



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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WASHINGTON DC 20370-5100

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This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of title 10 of the United States Code, section 1552.

A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 1 February 2011. Your allegations of error and injustice were reviewed in accordance with administrative regulations and procedures applicable to the proceedings of this Board. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of your application, together with all material submitted in support thereof, your naval record and applicable statutes, regulations and policies.

After careful and conscientious consideration of the entire record, the Board found that the evidence submitted was insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice.


You reenlisted in the Navy on 27 March 2006 after more than 11 years of prior honorable service. In your rating of information technology, you were required to have a security clearance. Unfortunately, due to your financial difficulties, it was revoked. You attempted to convert to a rating where a security clearance would not be required, however, on 26 January 2009, this request was disapproved. You were notified that you were being recommended for administrative separation due to unsatisfactory performance. You waived your procedural

right an administrative discharge board (ADB). On 11 December 2009, you were honorably discharged due to unsatisfactory performance, and assigned an RE-4 (not recommended for retention) reentry code.

In its review of your application, the Board carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, such as your prior honorable service, financial difficulties, and current desire to reenlist. However, the Board concluded that neither your reentry code nor your separation code should be changed due to the revocation of your security clearance. The Board noted that you waived your right to an ADB, your best opportunity for retention. In view of the above, your application has been denied. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request.

It is regretted that the circumstances of your case are such that favorable action cannot be taken. You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new and material evidence or other matter not previously considered by the Board. In this regard, it is important to keep in mind that a presumption of regularity attaches to all official records. Consequently, when applying for a correction of an official naval record, the burden is on the applicant to demonstrate the existence of probable material error or injustice.

Sincerely,


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Executive Director