



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 4480-25
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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. 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 was 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 18 June 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 determined that your personal appearance, with or without counsel, would not materially add to their understanding of the issues involved. Therefore, the Board determined that a personal appearance was not necessary and considered your case based on the evidence of record.

A review of your record shows that you enlisted in the Navy and commenced active duty on 10 January 2025. Your administration separation documents are not in your official military personnel file. Your Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214) indicates you were discharged on 5 March 2025 due to entry level performance and conduct, you were assigned an uncharacterized characterization of service, and assigned an RE-8 reenlistment code.

In your petition, you have requested to have your discharge changed to a medical discharge. In support of your request, you averred that you gave the Navy everything you could and after all that you were treated as a number. You state that you would still be a U.S. Sailor if you had not been "ASMO'D." The Board has discerned that ASMO stands for Assignment Memorandum

and Order, which is used by the staff at Navy Recruit Training Command (RTC) to track movement of personnel onboard RTC.

The Board carefully reviewed all of your contentions and the material that you submitted in support of your petition, and determined that it found no error or injustice in your naval records with respect to your discharge from service and the reason for your separation. Further, the Board was unable to find a basis for you to receive a medical discharge. In reaching its decision, the Board observed that it applies a presumption of regularity to support the official actions of public officers and, in the absence of substantial evidence to the contrary, will presume that they have properly discharged their official duties. In your case, the Board observed that you were separated due to entry level performance and conduct. It also observed that you provided insufficient evidence of a medical condition that warranted referral to the Disability Evaluation System. The Board observed that it appeared your characterization of service was appropriately assigned because you served an insufficient period of time to receive a characterization of your service.¹ In conclusion, after its review of all of the available evidence, the Board determined you provided insufficient material to overcome the presumption of regularity. Accordingly, the Board denied your petition.

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,

7/10/2025

Deputy Director

Signed by:

¹ In accordance with DoD Instruction 1332.14 and MILPERSMAN 1910-308, Uncharacterized/Entry Level Separation occurs when a service member is discharged before completing 365 days of active duty.