

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

IN THE MATTER OF: DOCKET NUMBER: BC-2025-00816

COUNSEL: NONE

HEARING REQUESTED: NO

APPLICANT'S REQUEST

He be credited with three points for inactive duty training (IDT) in his 2015 recruiting and retention (R/R) year.

APPLICANT'S CONTENTIONS

From Apr 14 to Apr 15, three, points only IDT sessions were not processed when he worked as a chaplain on Air Force Reserve (AFR) duty at the chaplain corps. The dates were 11 Dec 14, 13 Jan 15, and 31 Mar 15. His record omits three points earned due to an administrative error and computer system glitches, preventing him from having a good year for retirement. He is seeking credit for these three training periods previously mentioned, updating his total to 50 points and granting a good year toward 20-year retirement eligibility.

He has attached evidence confirming the chaplain duties, earning three points, but AFR records failed to reflect this due to administrative errors and computer glitches. This correction ensures fairness. He also attached his personal calendar for the dates in question, a memorandum for record (MFR) written by himself, as well as the noncommissioned officer in charge (NCOIC) to show he was on duty during those times. He believes there must have been an error as he transferred to the Air National Guard (ANG) during this timeframe. There were multiple issues with the unit training assembly processing system (UTAPS), especially when his supervisor deployed. He reached out to the Unit Training Assembly Processing System help desk and the Air Reserve Personnel Center (ARPC) for correction and both requests were denied. He also reached out to the Defense Finance Accounting Service (DFAS) for a pay calendar summary from fiscal year 2015; however, the dates do not appear because of the computer system glitch and administrative oversight. Lastly, he has included four-character references to highlight the trustworthiness of his claim.

The applicant's complete submission is at Exhibit A.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The applicant is an ANG lieutenant colonel (O-5).

The Point Credit Accounting and Reporting System (PCARS) report indicates the applicant was short a good year for 2015 by 3 points showing he only earned 47 points in R/R year Apr 14 through Apr 15.

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

AIR FORCE EVALUATION

HQ RIO/IRO recommends granting the application, finding an error with processing the applicant's points based on the evidence presented. Per the applicant's statements, he performed three periods of IDT for points only on 11 Dec 14, 13 Jan 15, and 31 Mar 15 for readiness related tasks. Due to an oversight in processing his points, he was not credited for that time, resulting in an "unsatisfactory" year for R/R 2015. The applicant has requested UTAPS reports through myFSS; however, that record could not be provided to him. He submitted several memorandums substantiating his claim of performing three IDT periods including what was accomplished during those times.

The complete advisory opinion is at Exhibit C.

APPLICANT'S REVIEW OF AIR FORCE EVALUATION

The Board sent a copy of the advisory opinion to the applicant on 8 Apr 25 for comment (Exhibit D) but has received no response.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

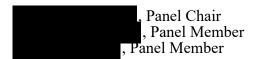
- 1. The application was timely filed.
- 2. The applicant exhausted all available non-judicial relief before applying to the Board.
- 3. After reviewing all Exhibits, the Board concludes the applicant is the victim of an error or injustice. The Board concurs with the rationale and recommendation of HQ RIO/IRO and finds a preponderance of the evidence substantiates the applicant's contentions. Due to no fault of the applicant, three periods of IDT were not accounted for. Therefore, the Board recommends correcting the applicant's records as indicated below.

RECOMMENDATION

The pertinent military records of the Department of the Air Force relating to APPLICANT be corrected to show three points were added to Recruiting and Retention (R/R) year 2015 and reflect satisfactory participation for that year.

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-2025-00816 in Executive Session on 13 May 25:



All members voted to correct the record. The panel considered the following:

Exhibit A: Application, DD Form 149, w/atchs, dated 25 Feb 25.

Exhibit B: Documentary evidence, including relevant excerpts from official records. Exhibit C: Advisory opinion, HQ RIO/IRO, dated 3 Apr 25. Exhibit D: Notification of advisory, SAF/MRBC to applicant, dated 8 Apr 25.

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.

