



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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Docket No. 660-24  
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.

A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 18 July 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 Commander, Navy Reserve Forces Command letter 5420 Ser ██████████ 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 evidence of record.

You requested to receive a Prior Service Enlistment Bonus (PSEB) for your 30 June 2023 Navy Reserve enlistment. 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 do not meet the eligibility criteria for a PSEB in accordance with Reserve Personnel Manual Article 1100-020. Specifically, the policy defines Total Military Service (TMS) as all periods of military service in commissioned, warrant, flight officer, or enlisted status. This date is adjusted for breaks in service. The policy further specifies that applicants will not have more than 16 years of TMS to be eligible for a PSEB.

