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Docket No. 8736-23
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From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records
To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO ██████████, USN,
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Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552
(b) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20
(c) FY21 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 005/FY21), 9 Aug 21
(d) FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 001/FY22), 14 Feb 22

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments
(2) Advisory opinion by OCNO N133D, 28 Sep 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 cancel operative/non-operative extension and show that Petitioner reenlisted on 2 May 2022 for 4 years and was eligible for and received a Zone B Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB), and was eligible to transfer his education benefits to his dependents.

2. The Board, consisting of ██████████, ██████████, and ██████████ reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 4 January 2024 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 23 March 2012, Petitioner got married. On 12 November 2013, Petitioner's child was born.

b. On 21 May 2015, Petitioner entered active duty for 4 years with an End of Active Obligated Service (EAOS) of 20 May 2019 and Soft EAOS (SEAOS) of 20 May 2021; "Training in the nuclear field program, and advancement to E-4, per BUPERSINST 1306.78 and MILPERSMAN 1160-040 and 1510-030. I understand that this extension becomes binding upon execution and thereafter may not be cancelled except as set forth in MILPERSMAN 1160-040.

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In particular, I understand that, when I accept advancement to E-4, 12 months of this agreement may not be cancelled, whether or not I complete nuclear power or advanced training."

c. On 10 March 2017, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED], and arrived to [REDACTED] on 10 May 2017 for duty.

d. On 9 May 2017, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED], and arrived to [REDACTED] on 10 May 2017 for duty.

e. On 29 September 2017, Petitioner reenlisted for 6 years with an EAOS of 28 September 2023 and received a Zone A SRB.

f. In accordance with reference (b), this NAVADMIN 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.

g. In May 2020, Petitioner was awarded Navy Enlisted Classification (NEC) N25S.

h. In December 2020, Petitioner was awarded NEC N33Z.

i. On 21 May 2021, Petitioner entered Zone B.

j. In accordance with reference (c), FY21 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 005/FY21), a Zone "B" SRB with an award level of 7.5 (\$100,000 award ceiling) for the MMN(SW)/N25O/S rate/NEC was listed.

k. On 18 November 2021, Petitioner was issued official change duty orders (BUPERS order: 3221) with required obligated service to August 2025, while stationed in [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED] with an effective date of departure of April 2022. Petitioner's intermediate (01) activity was [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED] for temporary duty under instruction with an effective date of arrival of 2 May 2022. Petitioner's ultimate activity was [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED] for duty with an effective date of arrival of 20 August 2022 with a Projected Rotation Date of August 2025. Obligated service to August 2025 is required for this assignment, which may be satisfied, by reenlistment or extension of enlistment circumstances such as potential monetary loss under critical skills bonus or SRB, refer to MILPERSMAN 1306-106 para 4. Use of NAVPERS 1070/613 only authorized for SRB eligible sailors.

l. In accordance with reference (d), FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 001/FY22), a Zone "B" SRB with an award level of 8.5 (\$100,000 award ceiling) for the MMN(SW)/N25O/S rate/NEC was listed.

m. On 25 February 2022, Navy Standard Integrated Personnel System (NSIPS)/Electronic Service Record (ESR) shows a 23-month agreement to extend enlistment with an SEAOS of

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28 August 2025.

n. On 5 April 2022, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED], and arrived to [REDACTED] on 2 May 2022 for temporary duty.

o. On 20 August 2022, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED], and arrived to [REDACTED] on 20 August 2022 for duty.

p. On 2 January 2024, Petitioner's Benefits for Education Administrative Service Tool listed no dependents.

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 on 21 May 2021, Petitioner entered Zone B. On 18 November 2021, Petitioner was issued BUPERS order: 3221 with required obligated service to August 2025. At that time, a Zone B SRB was authorized in accordance with reference (c). On 25 February 2022, NSIPS/ESR shows a 23-month agreement to extend enlistment to meet the OBLISERV. The Board determined that Petitioner should have signed a NAVPERS 1070/613 vice extension of enlistment. On 2 May 2022, Petitioner would have been eligible to reenlist for 4 years and receive a Zone B SRB. Furthermore, Petitioner would have been eligible to transfer his education benefits to his dependents.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner's 23-month agreement to extend enlistment (NAVPERS 1070/621) operative on 29 September 2023 is null and void.

Petitioner executed an Administrative Remarks (NAVPERS 1070/613) on 25 February 2022 agreeing to extend enlistment for 23 months for OBLISERV to August 2025.

Petitioner was discharged 1 May 2022 and reenlisted on 2 May 2022 for a term of 4 years.

Note: This change will entitle Petitioner to a Zone "B" SRB with an award level of "8.5" (\$100,000 award ceiling) for the MMN(SW)/N25S rating/NEC. Remaining obligated service to 28 September 2023 will be deducted from SRB computation. Additionally, Navy Personnel Command is authorized to align transfer of education benefits with the 2 May 2022 reenlistment. Furthermore, that any other entries affected by the Board's recommendation be corrected. Contact Assistant Nuclear Enlisted Program Manager, N133D, [REDACTED], [REDACTED] concerning SRB payment.

That a copy of this report of proceedings will be filed in Petitioner's naval record.

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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.

1/8/2024

