



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

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Docket No. 1974-25
Ref: Signature Date

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Dear Petitioner:

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to Title 10, United States Code, Section 1552.

Your application was not filed in a timely manner. A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 10 April 2025. The Board determined that your personal appearance, with or without counsel, would not materially add to their understanding of the issues involved. You contend it would be in the interest of justice to excuse your failure to submit your application in a timely manner because your case involves significant medical conditions that were inadequately addressed during your service and have continued to deteriorate, impacting your health and quality of life. You further argued that these issues reflect systemic oversight and procedural errors that were not fully understood or presented at the time of your discharge and granting a waiver would ensure a fair and just review of the circumstances and allow you access to necessary healthcare and benefits. After careful and conscientious consideration, the Board determined that these were insufficient reasons to find it in the interest of justice to excuse your failure to submit your application in a timely manner. In reaching its decision, the Board determined your request should be denied due to the length of time since your discharge from the Marine Corps.

In the absence of sufficient new evidence for reconsideration, the decision of the Board is final, and your only recourse would be to seek relief, at no cost to the Board, from a court of appropriate jurisdiction.

Sincerely,

4/15/2025

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