



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 2915-24
Ref: Signature date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF FORMER MEMBER ██████████,
USN, XXX-XX-██████████

Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. § 1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149

1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Petitioner, filed enclosure (1) with the Board for Correction of Naval Records (Board) on behalf of her mother, herein after referred to as Service Member. Petitioner requests correction to the gender and date of birth (DOB) listed on the Service Member's DD Form 214.

2. The Board consisting of ██████████, ██████████, and ██████████, reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 10 May 2024 and, pursuant to its regulations, determined that the corrective action indicated below should be taken. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of Petitioner's application together with all material submitted in support thereof, relevant portions of the Service Member's naval record, and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.

3. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice finds as follows:

a. Before applying to this Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy.

b. Although the enclosure was not filed in a timely manner, it is in the interest of justice to review the application on its merits.

c. The Service Member enlisted in the Navy and completed a period of Honorable service from 11 October 1954 to 20 November 1957.

d. At the time of the Service Member's discharge, she was issued a Armed Forces of the United States Armed Forces of the United States Report of Transfer or Discharge (DD Form 214). Her DD Form 214 erroneously reflects her date of birth (DOB) as ██████████ vice ██████████ and her sex is listed as "Male" vice "Female."

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e. Petitioner provided a copy of the Service Member's birth certificate and [REDACTED] Identification Card reflecting the Service Member's gender as Female with a DOB of [REDACTED].

CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board determined Petitioner's request for correction warrants relief. The Board notes Petitioner provided sufficient evidence to reflect the Service Member's DD Form 214 incorrectly reflects her DOB and gender and requires correction.

In view of the above, the Board directs the following corrective action.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Service Member be issued a Correction to DD Form 214, Armed Forces of the United States Report of Transfer or Discharge (DD Form 215) which reflects correction of her DOB to [REDACTED], and gender to Female.

That a copy of this Report of Proceedings be filed in the Service Member'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 Regulation, 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.

5/30/2024

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Executive Director

Signed by: [REDACTED]