



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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ARLINGTON VA 22204-2490

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Docket No. 4851-24

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Dear Petitioner:

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 12 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.

A review of your record revealed that you entered active duty with the Navy on 6 May 1979 and served until 30 May 1986. You received an Honorable characterization of service and were subsequently transferred to the Naval Reserve. On 28 June 2007, Navy Personnel Command notified you that, based on your flight physical examination of 15 March 2007, you were not physically qualified for flying duty due to hypertension. You requested a waiver, which was approved. Ultimately, you were transferred to the Retired Reserve, on 1 July 2009, and authorized retired pay effective 26 September 2016.

In 2022, you applied for Combat Related Special Compensation (CRSC) for bilateral hearing loss, tinnitus, hypertension, and atopic dermatitis of the eyelids. On 22 November 2002, the CRSC Board denied your request. You submitted a reconsideration to the CRSC Board and, on 4 March 2024, the CRSC Board approved tinnitus and bilateral hearing loss as combat related, under conditions simulating war basis, effective October 2016. However, the CRSC Board again denied CRSC for your hypertension.

