

## DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS 701 S. COURTHOUSE ROAD, SUITE 1001 ARLINGTON, VA 22204-2490

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From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF FORMER

USN.

Ref:

(a) 10 U.S.C. §1552

(b) SECNAVINST 5420.193 Series

Encl: (1) DD Form 149

(2) Subject's naval record (NAVPERS-553)

- 1. Pursuant to the provisions of references (a) and (b), Petitioner, the daughter of a former member of the Navy, filed enclosure (1) with this Board requesting a change to her late father's naval record to reflect his correct date of birth (DOB).
- 2. The Board, consisting of reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 9 August 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, relevant portions of the naval records, and applicable statutes, regulations and policies. Enclosures (1) and (2) apply.
- 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. Petitioner's father enlisted in the Navy and began a period of active duty on 27 January 1945 and was honorably discharged on 27 July 1946. He was issued a Notice of Separation From U.S. Naval Service (NAVPERS-553) that reflects his DOB as Petitioner provided documentation verifying her late father's DOB as and requested that his DOB be corrected on his NAVPERS-553.

## CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board concluded that Petitioner's request warrants favorable action by correcting her late father's DOB on his NAVPERS-553 from to the late father's correct DOB.

In this regard, Petitioner provided sufficient documentation verifying her late father's correct DOB.

## RECOMMENDATION

In view of the above, the Board directs the following corrective action.

Subject's naval record be corrected by issuing a Correction to DD Form 214, Certificate Of Release or Discharge From Active Duty (DD Form 215) to reflect the DOB as

No further changes be made to the record.

A copy of this report of proceedings be filed in Subject's naval record.

Upon request, the Department of Veterans Affairs be informed that Petitioner's application was received on 26 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.

Recorder

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.

