy Reserve with an honorable character of service and was issued a DD Form 214 for the period of 29 August 1983 to 2 March 1987 due to immediate reenlistment. On 3 March 1987, Petitioner reenlisted for 6 years with an EAOS of 2 March 1993. On 3 March 1993, Petitioner reenlisted.

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b. On 1 March 1996, Petitioner accepted Appointment in the active U.S. Navy as a Chief Warrant Officer-2.

c. Petitioner was retired with an honorable character of service and was issued a DD Form 214 for the period of 1 March 1996 to 1 March 2000 upon having sufficient service for retirement.

## CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, and especially in light of the contents of references (b) and (c), the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following partial corrective action. The Board concluded that Petitioner was on continuous active duty from 17 November 1977 until his transfer to the fleet reserve and that Petitioner's DD Form 214 executed on 1 March 2000 contains all of his naval service, therefore, correction to that DD Form 214 is not warranted. However, in accordance with reference (b),<sup>1</sup> Petitioner should have been issued a DD Form 214 for each reenlistment. Petitioner's official military personnel file (OMPF) does not contain a DD Form 214 for the period of 3 March 1987 to 2 March 1993 due to immediate reenlistment. Additionally, Petitioner's OMPF does not contain a DD Form 214 upon appointment in the active U.S. Navy as a Chief Warrant Officer-2. In accordance with reference (c),<sup>2</sup> Petitioner should have received a DD Form 214 for the period of 3 March 1993 to 29 February 1996 in order to accept commission or warrant in same branch of service.

## RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner will be issued a DD Form 214 for the period of 3 March 1987 to 2 March 1993 due to immediate reenlistment.

Petitioner will be issued a DD Form 214 for the period of 3 March 1993 to 29 February 1996 in order to accept commission or warrant in same branch of service.

That part of the Petitioner's request for corrective action that exceeds the foregoing be denied.

A copy of this Report of Proceedings will be filed in Petitioner's naval record.

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<sup>1</sup> Reference (b), the DD Form 214 is prepared to cover periods of service on active duty, temporary active duty, some periods of active duty for training, certain periods terminated by a change of status not concurrent with separation from active service, and release from a status that is legally determined to be void. The DD Form 214 will be prepared and furnished to members while serving on active duty when they have a change of status or component as follows: Discharged for the purpose of immediate enlistment or reenlistment.

<sup>2</sup> Reference (c), the DD 214 is prepared to cover periods of service on active duty, active duty for training, full-time training duty, active duty for special work, certain periods terminated by a change of status not concurrent with separation from active service, and release from a status that is legally determined to be void. DD 214 will be prepared and furnished to members while serving on active duty when they have a change of status or component as follows: Enlisted Personnel. Discharged to accept permanent appointment to either warrant or commissioned status for continued active duty.

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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.

5/19/2023

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Deputy Director

Signed by: [REDACTED]