



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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Docket No. 10821-23  
Ref: Signature Date

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Dear ██████████,

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to Section 1552 of Title 10, United States Code. After careful and conscientious consideration of relevant portions of your naval record and your application, the Board for Correction of Naval Records (Board) found the evidence submitted insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice. Consequently, your application has been denied.

Although your application was not filed in a timely manner, the Board found it in the interest of justice to waive the statute of limitations and consider your case on its merits. A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 23 April 2024. 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. In addition, the Board considered the advisory opinion contained in Navy Personnel Command memorandum 1000 PERS-45 of ██████████, which was previously provided to you for comment.

The Board determined that your personal appearance, with or without counsel, would not materially add to their understanding of the issues involved. Therefore, the Board determined that a personal appearance was not necessary and considered your case based on the evidence of record.

On 26 August 2003, you got married at ██████████, ██████████.

On 25 January 2016, you were issued official new appointment orders (BUPERS order: ██████████) while stationed in ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ with an effective date of departure of May 2016. Your intermediate (01) activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for temporary duty under instruction with an effective date of arrival of 16 May 2016. Your intermediate (02) activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for temporary duty under instruction with an effective date of arrival of 1 August 2016. Your ultimate activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for duty with an effective date of arrival of August 2026 with a projected rotation date (PRD) of August 2019.

On 17 February 2016, you were issued official modification to new appointment orders (BUPERS order: ██████████) with an ultimate activity was ██████████, ██████████

██████████, ██████████ for duty with an effective date of arrival of August 2026 with a PRD of August 2019.

On 25 February 2016, you were issued official modification to new appointment orders (BUPERS order: 0256) with an ultimate activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for duty with an effective date of arrival of September 2026 with a PRD of September 2019.

On 24 September 2016, you transferred from ██████████, and arrived to ██████████ on 24 September 2016 for duty.

On 7 August 2018, Chief of Naval Operations published a message stating that the ██████████ homeport assignment will shift from ██████████, ██████████ to ██████████, ██████████, for extended Dry-Docking Selected Restricted Availability commencing in July 2019. This change shall be effective 24 May 2019 with a promulgation date of 1 February 2019.

On 10 May 2019, you were issued official change duty orders (BUPERS order: ██████████) while stationed in ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ with an effective date of departure of November 2019. Your intermediate (01) activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for temporary duty under instruction with an effective date of arrival of 9 December 2019. Your ultimate activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for duty with an effective date of arrival of April 2020 with a PRD of April 2022. This order is issued with no entitlement for relocation of dependents or movement of household goods (HHG).

On 19 November 2019, you were issued official modification to change duty orders (BUPERS order: ██████████) while stationed in ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ with an effective date of departure of November 2019. Your intermediate (01) activity was ██████████, ██████████ for temporary duty under instruction with an effective date of arrival of 9 December 2019. Your ultimate activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for duty with an effective date of arrival of April 2020 with a PRD of April 2022.

On 22 November 2019, you transferred from ██████████, and arrived to ██████████ on 9 December 2019 for temporary duty.

On 31 March 2020, you were issued official modification to change duty orders (BUPERS order: ██████████). Your intermediate (01) activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for temporary duty with an effective date of arrival of 13 April 2020. Your ultimate activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for duty with an effective date of arrival of May 2020 with a PRD of May 2022.

On 12 May 2020, you were issued official modification to change duty orders (BUPERS order: ██████████). Your ultimate activity was ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ for duty with an effective date of arrival of July 2020 with a PRD of July 2022.

On 20 May 2020, you transferred from ██████████, and arrived to ██████████ on 20 May 2020 for duty.

On 4 June 2020, Travel Voucher Summary (DO Voucher No. ██████████) was issued and paid on 9 June 2020 for the period of 30 November 2019 to 20 May 2020. Advances/Prior Payments: \$17,547.48. Total Entitlement/Total Charged to Account Class: \$20,794.25. Total Amount Payable/Due Employee: \$3,246.77.

On 30 June 2021, you transferred from ██████████, and arrived to ██████████ on 1 July 2021 for duty.

On 11 February 2022, you transferred from ██████████, and arrived to ██████████ on 12 February 2022 for temporary duty.

On 7 March 2022, you transferred from ██████████, and arrived to ██████████ on 31 March 2022 for duty.

On 31 March 2022, Basic Allowance for Housing at the with dependents rate for ██████████ County, ██████████ started.

On 17 August 2022, Petitioner's Outside the Continental U.S. (OCONUS) Cost-of-Living Allowance (COLA) for ██████████, ██████████ stopped, and OCONUS COLA for ██████████, ██████████ started on 18 August 2022.

You requested to be issued a homeport shift chit (Homeport Change Certificate) with a line of accounting to receive entitlements. The Board, in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, to include your assertions. However, the Board concluded that you were in receipt of permanent change of station (PCS) orders from a ship undergoing a homeport change and were not entitled to a homeport change certificate. In accordance with MILPERSMAN 1306-1800, published on 27 May 2003, members in receipt of PCS orders shall not be issued homeport change certificates. If the member has received, or will be issued, PCS orders, travel and transportation entitlements will be in accordance with the PCS orders using the accounting data contained therein. Additionally, the Board determined that your overseas tour aboard the ██████████ ended effective on the date of the homeport change, therefore you are not eligible for any entitlements associated with Consecutive Overseas Tours (COT).<sup>1</sup> Your orders from ██████████ to ██████████ included PCS lines of accounting and a HHG shipment from ██████████ assigned homeport at the time you detached from ██████████. While not explicitly stated in your orders, you were entitled to a full HHG shipment from ██████████, ██████████ to ██████████, ██████████, to include shipment of HHG into NTS. Finally, you did not explain what expenses you incurred, nor did you provide any receipts. In accordance with OPNAVINST 4700.7M, paragraph 602.7.b, published 8 May 2019, adequate off-ship quarters and transportation will normally be used to accommodate displaced crewmembers. You provided no documentation of where you were housed or a letter from the commanding officer stating that no berthing was available, therefore the Board determined that no change to your record is warranted.

You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new matters, which will require you to complete and submit a new DD Form 149. New matters are those not previously

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<sup>1</sup> In accordance with the Joint Travel Regulations, when a Service member is selected to serve a COT or an In-Place COT, the Service member and his/her dependent may be eligible for COT leave. The Service member and the dependent must meet eligibility requirements to qualify for COT leave, and once qualified, may travel together, or may travel independently on separate trips.

presented to or 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,

4/29/2024

