UNITED STATES COAST GUARD DISCHARGE REVIEW BOARD

Docket Number: 2017-018

Discharge Issued Character: Honorable

Narrative Reason: Unsuitability SPD/RE Code: JPD / RE4

Authority of Discharge: COMDTINST M1000.6 Art 12.B.16

Date of Separation: 2008-03-27

DRB Decision

Character: No Change

Narrative Reason: Condition, Not a Disability

SPD/RE Code: JFV / No Change

New Authority: No Change

Discharge Review Board Discussion and Decision:

DISCUSSION:

The Applicant was discharged.

The Applicant received an alcohol incident during an incident of Domestic Violence where alcohol played a significant factor. The Applicant was determined to receive a second alcohol incident when they arrived at their mandated Alcohol Screening with a B.A.C. of .151. The Board discussed the fact the Applicant had yet to be screened for a potential alcohol dependency, so it was not determined to be a medical disability. The proper Narrative Reason is Condition Not a Disability, with a Separation Code of JFV. The RE-4 code stands as issued as per policy.

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

Final Adjudication by Assistant Commandant for Human Resources: Concur with the Board voted to recommend 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.