



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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[REDACTED]  
Docket No. 2990-24  
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO [REDACTED], USN,  
XXX-XX-[REDACTED]

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552  
(b) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20  
(c) FY24 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 001/FY24), 3 Oct 23

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments  
(2) Advisory Opinion by CMSB memo 1160 Ser B328/050, 28 Mar 24  
(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 was eligible for and received a Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB).

2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 5 September 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 this Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law 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 20 June 2011, Petitioner entered active duty.

b. In accordance with reference (b), this 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 End of Active Obligated Service (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.

c. On 22 July 2020, Petitioner reenlisted for 4 years with an EAOS of 21 July 2024.

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- d. On 20 June 2021, Petitioner entered Zone C.
- e. On 5 November 2021, Navy Standard Integrated Personnel System (NSIPS)/Electronic Service Record shows a 9-month agreement to extend enlistment with a Soft EAOS of 21 April 2025.
- f. On 2 March 2022, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED], and arrived to [REDACTED] for temporary duty on 2 April 2022.
- g. In April 2022, Petitioner was awarded Navy Enlisted Classification (NEC) 780A.
- h. On 21 April 2022, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED] and arrived to [REDACTED] for duty on 30 April 2022.
- i. In accordance with reference (c), FY24 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 001/FY24), a Zone C SRB with an award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 award ceiling) for the PR rate was listed.
- j. On 16 November 2023, Petitioner signed a command career request (NPPSC 1160/1) requesting a 4-year reenlistment effective 22 December 2023 and SRB. Petitioner's request was approved 14 December 2023 by cognizant authority.
- k. On 18 December 2023, [REDACTED] issued Petitioner an Administrative Remarks (NAVPERS 1070/613) listing the following: "Entitled to SRB based on the PR Rating/NEC 780A SRB Zone C, Award Level 0.5. The total SRB entitlement is \$604.06. First installment of S 2302.03 will be deposited to your DOS account by EFT payment when the entitlement has posted to the Master Pay Account..."
- l. On 22 December 2023, Petitioner reenlisted for 4 years with an EAOS of 21 December 2027.
- m. On 30 January 2024, SRB/SDAP/STAR Manager notified Command Career Counselor that, "...the SRB was denied because the extension was incorrectly entered in the SRB submission. Next time when you submit an SRB, in the INOP OTH EXT delete the number that is in there and put 00 in that block. This will forgive the extension, and it should be approved when you submit the SRB. PR1 will have to submit a BCNR to get the SRB because I can't go back and retroactively approve an SRB..."
- n. 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 partial favorable action.

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## 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 Petitioner reenlisted for 4 years on 22 December 2023. At the time of reenlistment, he was eligible for a Zone C SRB, however due to administrative error and at no fault of Petitioner, his SRB precertification was denied due to incorrect extension listed on the form.

## RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner's command submitted an Officer Personnel Information System (OPINS)/NSIPS request 35 to 120 days in advance of the requested reenlistment date for the Sailor, and was it approved by cognizant authority.

Note: This change will entitle the member to a Zone "C" SRB with award level of 0.5 (\$30,000 dollar award ceiling) for the PR rate. Remaining obligated service to 21 July 2024 will be deducted from the SRB Computation.

Note: The Board for Correction of Naval Records (BCNR) will not take any action with the Defense Finance and Accounting Service for the SRB payment. Petitioner's SRB payment will not 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 titled 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.

9/18/2024

