UNITED STATES COAST GUARD DISCHARGE REVIEW BOARD

Docket Number: 2013-065

Discharge Issued

Character: Under Honorable Conditions (General)

Narrative Reason: Pattern of Misconduct

SPD/RE Code: JKA / RE4

Authority of Discharge: COMDTINST M1000.4 Art 1.B.17

Date of Separation: 2012-12-07

DRB Decision

Character: No Change

Narrative Reason: No Change

SPD/RE Code: No Change / No Change

New Authority: No Change

Discharge Review Board Discussion and Decision:

DISCUSSION:

The applicant was discharged for a pattern of misconduct. The applicant received two alcohol incidents for driving under the influence. These actions resulted in awarded Non-Judicial punishments, two outpatient treatments, and the denial of a 2nd chance waiver for retention in the service.

Due to the applicant's short time in service within the first term of enlistment, and the track record of misconduct, an Under Honorable Conditions character of service was issued. The Board finds no issues with propriety or equity in this case. The applicant was notified of the intent to discharge, and the applicant was advised of the rights to an attorney. A statement by the applicant while objecting to discharge. No current or past rebuttals refuted the incidents leading to the Discharge.

Propriety: Discharge was proper. Equity: Discharge was equitable.

Final Adjudication by Assistant Commandant For Human Resources: No relief.

In reviewing discharges, the Board presumes regularity in the conduct of governmental affairs unless there is substantial credible evidence (to include evidence submitted by the Applicant) to rebut the presumption.