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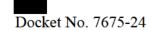
> Docket No. 7675-24 Ref: Signature Date

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.

A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 27 August 2024. The names and votes of the members of the panel 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.

You requested to have your March 2023 (Cycle 259) Navy Wide Advancement Exam (NWAE) revalidated for advancement to Aviation Structural Mechanic Third Class (AM3)/E-4. The Board, in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, to include your assertions. However, upon review of your record, the Board concluded that you completed the Professional Military Knowledge – Eligibility Examination for E-4 on 10 December 2022. Thereafter, you participated in the March 2023 (Cycle 259) NWAE but the exam was invalidated. On 4 April 2023, you were found guilty at non-judicial punishment for violation of Uniform Code of Military Justice Article 92 (Failure to Obey Order or Regulation) and Article 107 (False Official Statement) and awarded reduction in rank to E-2 and 60 days restriction. On 26 January 2024, your commanding officer reinstated you to AMAN/E-3. The Board surmised that your exam was invalidated as a result of the aforementioned offenses that occurred on 12 March 2023. Additionally, your final multiple score of 98.46 would not have exceeded the minimum multiple required score of 100.07 for advancement to AM3/E-4 if your Cycle 259 NWAE was revalidated. Therefore, the Board determined a change to your record is not warranted.



You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new matters, which will require you to complete and submit a new DD Form 149. New matters are those not previously presented to or considered by the Board. In this regard, it is important to keep in mind that a presumption of regularity attaches to all official records. Consequently, when applying for a correction of an official naval record, the burden is on the applicant to demonstrate the existence of probable material error or injustice.

