

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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

> Docket No. 7619-24 Ref: Signature Date



Dear Petitioner:

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to Title 10, United States Code, Section 1552.

Your application was not filed in a timely manner. A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 8 August 2024. The Board determined that your personal appearance, with or without counsel, would not materially add to their understanding of the issues involved. You contend it would be in the interest of justice to excuse your failure to submit your application in a timely manner because you "just recently discovered how to address the issue." The Board however, determined this was an insufficient reason to find it in the interest of justice to excuse your failure to submit your application in a timely manner. In reaching this conclusion, the Board determined your request should be denied due to the length of time since your 1967 nonjudicial punishment and eventual transfer to the Fleet Reserve in 1979.

In the absence of sufficient new evidence for reconsideration, the decision of the Board is final, and your only recourse would be to seek relief, at no cost to the Board, from a court of appropriate jurisdiction.

