

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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> Docket No. 10335-24 Ref: Signature Date

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

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Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. § 1552

(b) OPNAVINST 1160.8B, 1 Apr 19 (c) NAVADMIN 108/20, 15 Apr 20

(d) FY24 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 002/FY24), 15 Apr 24 (e) FY24 SRB Award Plan (N13 SRB 003/FY24), 12 Aug 24

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments

- (2) Advisory opinion by CMSB memo 1160 Ser B328/174, 21 Oct 24
- (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's reenlistment of 18 September 2024 was executed for a term of 4 years vice 3 years, and he was eligible for and received a Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB).
- 2. The Board, consisting of _____, and _____ reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 27 May 2025 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 14 November 2013, Petitioner entered active duty.
- b. Reference (b) a member may receive only one SRB per zone during a career. When reenlisting for SRB, the reenlistment must take the member's new expiration of active obligated service (EAOS) into the next SRB zone.
- c. On 10 March 2020, Petitioner reenlisted for 3 years with an Expiration of EAOS of 9 March 2023.

1. On 14 August 2024, Petitioner signed a command career request (NPPSC 1160/1) requesting a 3-year reenlistment effective 18 September 2024, and a zone C SRB. Petitioner's request was approved by cognizant authority on 19 August 2024.

December 2027.

m. On 2 September 2024, COMNAVPERSCOM notified that "IRT Ref a [SRB REQ ICO SNM], auth is granted for SRB reenlistment ICO SNM IAW ref b [OPNAVINST 1160.8A]. CMD is to ensure SNM meets general and specific eligible criteria

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IAW current directives." Furthermore, "SRB Entitlement is Based on items listed below. Reenl/Extn Date: 240918. Term: 36. Zone: C. Conversion Date: blank. Rating/Nec: MA3."

- n. On 18 September 2024, issued Petitioner an Administrative Remarks (NAVPERS 1070/613) listing the following: "Reenlisted this date entitled to SRB based on rate/nec ma/0000 SRB zone C. The total SRB entitlement is \$9,059.30. First installment is \$4,529.65."
- o. On 18 September 2024, Petitioner reenlisted for 3 years with an EAOS of 17 September 2027.
- p. On 23 September 2024, NSIPS/ESR shows a 3-month agreement to extend enlistment with a Soft EAOS of 17 December 2024.
 - q. On 2 October 2024, Petitioner transferred from and arrived to on 20 October 2024 for temporary duty.
 - r. In December 2024, Petitioner was awarded Navy Enlisted Classification P13A.
- s. On 3 December 2024, Petitioner transferred from and arrived at on 10 December 2024 for duty.

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 14 November 2023, Petitioner entered zone C. On 14 August 2024, Petitioner signed NPPSC 1160/1 requesting a 3-year reenlistment effective 18 September 2024, and a zone C SRB. On 2 September 2024, COMNAVPERSCOM notified that authorization was granted for SRB and on 18 September 2024, Petitioner reenlisted for 3 years. However, Petitioner's SRB was cancelled because the reenlistment did not take him into zone D. In accordance with reference (b), when reenlisting for SRB, the reenlistment must take the member's new EAOS into the next SRB zone. The Board determined that Petitioner should have been advised to reenlist for 4 years vice 3 for SRB eligibility.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Petitioner's 3-month agreement to extend enlistment (NAVPERS 1070/621) operative on 18 September 2027 is null and void.

Petitioner's immediate reenlistment contract (NAVPERS 1070/601) executed on 18 September 2024 was for a term of 4 years vice 3 years.

Note: This change will entitle the member to a zone "C" SRB with an award level of 1.0 (\$30,000 dollar award ceiling) for the MA rate. Remaining obligated service to 9 November 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 titled 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.

