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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

IN THE MATTER OF:

DOCKET NUMBER: BC-2024-00816

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COUNSEL: NONE

HEARING REQUESTED: NO

APPLICANT'S REQUEST

His reenlistment code of "2X" which denotes considered but not selected under the Selective Reenlistment Program be removed from his DD Form 214, *Certificate of Release from Active Duty*.

APPLICANT'S CONTENTIONS

He did nothing to warrant the code. He has no disciplinary actions or negative behavior in his record regarding the inclusion of this code. He recently was informed the "2X" reenlistment code is derogatory.

The applicant's complete submission is at Exhibit A.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The applicant is a former Air Force senior airman (E-4).

On 10 Oct 80, according to the applicant's DD Form 418, *Selective Reenlistment/Noncommissioned Officer Status Consideration*, he was not recommended for reenlistment by his supervisor due to his consistent failure to maintain standards off-duty. On the same day the unit commander did not select the applicant for retention; additionally, the applicant acknowledged receipt of his non-selection for reenlistment and indicated he intended to appeal the decision; however, an appeal was not received.

On 23 Nov 80, the applicant received an honorable discharge. His narrative reason for separation is "Expiration of Service" with a reenlistment code of "2X" and was credited with four years of total active service.

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

AIR FORCE EVALUATION

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AFPC/DPMSSM recommends denying the application finding no evidence of an error or injustice of the denial of reenlistment based on the documentation provided by the applicant and analysis of the facts. The applicant was non-selected for reenlistment eligibility by his commander, and he acknowledged his non-selection for reenlistment and rendered his intent to appeal the non-selection. However, the applicant failed to turn in an appeal request, which meant he would have to separate on his date of separation of 23 Nov 80.

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 21 Oct 24 for comment (Exhibit D) but has received no response.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

1. The application was not 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 AFPC/DPMSSM and finds a preponderance of the evidence does not substantiate the applicant's contentions. The applicant contends he did not have any disciplinary actions to warrant the RE code he was given; however, the Board finds he was not recommended for reenlistment by his supervisor due to his consistent failure to maintain standards off-duty. Due to this reasoning, the Board finds the RE code assigned to the applicant was within the governing regulations at the time of his discharge. The applicant had a chance to appeal this decision, but the Board finds no evidence he submitted a response to this decision. Therefore, the Board recommends against correcting the applicant's records. The Board also notes the applicant did not file the application within three years of discovering the alleged error or injustice, as required by Section 1552 of Title 10, United States Code, and Department of the Air Force Instruction 36-2603, *Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records (AFBCMR)*. The Board does not find it in the interest of justice to waive the three-year filing requirement and finds the application untimely.

RECOMMENDATION

The Board recommends informing the applicant the application was not timely filed; it would not be in the interest of justice to excuse the delay; and the Board will reconsider the application only upon receipt of relevant evidence not already presented.

CERTIFICATION

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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-2024-00816 in Executive Session on 11 Feb 25:

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Panel Chair

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Panel Member

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

Exhibit A: Application, DD Form 149, w/atch, dated 15 Nov 23.

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

Exhibit C: Advisory Opinion, AFPC/DPMSSM, dated 21 Oct 24.

Exhibit D: Notification of Advisory, SAF/MRBC to Applicant, dated 21 Oct 24.

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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