

## **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

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

> Docket No. 8763-23 Ref: Signature Date

From: To:	Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records Secretary of the Navy
Subj:	REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO
Ref:	(a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552 (b) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20 (c) FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 003/FY22), 28 Jun 22 (d) FY23 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY23), 18 Apr 23
Encl:	(1) DD Form 149 w/attachments (2) Advisory opinion by 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 30 April 2023 for 4 years and was eligible for and received a Zone B Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB), and was eligible to transfer education benefits to his dependents.
- 2. The Board, consisting of reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 9 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 27 April 2017, Petitioner entered active duty for 4 years with an End of Active Obligated Service (EAOS) of 26 April 2021 and Soft EAOS (SEAOS) 26 April 2023; "Nuclear Field (NF 6Y0) Program".
  - b. In November 2018, Petitioner was awarded Navy Enlisted Classification (NEC) N25O.
  - c. On 28 November 2018, Petitioner transferred from on 18 December 2018 for duty.

- d. On 2 May 2019, Petitioner reenlisted for 6 years with an EAOS of 1 May 2025 and received a Zone A SRB.
  - e. On 5 October 2019, Petitioner got married.
- 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 accordance with reference (c), FY22 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 003/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.
- h. On 19 July 2022, Petitioner was issued official change duty orders (BUPERS order: 2002) with required obligated service to December 2025, while stationed in with an effective date of departure of January 2023. Petitioner's intermediate (01) for temporary duty under instruction activity was with an effective date of arrival of 7 January 2023. Petitioner's ultimate activity was for duty with an effective date of arrival of 10 March 2025 with a Projected Rotation Date of December 2025. Obligated service to December 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. i. On 27 July 2022, Petitioner was issued official modification to change duty orders (BUPERS order: 2002) with required obligated service to March 2026, while stationed in with an effective date of departure of December 2022. Petitioner's intermediate (01) activity was for temporary duty under instruction with an effective date of arrival of 7 January 2023. Petitioner's ultimate for duty with an activity was effective date of arrival of 10 March 2023 with a Projected Rotation Date of March 2026. Obligated service to March 2026 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. j. On 9 August 2022, Navy Standard Integrated Personnel System (NSIPS)/Electronic
- j. On 9 August 2022, Navy Standard Integrated Personnel System (NSIPS)/Electronic Service Record (ESR) shows a 10-month agreement to extend enlistment with an SEAOS of 1 March 2026.
- k. On 7 December 2022, Petitioner transferred from and arrived to on 7 January 2023 for temporary duty.

- 1. In February 2023, Petitioner was awarded NEC 803R.
- m. On 10 February 2023, Petitioner transferred from and arrived to on 13 February 2023 for duty.
- n. In accordance with reference (d), FY23 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY23), 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.
  - o. On 27 April 2023, Petitioner entered Zone B.
  - p. On 5 December 2023, Petitioner transferred from and arrived to on 5 December 2023 for duty.
- q. On 5 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 on 19 July 2022, Petitioner was issued BUPERS order: 2002 with required obligated service to December 2025. At that time, a Zone B SRB was authorized in accordance with reference (c), however Petitioner was still in Zone A. On 9 August 2022, NSIPS/ESR shows a 10-month agreement to extend enlistment to meet the OBLISERV. On 27 April 2023, Petitioner entered Zone B. The Board determined that Petitioner should have signed a NAVPERS 1070/613 vice extension of enlistment. On 30 April 2023, Petitioner would have been eligible to reenlist for 4 years and receive a Zone B SRB, and 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 10-month agreement to extend enlistment (NAVPERS 1070/621) operative on 2 May 2025 is null and void.

Petitioner executed an Administrative Remarks (NAVPERS 1070/613) on 9 August 2022 agreeing to extend enlistment for 10 months for OBLISERV to March 2026.

Petitioner was discharged 29 April 2023 and reenlisted on 30 April 2023 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)/N25O rating/NEC. Remaining obligated service to 1 May 2025 will be deducted from SRB computation. Additionally, Navy Personnel Command is authorized to align transfer of education benefits with the 30 April 2023 reenlistment.

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That a copy of this report of proceedings will 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 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.

