



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 5212-24
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF █
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Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. §1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 with attachments
(2) Case summary

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 his date of birth on his Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214) be corrected.

2. The Board consisting of █, reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 15 July 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 his naval service records, 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. Although Petitioner's 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 the case on its merits.

b. Petitioner enlisted in the Navy and completed a period of Honorable active duty from 7 July 1959 to 5 July 1963. At the time of his service, he indicated his date of birth as █.

c. Petitioner's record contains a DD Form 214 for his period of service that erroneously indicates his date of birth as █.

d. Petitioner provided a Certificate of Birth which substantiates his date of birth as █. Additionally, every document in Petitioner's service record confirms his date of birth as █.

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CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board concludes that Petitioner's request warrants favorable action. As previously discussed, Petitioner's DD Form 214 erroneously documents his date of birth. The Board notes that Petitioner provided legal evidence which documents his correct date of birth as 10 March 1941.

RECOMMENDATION:

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

Petitioner be issued a correction to DD Form 214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 215) to indicate, for the period ending 5 July 1963, his date of birth as [REDACTED]

No further changes be made to Petitioner's record.

A copy of this report of proceedings 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 reference (a), has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

8/1/2024

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