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DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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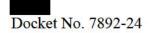
> Docket No. 7892-24 Ref: Signature Date

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 19 December 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. In addition, the Board considered the advisory opinion contained in Branch Head, Community Management Support Branch memorandum 1160 Ser B328/116 of 7 August 2024.

You requested to adjust your reenlistment date from 10 July 2024 to 10 June 2024 and be paid a Zone C Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB). The Board in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, to include your assertions. You assert that you were misinformed at your previous command that the amount of time left on your contract made you ineligible to reenlist. However, the Board concluded that on 10 July 2024, you reenlisted for 6 years, at which time your End of Active Obligated Service (EAOS) was 27 May 2028. Although you were authorized to reenlist, your command was correct that the length of time remaining on your contract made you ineligible to reenlist for a SRB. In accordance with NAVADMIN 108/20, to be eligible for SRB you must reenlist within 365 days of your EAOS. Additionally, you are not eligible to reenlist early for a SRB because neither BUPERS orders—nor its modification required you to obligate service prior to execution. In this connection, the Board substantially concurred with the comments contained in the aforementioned advisory opinion.

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.

