

IN THE CASE OF: [REDACTED]

BOARD DATE: 14 August 2025

DOCKET NUMBER: AR20240011229

APPLICANT REQUESTS: correction to his DD Form 214 (Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty) for the period ending 10 November 2022 to show in block 12a (Date Entered Active Duty This Period) as 6 April 2021.

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

- DD Form 149 (Application for Correction of Military Record)
- Order Number 040867, April 2021
- Order Number 017322, July 2021
- Order Number 040868, July 2021
- Order Number 000824, October 2021
- Orders: UB-169-0035
- Orders: HO-327-0043
- Order Number: HO-327-0043 (N)
- Orders: HO-327-0043 (A1)
- Orders: 241-0229
- DD Form 214

FACTS:

1. The applicant states he is requesting the date on his DD Form 214 in block 12a be corrected to show 6 April 2021. On his most recent deployment he started continuous orders on 6 April 2021, with mobilization taking place on 7 October 2021. The orders should reflect a start date of 6 April 2021 since he remained on orders continuously through the end of his active duty service period in Fort Cavazos. The DD Form 214 should be updated to show the correct date.

2. A review of the applicant's service record shows:

a. A DD Form 4 (Enlistment/ Reenlistment Document– Armed Forces of the United States) shows he enlisted in the United States Army Reserve on 10 July 2001.

b. Order Number 017322, dated 24 November 2020, shows the applicant was ordered to active duty training school for 13 days with a report date of 11 July 2021.

c. Order Number 040867, dated 10 February 2021, shows the applicant was ordered to active duty training for 96 duty days with a report date no later than 6 April 2021.

d. Order Number 040868, dated 10 February 2021, shows the applicant was ordered to active duty training for 69 duty days with a report date of 24 July 2021.

e. Orders UB-169-0035, dated 18 June 2021, shows the applicant was ordered to active duty as a member of his Reserve Component Unit with a report date of 7 October 2021, in support of Operation Inherent Resolve, for a period of approximately 400 days.

f. Order Number 000814, dated 27 September 2021, shows the applicant was ordered to annual training for 6 duty days with a report date of 1 October 2021.

g. Orders: HO-327-0043, dated 23 November 2021, shows the applicant was deployed in a Temporary Change of Station in support of Operation Inherent Resolve-Kuwait for approximately 343 days. He was expected to arrive in Kuwait on or about 3 December 2021.

h. Order Number: HO-327-0043(N) are the applicant's NATO orders. The order states the applicant date of departure as 3 December 2021 with an expected return date of 10 November 2022.

i. Orders: HO-327-0043(A1), dated 30 November 2021, amended the applicant's duty location to include additional countries.

j. Orders 241-0229, dated 29 August 2022, released the applicant from active duty effective 10 November 2022.

k. He was honorably released from active duty on 10 November 2022. His DD Form 214 shows he completed 1 year, 1 month, and 4 days of active service. It also shows he completed 8 months and 21 days of foreign service.

BOARD DISCUSSION:

After reviewing the application, all supporting documents, and the evidence found within the military record, the Board found that relief was warranted. The Board carefully considered the applicant's record of service, documents submitted in support of the petition, and executed a comprehensive review based on law, policy, and regulation. The evidence of record shows the applicant received Order Number 040867, dated 10 February 2021, in which he was ordered to active duty training for 96 duty days with a report date no later than 6 April 2021, with continued extension orders through the end date of the DD Form 214. Therefore, the Board determined there was sufficient evidence to warrant a correction to his DD Form 214 and granted relief.

BOARD VOTE:

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:	:	:	DENY APPLICATION

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 amending his DD Form 214, for the period ending 10 November 2022 to show in item 12a (Date Entered Active This Period): to reflect 6 April 2022 and item 12c (Net Service This Period): to reflect 1 year, 7 months and 4 days.

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CHAIRPERSON

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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.

REFERENCES:

1. Title 10, U.S. Code, section 1552(b), provides that applications for correction of military records must be filed within 3 years after discovery of the alleged error or injustice. This provision of law also allows the ABCMR to excuse an applicant's failure to timely file within the 3-year statute of limitations if the ABCMR determines it would be in the interest of justice to do so.

2. Army Regulation 635-5 (Separation Documents) prescribes the separation documents that must be prepared for soldiers on retirement, discharge, release from active-duty service, or control of the Active Army. It establishes standardized policy for preparing and distributing the DD Form 214 (Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty). The DD Form 214 is a summary of a soldier's most recent period of continuous active duty. It provides a brief, clearcut record of active-duty service at the time of release from active duty, retirement, or discharge. The DD Form 214 is not intended to have any legal effect on termination of a soldier's service. DD Form 214 will be prepared for each soldier as indicated:

a. Active Army soldiers on termination of active duty by reason of administrative separation (including separation by reason of retirement or expiration term of service (ETS)), physical disability separation, or punitive discharge under the Uniform Code of Military Justice.

b. Reserve component (RC) soldiers completing 90 days or more of continuous active duty for training (ADT), Full-Time National Guard Duty (FTNGD), active duty for special work (ADSW), temporary tours of active duty (TTAD), or Active Guard Reserve (AGR) service, except as specified in subparagraphs (3) through (5) below.

c. RC soldiers separated for cause or physical disability regardless of the length of time served on active duty. (A separation under AR 635-200, paragraph 5-11 is not considered a physical disability separation.)

d. Army National Guard of the U.S. (ARNGUS) and USAR soldiers mobilized under sections 12301(a), 12302, or 12304, title 10, U.S. Code and ARNG soldiers called into Federal service under chapter 15, or section 12406, title 10, U.S. Code, regardless of length of mobilization, when transitioned from active duty. A soldier who reports to a mobilization station and is found unqualified for active duty will be excluded from this provision. He or she will only receive a DD Form 220 (Active-Duty Report).

e. RC Soldiers completing active duty that results in the award of a military occupational specialty (MOS), even when the active-duty period was less than 90 days

(for example, completion of the advanced individual training component of ARNGUS Alternate Training Program or USAR Split Training Program).

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