

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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> Docket No. 3820-23 Ref: Signature Date

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF

XXX XX USMC

Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. § 1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/enclosures

(2) Administrative Remarks (Page 11) counseling entry of 11 Jul 2022

(3) Rebuttal to Page 11 counseling entry dtd 11 Jul 2022

- 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 naval record be corrected by removing the Administrative Remarks (Page 11) counseling entry at enclosure (2).
- 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 Petitioner's naval records, and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.
- 3. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice, found as follows:
- a. Before applying to this Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law and regulation within the Department of the Navy.
- b. On 11 July 2022, Petitioner was issued an Administrative Remarks (Page 11) entry counseling him for failing to pass the Physical Fitness Test (PFT) on 29 June 2022. By signing the entry, Petitioner acknowledged receipt. The entry indicates Petitioner chose to make a rebuttal statement which was filed with the Page 11 in his Official Military Personnel File (OMPF). See enclosures (2) and (3).
- c. Petitioner contends the counseling entry of 11 July 2022 should be removed because the Commanding Officer reclassified the failed PFT as a partial PFT after reviewing Petitioner's rebuttal response at enclosure (3). Petitioner further explains he failed the run portion of the PFT as the result of an injury he suffered before the PFT was administered.
- d. Review of Petitioner's Marine Corps Total Force System (MCTFS) Basic Training Record reflects a passing PFT score for 29 June 2022.

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CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence, the Board determined Petitioner's request warrants relief. The Board, noting MCTFS reflects a passing score for the 29 June 2022 PFT, determined the counseling entry at enclosure (2) and associated rebuttal response at enclosure (3) should be removed from Petitioner's OMPF.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner's naval record be corrected by removing the Administrative Remarks (Page 11) counseling entry of 11 July 2022 and associated rebuttal response at enclosures (2) and (3).

That 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.

