



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 7494-24
Ref: Signature Date

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

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF [REDACTED],
USN, XXX-XX-[REDACTED]

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 the issuance of his missing Certificates of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214). Enclosures (1) and (2) apply.
2. The Board, consisting of [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED], reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 6 January 2025 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, 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.
 - b. Although enclosure (1) was not filed in a timely manner, the statute of limitation was waived in the interests of justice.
 - c. The Petitioner enlisted in the Navy and commenced active duty on 16 July 1976. He was honorably discharged from active duty on 13 August 1980 and was assigned a separation code of KBK; indicating separation within three months of enlistment expiration or fulfillment of service obligation. Subsequently, the Petitioner immediately reenlisted on 14 August 1980 for a six-year term.
 - d. On 3 March 1986, Petitioner again reenlisted for six years and was issued a separation code of KHC; which indicates immediate enlistment/reenlistment.

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e. On 11 October 1991, Petitioner reenlisted for five years but was Honorably discharged, on 21 August 1992, by reason of voluntary discharge for early release program. A review of his record indicates he is missing the DD Form 214s from his earlier enlistment periods.

CONCLUSION:

Upon reviewing and considering all the evidence of record, the Board concludes that the Petitioner's request full warrants relief. Specifically, upon examining the submitted evidence and the Petitioner's OMPF, the Board noted that the DD Form 214s for the Petitioner's previous periods of Honorable service are missing from his record and should be recreated.

RECOMMENDATION:

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

Petitioner be issued a new Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214) indicating, for the period ending 13 August 1980, Petitioner's character of service was "Honorable," the narrative reason for separation was "Within three months of expiration of enlistment," the separation code was "KBK," the separation authority was "MILPERSMAN 3840240," and the reentry code was "RE-1."

Petitioner be issued a new Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214) indicating, for the period ending 3 March 1986, Petitioner's character of service was "Honorable," the narrative reason for separation was "Immediate enlistment/reenlistment," the separation code was "KHC," the separation authority was "MILPERSMAN 3850220," and the reentry code was "RE-1."

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.

2/3/2025

