



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

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Docket No. 228-24
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 16 May 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.

You were released from active duty (Air Force REGAF) with an honorable character of service and were issued a Report of Separation from Active Duty (DD Form 214) for the period of 19 August 1971 to 18 December 1975 upon completion or required Active service. Furthermore, block 18a (Net active service this period) listed 4 years and 4 months.

You were discharged (Navy) with an honorable character of service and were issued a DD Form 214 for the period of 15 June 1977 to 5 November 1981 within 3 months of expiration of enlistment. Furthermore, block 12d (Total Prior Active service) listed 4 years, and 4 months.

You were discharged (Navy) with an honorable character of service and were issued a DD Form 214 for the period of 6 November 1981 to 5 April 1987 upon immediate reenlistment.

You were transferred to the temporary disability retired list (Navy) with an honorable character of service and were issued a DD Form 214 for the period of 6 April 1987 to 15 October 1990 upon being placed on the temporary disability retirement list. Furthermore, block 12c (Net

active service this period) listed 3 years, 6 months, and 10 days. Block 12d (Total Prior Active Service) 14 years, 1 month and 21 days. Total active service is 17 years, 8 months, and 1 day.

On 11 February 1993, Chief of Naval Personnel notified you that “In accordance with the provision of Title 10, U.S. Code, Section 1210, the Secretary of the Navy has determined that the disability for which you were placed on the Temporary Disability Retired List has stabilized and that your disability is now permanent and rated at 30 percent disabling. Accordingly, you will be placed on the retired list by reason of a permanent physical disability effective 1 March 1993 in the grade of Data Systems Technician First Class.”

You requested that your service record reflect that you served 22 years of active-duty service based on 4 years and 4 months of active service in the U.S. Air Force and 17 years, 8 months and 1 day service in the U.S. Navy, 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 served on active duty in the Air Force from 19 August 1971 to 18 December 1975 for a total of 4 years and 4 months. You served in the U.S. Navy from 15 June 1977 to 15 October 1990 for a total of 13 years, 4 months, and 1 day. In total, you served 17 years, 8 months, and 1 day of active service. Therefore, your net active service and prior active service depicted on your DD Form 214 effective 15 October 1990 is administratively correct and 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 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,

5/28/2024

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Deputy Director

Signed by: █