



recruiter who assured you it would not be an issue and that your Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD-214) displays an incorrect date of birth (DOB).

After thorough review, the Board concluded your potentially mitigating factors were insufficient to warrant relief. Specifically, the Board determined your uncharacterized entry level separation remains appropriate based on your 22 days of active duty service. Service regulations direct the assignment of an uncharacterized entry level separation to service members processed for separation within their first 180 days of active service. While there are exceptions in cases involving extraordinary performance and misconduct, the Board determined neither exception applied in your case. Finally, the Board noted that your DD-214 correctly reflects your DOB of 1 December 1979. Therefore, even in light of the Wilkie Memo and reviewing the record holistically, the Board did not find evidence of an error or injustice that warrants granting you the relief you requested or granting relief as a matter of clemency or equity. Accordingly, given the totality of the circumstances, the Board determined that your request does not merit relief.

You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new matters, which will require you to complete and submit a new DD Form 149. New matters are those not previously presented to or considered by the Board. In this regard, it is important to keep in mind that a presumption of regularity attaches to all official records. Consequently, when applying for a correction of an official naval record, the burden is on the applicant to demonstrate the existence of probable material error or injustice.

Sincerely,

11/7/2023

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Executive Director

Signed by: █