



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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ARLINGTON, VA 22204-2490

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Docket No. 805-17
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Dear [REDACTED]

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of 10 U.S.C. § 1552.

A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 12 January 2018. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request. 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, relevant portions of your naval record and applicable statutes, regulations and policies. The advisory opinion provided in HQMC memo 1800 MMSR of 13 July 2017 was sent to you on 27 September 2018 for an opportunity to comment prior to being considered by the Board. A copy of this advisory opinion is again enclosed. After the 30-day period for comment expired without a response, the case was presented to the Board.

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. In this connection, the Board substantially concurred with the comments contained in the advisory opinion. Your application alleges that block 19a of your DD Form 214 (Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty), should read [REDACTED]. You further allege "I did not move to [REDACTED] after separation nor was my mailing address [REDACTED]. I, instead, moved to [REDACTED] to attend college. My physical and mailing address was [REDACTED]. The Board concurred with the advisory opinion that on 1 July 2010 prior you being discharged from the Marine Corps, you verified in the Basic Individual Record that your mailing address was [REDACTED]. You also verified on the DD Form 214 that your mailing address was correct by signing and initialing the form. Therefore, the Board found that no correction to your record is warranted.

The Board has noted that you have failed to exhaust all your administrative measures, and for future address changes as you've requested you should direct your request to either Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS) at 1-800-538-9552 or at <https://tricare.mi./DEERS/>. Accordingly, your application has been denied.

It is regretted that the circumstances of your case are such that favorable action cannot be taken at this time. You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon the submission of new and material evidence. New evidence is evidence 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,

[REDACTED]
Executive Director

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