



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No: 4893-17
12 Jun 17

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records
To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF FORMER [REDACTED]
USN [REDACTED]

Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. 1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149
(2) Case summary
(3) Subject's Naval record (excerpts)

1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Petitioner, the son of a deceased former officer in the U.S. Navy, filed enclosure (1) with this Board requesting a creation of a Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214) to reflect her active service. Enclosures (1) through (3) apply.

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 12 June 2017, and, pursuant to its regulations, determined that the corrective action indicated below should be taken on the available evidence of record. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of the enclosures, naval records, and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.

3. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice, finds as follows:

a. Before applying to this Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy.

b. Although enclosure (1) was not filed in a timely manner, the Board found it in the interest of justice to review the application on its merits.

c. Petitioner was commissioned in the Navy on 14 July 1942. On 16 Oct 1944, she resigned her commission and received an honorable characterization of service. No separation document was created at the time of her resignation.

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CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record and the research conducted by Navy Personnel Command, the Board concludes that Petitioner's request warrants relief. In this regard, the Board concludes that the Petitioner should have a DD Form 214 created to reflect her active service.

In view of the foregoing, the Board finds the existence of an error or injustice warranting the following corrective action.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Petitioner's naval record be corrected by creating a DD Form 214 based upon the research conducted by Navy Personnel Command.

That no further changes to the Petitioner's record be made.

That a copy of this report of proceedings be filed in Petitioner's naval record.

That, upon request, the Department of Veterans Affairs be informed that Petitioner's application was received by the Board on 9 June 2017.

4. It is certified that a quorum was present at the Board's review and deliberations, and that the foregoing is a true and complete record of the Board's proceedings in the above entitled matter.

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5. Pursuant to the delegation of authority set out in Section 6(e) of the revised Procedures of the Board for Correction of Naval Records (32 Code of Federal Regulation, Section 723.6(e)) and having assured compliance with its provisions, it is hereby announced that the foregoing corrective action, taken under the authority of reference (a), has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

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Executive Director