



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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Docket No. 6592-24  
Ref: Signature Date

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Dear ██████████

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.

Although your 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 your case on its merits. A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 23 August 2024. The names and votes of the panel members 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, to include the 25 July 2018 guidance from the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness regarding equity, injustice, or clemency determinations (Wilkie Memo).

Regarding your request for a personal appearance, the Board determined that a personal appearance with or without counsel will not materially add to their understanding of the issue(s) involved. Therefore, the Board determined that a personal appearance was not necessary and considered your case based on the evidence of record.

You enlisted in the Marine Corps and commenced a period of active duty on 1 November 2004. Between 4 April 2005 to 13 July 2005, you were counseled on three occasions regarding your misconduct. Between 26 April 2005 and 2 August 2005, you received non-judicial punishment (NJP) on three occasions for failure to obey an order, unauthorized absence (UA) from appointed place of duty, making a false official statement, wrongful use of a controlled substance, and breaking restriction. On 19 October 2005, you were convicted by a special court martial (SPCM) for UA from appointed place of duty, assault, drunk and disorderly conduct, and breaking restriction.

Consequently, you were notified of the initiation of administrative separation proceedings as a result of misconduct due to a pattern of misconduct and misconduct due to drug abuse. You

