

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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> Docket No. 10753-23 Ref: Signature Date

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) OPNAVINST 1160.8B, 1 Apr 19

(c) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20

(d) FY23 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY23), 18 Apr 23

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments

- (2) Advisory Opinion by CMSB memo 1160 Ser B328/207, 22 Dec 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 her naval record be corrected to show Petitioner reenlisted on date of 22 August 2023 vice 21 August 2023 and was eligible for and received a Zone C Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB).
- 2. The Board, consisting of previous pr
- 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 21 August 2013, Petitioner entered active duty.
- b. In accordance with reference (b), a member may receive only one SRB per zone during a career. When reenlisting for SRB, the reenlistment must take the member's new EAOS into the next SRB zone.
- c. In accordance with reference (c), 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.

- d. On 26 February 2021, Petitioner reenlisted for 3 years with an End of Active Obligated Service (EAOS) of 25 February 2024 and received a Zone B SRB.
- e. In accordance with reference (d) FY23 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY23), FY21 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 005/FY21), a Zone "C" SRB with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 award ceiling) for the ABH rate was listed.
 - f. On 21 August 2023, Petitioner entered Zone C.
- g. On 21 August 2023, Petitioner signed an Administrative Remarks (NAVPERS 1070/613) for the following: "21AUG23: Reenlisted this date. Entitled to selective reenlistment bonus (SRB) based on (rating and Navy enlisted classification (NEC)) SRB Zone B. The total S'RB entitlement is 20,063.38. First installment is \$10,431.69. Furthermore, both the reenlistment Officer and witnessed signed.
 - h. On 21 August 2023, Petitioner reenlisted for 6 years with an EAOS of 20 August 2029.
- i. In the advisory opinion, attached as enclosure (2), the office having cognizance over the subject matter addressed in Petitioner's application has commented to the effect that the request has merit and warrants favorable action.

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 Petitioner reenlisted on 21 August 2023 for 6 years. Per reference (d), her skillset of ABH was listed as being eligible for Zone C, 0.5 award level SRB. The petitioner's previous reenlistment was in Zone B, and she received a Zone B SRB. Per reference (b), a member may receive only one SRB per zone.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner was discharged and reenlisted on 21/22 August 2023 vice on 20/21 August 2023 for a term of 6 years.

Note: This change will entitle the member to a Zone "C" SRB with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 dollar award ceiling) for the ABH rate. Remaining obligated service to 25 February 2024 will be deducted from SRB computation.

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.

