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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

IN THE MATTER OF:

DOCKET NUMBER: BC-2023-00794

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COUNSEL: NONE

HEARING REQUESTED: NO

APPLICANT'S REQUEST

His home of record (HOR) be changed from [Work-Product] to [Work-Product].

APPLICANT'S CONTENTIONS

He was miscounseled by both finance and the separations office at [Work-Product]. He was told that his HOR had been updated to [Work-Product]; therefore, he made plans to move his family back to [Work-Prod...] upon separation. He did not plan on this expense, as the Air Force does take care of a member's final move - up to the cost which it would take to return to their HOR. He understands that mistakes are made; however, he requests the Air Force honor the counseling that he received.

The applicant's complete submission is at Exhibit A.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The applicant is a currently serving Air Force major (O-4).

On 4 July 2013, according to AF IMT 766, *Extended Active Duty Order*, the applicant was ordered to active duty. His HOR is identified as [W...]

On 6 March 2008, according to AF Form 24, *Application for Appointment as Reserve of the Air Force or USAF without Component*, the applicant signed a form that identifies his HOR, as [Wo...]

For more information, see the excerpt of the applicant's record at Exhibit B.

APPLICABLE AUTHORITY

The Joint Travel Regulations (JTR), Appendix A, defines the HOR as the place recorded as the individual's home when appointed, commissioned, enlisted, inducted, or ordered into a tour of active duty. The JTR further states that a member may only change the HOR if a break in service exceeds one full day. Additionally, in instances of a bona fide error where the place originally named at the time of current entry into the service was not in fact the actual home, the correction must be fully justified and the home, as corrected, must be the member's actual home upon entering the service, and not a different place selected for the member's convenience.

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According to the DD Form 214 Personnel Services Delivery Guide, the HOR on the application for appointment (AF Form 24, *Application for Appointment as Reserve of the Air Force or USAF without Component*) is used as the HOR on the DD Form 214 for active duty officers. As a secondary source, the HOR listed on the EAD order for the starting period of service recorded on the DD Form 214, block 12a (Date Entered Active Duty this Period), may be used.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

1. The application was timely filed.
2. The applicant exhausted all available non-judicial relief before applying to the Board.
3. After a careful review of the applicant's contentions and the available evidence of record, the Board is not convinced the applicant has provided sufficient evidence to conclude that he is the victim of an error or injustice. The HOR when the applicant entered EAD on 4 July 2013, is listed as [Wo...] and the applicant did not provide proof that his HOR was recorded in error. In addition, the applicant did not have a break in service of more than one full day; therefore, a change to the applicant's HOR is not authorized. In view of the foregoing, the Board recommends against correcting the applicant's records.

RECOMMENDATION

The Board recommends informing the applicant the evidence did not demonstrate material error or injustice, and the Board will reconsider the application only upon receipt of relevant evidence not already presented.

CERTIFICATION

The following quorum of the Board, as defined in Department of the Air Force Instruction (DAFI) 36-2603, *Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records (AFBCMR)*, paragraph 2.1, considered Docket Number BC-2023-00794 in Executive Session on 12 June 2023:

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, Panel Chair

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, Panel Member

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, Panel Member

All members voted against correcting the record. The panel considered the following:

Exhibit A: Application, DD Form 149, dated 15 March 2023.

Exhibit B: Documentary Evidence, including relevant excerpts from official records.

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Taken together with all Exhibits, this document constitutes the true and complete Record of Proceedings, as required by DAFI 36-2603, paragraph 4.12.9.

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