

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

> Docket No. 12260-24 Ref: Signature Date



This is in reference to your reconsideration request 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 11 March 2025. 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. The Board also considered the 31 December 2024 Advisory Opinion (AO) provided by Navy Personnel Command (PERS 32).

The Board carefully considered your request to remove the fitness report covering the period 22 May to 31 October 2023 and signed by **Sector**. You contend this report is erroneous as it is signed by the incorrect Reporting Senior (RS). You argue there is a second fitness report in your Official Military Personnel File (OMPF), covering the same time period, signed by the correct RS, **Sector**.

The Board noted in the previous case the **sector** fitness report was not part of your OMPF and for this petition, PERS-32 did process the report submitted by **sector**. However, the Board concurred with PERS-32 that you still did not provide any evidence stating **sector** was the correct reporting senior vice during that time or that the report by **sector** was erroneously submitted. Consequently, the Board again concluded there is insufficient evidence of an error or injustice warranting removal of the contested fitness report and accordingly, the Board determined your request does not merit relief.

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.

Sincerely,

	3/31/2025
Deputy Director	
Signed by:	