



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
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Docket No. 5347-24
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO ██████████, USN, ██████████

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552
(b) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20
(c) FY23 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY23), 18 Apr 23

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments
(2) Advisory opinion by CMSB memo 1160 Ser B328/070, 15 May 24
(3) Advisory opinion by CMSB email, 20 Jun 24
(4) 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 cancel the 26-month extension of enlistment and replace it with a reenlistment contract to meet the required obligated service out to May 2026 as required in BUPERS Order 2202 and be awarded a Zone B, IT/735A, 3.0 award level Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB).

2. The Board, consisting of ██████████, and ██████████ reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 7 November 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 3 March 2015, Petitioner entered active duty.
- b. In March 2019, Petitioner was awarded Navy Enlisted Classification (NEC) H09A and 735A. In August 2019, Petitioner was awarded NEC H00M.
- c. In accordance with reference (b), announced revised SRB policy for Active Component and Full Time Support, superseding NAVADMIN 272/19. Sailors must have reenlisted within

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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.

d. On 3 March 2021, Petitioner entered Zone B.

e. On 31 March 2022, Petitioner reenlisted for 2 years with an EAOS of 30 March 2024.

f. On 8 August 2022, Petitioner was issued official change duty orders (BUPERS order: 2202) with required obligated service to May 2026, while stationed in [REDACTED] with an effective date of departure of April 2023. Petitioner's ultimate activity was [REDACTED] for duty with an effective date of arrival of 31 May 2023 with a projected rotation date of May 2026.

g. In accordance with reference (c), FY23 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY23) a Zone B SRB with an award level of 3.0 (\$75,000 award ceiling) for the IT/735A rate/NEC was listed.

h. On 26 April 2023, Petitioner signed an agreement to extend enlistment for 26 months with a Soft EAOS of 30 May 2026 in order to incur sufficient obligated service to execute orders 2202.

i. On 30 April 2023, Petitioner transferred from [REDACTED] and arrived to [REDACTED] on 12 March 2018 for duty.

CONCLUSION

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, and especially in light of the contents of enclosures (2) and (3), the Board finds the existence of an error warranting the following corrective action. The Board concluded that on 8 August 2022, Petitioner was issued orders 2202 with required obligated service to May 2025. On 26 April 2023, Petitioner signed an agreement to extend enlistment for 26 months to meet the obligated service. At that time, reference (c) authorized a Zone B SRB for IT/735A rate/NEC. The Board determined that Petitioner should have been advised to reenlist vice extend enlistment and would have been eligible to reenlist for 3 years and receive a Zone B SRB on 26 April 2023.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner's 26-month agreement to extend enlistment (NAVPERS 1070/621) executed on 26 April 2023 is null and void.

Petitioner was discharged on 25 April 2023 and reenlisted on 26 April 2023 for a term of 3 years. Note: This change will entitle the member to a Zone B SRB with an award level of 3.0 (\$75,000 dollar award ceiling) for the IT/735A rate/NEC. Remaining obligated service to 30 March 2024 will be deducted from SRB computation.

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Note: The Board for Correction of Naval Records (BCNR) will not take any action with the Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) for the SRB payment. Petitioner's SRB payment will not be funded by the BCNR's Claims Line of Accounting (LOA). N133D will secure funding via unexecuted SRB funds and will use their LOA to pay the SRB payment, and will coordinate directly with the DFAS to determine Petitioner's incentive.

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.

11/14/2024

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