



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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO

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- Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552
 (b) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20
 (c) FY21 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 005/FY21), 9 Aug 21
 (d) FY23 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY23), 18 Apr 23
- Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments (2) Advisory Opinion by CMSB memo (3) Subject's naval record

1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Subject, hereinafter referred to as Petitioner, filed enclosure (1) with the Board for Correction of Naval Records (Board), requesting that his naval record be corrected to show Petitioner's 3 month extension of enlistment was cancelled, that Petitioner reenlisted on 13 August 2023 for 3 years, and that he was eligible for and received a Zone B Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB).

2. The Board, consisting of **Construction**, **Construction**, and **Construction** reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 8 August 2024 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 Petitioner's naval record, and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.

3. Before applying to the Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing laws and regulations within the Department of the Navy. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice, finds as follows:

a. On 2 August 2016, Petitioner entered active duty.

- b. In June 2018, Petitioner was awarded Navy Enlisted Classification (NEC) N23O.
- c. On 26 June 2018, Petitioner transferred from and arrived to and arrived to and arrived to an 24 July 2018 for duty.

d. On 12 April 2019, Petitioner reenlisted for 6 years with an ECC of 11 April 2025 and received a Zone A SRB.

e. In accordance with reference (b), "[t]his NAVADMIN announced revised SRB policy for Active Component and Full Time Support, superseding NAVADMIN 272/19. Sailors must now

have reenlisted within 365 days of their EAOS (as opposed to 270 days required in NAVADMIN 272/19), except in the case of Nuclear-trained Sailors who could have reenlisted at any point in the reenlistment zone, per guidance in OPNAVINST 1160.8B."

f. In accordance with reference (c), FY21 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 005/FY21), a Zone "B" SRB with an award level of 8.0 (\$100,000 award ceiling) for the ETN(SW)/N23O rate/NEC was listed.

g. On 14 December 2021, Petitioner was issued official change duty orders (BUPERS order:) with required obligated service to July 2025, while stationed in

with an effective date of departure of June 2022. Petitioner's ultimate activity was for duty with an effective date of arrival of 29 July 2022 with a projected rotation date of July 2025. Obligated service to July 2025 is required for this assignment which may be satisfied by reenlistment or extension of enlistment. Circumstances such as potential monetary loss under critical skills bonus or SRB, refer to MILPERSMAN 1306-106 para 4. Use of NAVPERS 1070/613 only authorized for SRB eligible sailors.

i. On 2 August 2022, Petitioner entered Zone B.

j. In accordance with reference (d), FY23 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY23), a Zone "B" SRB with an award level of 8.5 (\$100,000 award ceiling) for the ETN(SW)/N23O rate/NEC was listed.

k. In May 2023, Petitioner was awarded NEC N73Z.

1. On 14 August 2023, Petitioner signed an agreement to extend enlistment for 3 months with an SEAOS of 11 July 2025

m. In the advisory opinion, attached as enclosure (2), the office having cognizance over the subject matter addressed in Petitioner's application has commented to the effect that the request has merit and warrants favorable action.

CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, and especially in light of the contents of enclosure (2), the Board finds the existence of an error warranting the following corrective action. The Board concluded that on 14 December 2021 Petitioner was issued official change of duty orders BUPERS order: with required obligated service to July 2025. At that time, a Zone B SRB was authorized in accordance with reference (c), however, Petitioner was still in Zone A. On 2 August 2022, Petitioner entered Zone B. On 14 August 2023, Petitioner signed an agreement to extend enlistment 3 months to meet the obligated service. The Board determined that Petitioner should have obligated service prior to transfer by signing a NAVPERS 1070/613. On 13 August 2023, Petitioner would have been eligible to reenlist for 3 years and receive a Zone B SRB.

RECOMMENDATION

That Petitioner's naval record be corrected, where appropriate, to show that:

Petitioner's 3-month agreement to extend enlistment (NAVPERS 1070/621) executed on 14 August 2023 is null and void.

On 9 June 2022, Petitioner executed an administrative remarks, (NAVPERS 1070/613) agreeing to extend enlistment for 3 months to obligate service to July 2025.

Petitioner was discharged on 12 August 2023 and reenlisted on 13 August 2023 for a term of 3 years.

Note: This change will entitle the member to a Zone "B" SRB with an award level of 8.5 (\$100,000 dollar award ceiling) for the ETN(SW)/N23O rate/NEC. Remaining obligated service to 11 April 2025 will be deducted from SRB computation.

Note: The Board for Correction of Naval Records (BCNR) will <u>not</u> take any action with the Defense Finance and Accounting Service for the SRB payment. Petitioner's SRB payment will <u>not</u> be funded by the BCNR's Claims Line of Accounting (LOA). The Navy will secure funding via unexecuted SRB funds and will use their LOA to pay the SRB payment.

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

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.

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 Regulations, 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 the reference, has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

