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## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS

### RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

IN THE MATTER OF:

DOCKET NUMBER: BC-2022-03297

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COUNSEL: NONE

HEARING REQUESTED: NO

### APPLICANT'S REQUEST

Her date of rank (DOR) for promotion to lieutenant colonel (O-5) be corrected to reflect 22 May 2022 rather than 22 May 2023.

### APPLICANT'S CONTENTIONS

She was selected to lieutenant colonel on 18 December 2020. Her projected pin-on date was 22 May 2022. She transferred to the DC Air National Guard (ANG) directly from the active duty component without a break in service effective 26 January 2021. She was selected for promotion in the Calendar Year 2022 (CY22) ANGUS lieutenant colonel Board in April 2022, and was selected for promotion with a DOR of 22 May 2023.

The applicant's complete submission is at Exhibit A.

### STATEMENT OF FACTS

The applicant is a currently serving Air Force Reserve (AFRes) lieutenant colonel (O-5).

On 30 May 2010, according to DD Form 214, *Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty*, the applicant entered active duty. On 30 June 2016, the applicant received an honorable character of service. Type of separation reflects "Resignation." Her narrative reason for separation reflects "Completion of Required Active Service."

On 1 July 2016, according to Special Order Work-Prod... dated 27 July 2016, the applicant was appointed in the FL ANG in the grade of major.

On 15 June 2017, according to Special Order Work-Product dated 27 February 2018, the applicant was honorably discharged from the FL ANG and transferred to the AFRes in the grade of major.

On 12 July 2018, according to DD Form 214, *Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty*, the applicant entered active duty. On 25 January 2021, the applicant received an honorable character of service. Type of separation reflects "Resignation." Her narrative reason for separation reflects "Completion of Required Active Service." She served 2 years, 6 months, and 14 days of active service; 6 years, 1 month and 1 day of total prior active service; and 6 years and 12 days total prior inactive service.

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On 26 January 2021, according to AF Form 133, *Oath of Office (Military Personnel)*, the applicant was appointed major in the Reserve of the Air Force.

According to the CY22 Air National Guard Line and Nonline Lieutenant Colonel Promotion Selection Board Select List, the applicant's projected DOR reflects 22 May 2023.

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

## AIR FORCE EVALUATION

ARPC/PB recommends denying the application. The applicant met an Air Force RegAF promotion board to lieutenant colonel in CY20. The results of the board (M0520A) were approved on 18 December 2020 and the applicant's DOR was projected for 22 May 2022. The applicant transferred to Air National Guard (ANG) on 26 January 2021 and met the CY22 ANG Lieutenant Colonel Promotion Board 4 April 2022. The applicant was selected for ANG promotion and had a projected promotion to lieutenant colonel for 22 May 2023.

In accordance with Title 10, U.S.C. section 14317 and Air Force Instruction (AFI) 36-2504, *Officer Promotion, Continuation and Selective Early Removal in the Reserve of the Air Force*, paragraph 6.4., any officer selected for promotion to a higher grade, who transfers from the active duty List (ADL) to the Reserve Active Status List (RASL) of the same armed force, will receive their promotion provided the officer remains in the same competitive category. AFI 36-2504, Table 5.2., Rule 13, states that transfers from the ADL to the RASL, with a pending ADL promotion, the DOR will be calculated using the current (as of the date of the transfer) ResAF in promotion zone (IPZ) eligibility criteria.

In accordance with AFI 36-2504, Table 2.1., Promotion Eligibility Criteria, for promotion to lieutenant colonel, officers must have seven years of time in grade. The applicant's DOR to major was 22 May 2016 and with seven years of time in grade, their projected promotion date to lieutenant colonel would be 22 May 2023.

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 11 April 2023 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 not the victim of an error or injustice. The Board concurs with the rationale and recommendation of ARPC/PB and finds a preponderance of the evidence does not substantiate the applicant's contentions. Therefore, 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-2022-03297 in Executive Session on 12 June 2023:

Work-Product, Panel Chair  
 Work-Product Panel Member  
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All members voted against correcting the record. The panel considered the following:

- Exhibit A: Application, DD Form 149, dated 16 December 2022.
- Exhibit B: Documentary evidence, including relevant excerpts from official records.
- Exhibit C: Advisory Opinion, ARPC/PB, w/atchs, dated 29 January 2023.
- Exhibit D: Notification of Advisory, SAF/MRBC to Applicant, dated 11 April 2023.

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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