IN THE CASE OF:

BOARD DATE: 9 May 2024

DOCKET NUMBER: AR20230010667

<u>APPLICANT REQUESTS:</u> correction of DA Form 5016 (Chronological Statement of Retirement Points) to reflect 24 additional retirement points accrued between March – April 2023.

APPLICANT'S SUPPORTING DOCUMENT(S) CONSIDERED BY THE BOARD:

- DD Form 149 (Application for Correction of Military Record)
- DA Form 1380 (Record of Individual Performance of Reserve Duty Training)

FACTS:

1. The applicant states in pertinent part that he performed qualifying service for points only during the months of March and April 2023. He was advised to document this service on a DA Form 1380 and submit it for processing. Upon submission, he was advised that since the service performed was outside of the 60-day window, he would need to request relief through this Board.

2. A review of the applicant's available service records reflects the following:

a. On 4 February 2000, the applicant enlisted in the U.S. Army Reserve to serve as a 42A (Human Resource Specialist).

b. On 26 September 2019, Headquarters, 63rd Readiness Division issued Orders Number 19-269-00069 announcing the applicant's promotion to sergeant first class (SFC)/E-7, effective 1 October 2019. Orders Number 19-269-00070 was also issued, reassigning the applicant to Headquarters. 95th Training Division, effective 1 November 2019.

3. The applicant provides:

a. DA Form 1380 dated 23 June 2023, reflective of his performance of qualifying service performed for points only on: 5, 13, 16 (4 hours per day/3 points), 23, 25, 27 (8 hours per day/6 points) 28 and 30 March 2023 (4 hours per day/2 points) = (11 points total).

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b. DA Form 1380 dated 23 June 2023, reflective of his performance of qualifying service performed for points only on: 4 April 2023 (8 hours/2 points) and 5, 8, 11-13, 17-19, 24, and 27-28 April 2023 (4 hours per day/11 points) = 13 points total.

4. On 4 January 2024, Headquarters, U.S. Army Reserve Command, Chief, Soldier Programs Branch, provided an advisory opinion recommending approval of the applicant's request noting that due to his delayed submission, the DA Forms 1380 could not be processed in a timely manner.

5. On 9 January 2024, the applicant was provided with a copy of the advisory opinion and afforded 30 days to provide comments. The applicant responded concurring with the advisory opinion's recommendation.

6. A review of the applicant's detailed points history available within the Soldier Management System – Web (SMS-Web) is void of evidence of points previously awarded for the periods reflected on the DA Forms 1380.

BOARD DISCUSSION:

1. After reviewing the application, all supporting documents, and the evidence found within the military record, the Board found relief is warranted.

2. The Board concurred with the conclusion of the advisory official that the evidence supports making the correction the applicant seeks. The Board determined his record should be corrected by processing the DA Forms 1380 he provided in support of his application.

BOARD VOTE:

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			GRANT FULL RELIEF
:	:	:	GRANT PARTIAL RELIEF
:	:	:	GRANT FORMAL HEARING
:	:	:	DENY APPLICATION

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BOARD DETERMINATION/RECOMMENDATION:

The Board determined the evidence presented is sufficient to warrant a recommendation for relief. As a result, the Board recommends that all Department of the Army records of the individual concerned be corrected by processing the DA Forms 1380 he provided in support of his application.



I certify that herein is recorded the true and complete record of the proceedings of the Army Board for Correction of Military Records in this case.

REFERENCE:

Army Regulation 140-185 (Training and Retirement Point Credits and Unit Level Strength and Accounting Records) prescribes the types of training and activities for which retirement points are authorized and the procedures for recording retirement point credits and training for U.S. Army Reserve (USAR) Soldiers. A qualifying year of service for non-regular retired pay is a full year during which a Reserve Component member is credited with a minimum of 50 retirement points.

a. Paragraph 2–2, (Criteria for Earning Retirement Points) states retirement points may be earned by USAR Soldiers for active duty (AD), or while in an active Reserve status, for ADT, initial active duty for training (IADT), involuntary active duty for training (involuntary ADT), AT, and IDT. Types of IDT are:

- regularly scheduled unit training includes UTA, and MUTA
- Regularly Scheduled Training (RST) other than UTA/MUTA
- make up assemblies for missed UTA/MUTA due to AT
- Equivalent Training (ET) in lieu of scheduled UTA/MUTA or RST
- additional training assemblies (ATA)
- two-hour unit training assemblies
- training of individual Soldiers in non-pay status.

b. Paragraph 2-3 (Qualification and Eligibility for Earning Retirement Points) provides that all USAR Soldiers are classified into alphabetic training/pay categories (T/PC) for determination of individual requirements for paid IDT and AT (see AR 140-1).

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These categories determine individual status in the RR (Selected Reserve (SELRES), IRR, and the Standby Reserve (active and inactive)).

c. Paragraph 2–4 (Criteria for Awarding Retirement Points) states, personnel on AD, ADT, IADT, involuntary ADT, or AT are awarded 1 point for each calendar day they serve in one of these categories and may not be awarded additional points for other activities while in such status. Most types of IDT are covered by one of the following rules on required duration of IDT and calendar day limitations on points:

- one point for each scheduled 4-hour period of IDT at UTA, RST, ET, ATA, or make up assembly maximum of 2 points in 1 calendar day
- one point for each 2 hour or greater period
- two-hour aggregates of shorter periods may be used, except in the case of 2-hour unit training assembly's maximum of 1 point in 1 calendar day
- one point for each 2 hour or greater period
- two-hour aggregates of shorter periods may be used except in the case of 2-hour unit training assemblies
- award of a second point in the same day requires additional hours to bring the day's total to a minimum of 8, maximum of 2 points in 1 calendar day
- points may not be awarded under more than one of the rules above during any single calendar day
- Soldiers may not perform more than 48 BAs per fiscal year. Soldiers must perform RST within 60 days of the missed BA.

d. Paragraph 3-3 (DA Form 1380) provides that DA Form 1380 will be prepared for a unit Soldier who performs equivalent training or additional training with their unit after the scheduled Battle Assembly. TPU units will retain one copy of the DA Form 1380 to post the appropriate entry into ADARS for the months report. Nonpaid DA Forms 1380 will not be entered into ADARS and will be forwarded to HRC for award of retirement points no later than the end of each duty month.

e. Paragraph 3-3b, states a DA Form 1380 will be prepared for a unit Soldier who performs equivalent training or additional training. The code "P" or "N" will be entered in item 9c before the retirement point credit. The code "P" indicates the Soldier is entitled to inactive duty pay for the duties performed; the code "N" indicates the Soldier is entitled to retirement point credit only.

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