

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS 701 S. COURTHOUSE ROAD, SUITE 1001 ARLINGTON, VA 22204-2490

> Docket No. 6285-24 Ref: Signature Date

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

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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 that box 12.c. be corrected on her Certificate of Released or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214). Enclosure (2) applies.

2. The Board, consisting of **Constant and Sectors**, **Constant and Constant and Petitioner**'s allegations of error and injustice on 26 August 2024 and, pursuant to its regulations, determined 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, 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 enclosure (1) was not filed in a timely manner, it is in the interest of justice to review the application on its merits.

c. Petitioner enlisted in the Marine Corps and began a period of active duty on 22 February 1993. On 18 July 2004, Petitioner was honorably discharged from the Marine Corps by reason of completion of required active duty service. Following her discharge from active duty, Petitioner was issued a DD Form 214 with Block 12.c Net Active Service this Period erroneously reflecting 11 years, five months, and four days.

d. Petitioner is requesting a correction of section 12 c. (Net Active Service this Period) on her

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DD Form 214 to reflect her correct amount of active duty time as 11 years, four months, and 27 days. Petitioner claims according to her Civilian Benefits Center, who are processing her application for military deposit, section 12.c is incorrect and must reflect the correct numbers in order to move forward with her application.

CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of the evidence of record, the Board determined Petitioner's request warrants full relief. Specifically, the Board determined Petitioner's DD Form 214 contains an administrative error in Block 12c. Net Active Service this Period.

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

RECOMMENDATION:

That Petitioner be issued a Correction to DD Form 214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 215), for the period ending 18 July 2004, reflecting the following correction to the Block 12.c Net Active Service this Period:

"11, 04, 27"

That 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 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 reference (a), has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

9/17/2024

