

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD DISCHARGE REVIEW BOARD

Docket Number: 2016-039

**Discharge Issued**

**Character:** Honorable

**Narrative Reason:** Alcohol Abuse

**SPD/RE Code:** JPD / RE4

**Authority of Discharge:** COMDTINST M1000.6, 12-B-16

**Date of Separation:** 2008-03-14

**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 Alcohol Rehabilitation Failure.

Applicant received 2 Alcohol Incidents. The applicant is requesting an upgrade to his Re-entry Code (RE-4) and a change in narrative reason for separation.

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 his rights to an attorney, made a statement on his behalf and objected to discharge.

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

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.