

## **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

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

> Docket No. 10022-24 Ref: Signature Date

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD ICO , USN, XXX-XX-

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552

(b) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20

(c) FY24 SRB Award Plan (N13SRB 002/FY24), 15 Apr 24

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments

(2) Advisory opinion by CMSB memo

(3) Subject's naval record

- 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 that his naval record be corrected to show Petitioner reenlisted on 15 March 2024 for 3 years and was eligible for and received a Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB).
- 2. The Board, consisting of property, and pursuant to its regulations, determined that 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 Petitioner's naval record, and applicable statutes, regulations and policies.
- 3. Before applying to this Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice finds as follows:
  - a. On 12 May 2010, Petitioner entered active duty.
- b. In August 2023, Petitioner was awarded Navy Enlisted Classification (NEC) H04A and 723B. In September 2023, Petitioner was awarded NEC 737A.
- c. Reference (b) announced revised SRB policy for Active Component and Full Time Support, superseding NAVADMIN 272/19. Sailors must now have reenlisted within 365 days of their EAOS (as opposed to 270 days required in NAVADMIN 272/19), except in the case of Nuclear-trained Sailors who could have reenlisted at any point in the reenlistment zone, per guidance in OPNAVINST 1160.8B.

- d. In May 2020, Petitioner was awarded NEC 746A.
- e. On 12 May 2024, Petitioner entered zone D.
- f. On 3 September 2021, Petitioner reenlisted for 3 years with an End of Active Obligated Service (EAOS) of 2 September 2024.
- g. On 22 February 2024, Petitioner signed a command career request (NPPSC 1160/1) requesting a 3-year reenlistment effective 17 June 2024, and a zone C SRB. Petitioner's request was approved by cognizant authority on 13 June 2024.
- h. Reference (c) FY24 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY24) a zone "C" SRB with an award level of 2.5 (\$60,000 award ceiling) for the IT/746A rate/NEC was listed.
- i. On 17 June 2024, issued Petitioner an Administrative Remarks (NAVPERS 1070/613) listing the following: "Entitled to SRB based on the IT Rating/NEC 746A, SRB zone C, Award Level 2.5. The total SRB entitlement is \$18,405.06. First installment of \$9,202.53 will be deposited to your DDS account by EFT payment when the entitlement has posted to the Master Pay Account. Aforementioned amounts do not reflect federal and state taxation. Member acknowledges that approval for advanced payment or remaining amount is not automatic but dependent on funds available and hardship relative to others requesting similar payment."
  - j. On 17 June 2024, Petitioner reenlisted for 3 years with an EAOS of 16 June 2027.

## **CONCLUSION**

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, and especially in light of the contents of enclosure (2), the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following corrective action. The Board concluded that on 22 February 2024, Petitioner signed NPPSC 1160/1 requesting a 3-year reenlistment effective 17 June 2024, and a zone C SRB. On 12 May 2024, Petitioner entered zone D. Petitioner's request was approved by cognizant authority on 13 June 2024. Petitioner reenlisted on 17 June 2024, making him ineligible for a zone C SRB. The Board determined that Petitioner should have been advised to reenlist prior to 12 May 2024 to receive a zone C SRB.

## RECOMMENDATION

That Petitioner's naval record be corrected, where appropriate, to show that:

Petitioner was discharged and reenlisted on 14/15 March 2024 vice on 16/17 June 2024 for a term of 3 years.

Note: This change will entitle Petitioner to a zone "C" SRB with an award level of "2.5" (\$60,000 award ceiling) for the IT/746A rate/NEC. Remaining obligated service to 2 September 2024 will be deducted from SRB computation.

A copy of this Report of Proceedings will 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 Regulations, 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 the reference, has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

