



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

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Docket No. 2712-24
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 26 September 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 Headquarters, United States Marine Corps letter 1000 MMPB-21D of 31 January 2024, which was previously provided to you for comment.

You requested that your 6 months of active duty for training (ADT) be reclassified as active duty to access benefits. 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 enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve on 30 August 1960 for 8 years and thereafter completed initial tour of ADT. Upon your release from ADT you were issued DD Form 214, Armed Forces of the United States Report of Transfer or Discharge for the period of 25 September 1960 to 24 March 1961 and reassigned to an organized Marine Corps Reserve unit. The Board could not find, nor did you provide evidence that you enlisted in the active component of the U.S. Marine Corps. Therefore, in this connection, the Board substantially concurred with the comments contained in the aforementioned advisory opinion, and determined a change to your record is not warranted.

