

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD DISCHARGE REVIEW BOARD

Docket Number: 2015-040

Discharge Issued

Character: Other Than Honorable Conditions

Narrative Reason: Triable by court martial

SPD/RE Code: KFS / RE4

Authority of Discharge: COMDTINST M1000.4 1-B-20

Date of Separation: 2011-11-14

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 being Triable By Court Martial.

In the year leading up to the discharge, the applicant had three separate instances of domestic disputes with the same romantic partner that involved assault. The charges were docketed for a Special Court Martial in which the applicant requested an Other Than Honorable discharge to avoid the forthcoming proceedings and punishment.

The CGIS report of Investigation fully supports the adverse actions leading to the discharge. The Board finds no issues with propriety or equity in this case.

RECOMMENDATION: The Board members thoroughly reviewed the applicant's record of service and all available documentation. The Board deemed that the applicant's character of service, reason for separation, and reenlistment code are appropriate and should not be changed. The applicant has not substantiated any error or inequity.

Propriety: Discharge was proper.

Equity: Discharge was equitable.

Board Conclusion: The Board voted 5-0 to recommend 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.