

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD DISCHARGE REVIEW BOARD

Docket Number: 2016-069

**Discharge Issued**

**Character:** General

**Narrative Reason:** Misconduct

**SPD/RE Code:** JDT / RE4

**Authority of Discharge:** COMDTINST M1000.6 Art 12.B.18

**Date of Separation:** 2006-02-03

**DRB Decision**

**Character:** Under Honorable Conditions (General)

**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 due to Misconduct.

The Board notes the Applicant was discharged after serving 25 days in the USCG. The Board carefully reviewed the application and 8 character letters. No new evidence was submitted by the applicant.

The Board finds no issues with propriety or equity in this case.

The Board noticed that the applicant was issued a General Discharge in Block 24 of the DD-214 for character of service. The Board recommends that this is administratively corrected to Under Honorable Conditions. The General discharge is correct, but is not a valid character of service entry for Block 24 per ALCOAST 562/08.

Propriety: Discharge was proper.

Equity: Discharge was equitable.

Board Conclusion: The Board voted 5-0 to recommend no relief. The Board does recommend an administrative change to Under Honorable Conditions per ALCOAST 562/08.

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.