

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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

> Docket No. 5007-25 Ref: Signature Date

Dear

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to Title 10, United States Code, Section 1552, in which you requested to restore your paygrade to E-4 and your MOS as a TM2.

Your application was not filed in a timely manner. A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 28 August 2025. The Board determined that your personal appearance, with or without counsel, would not materially add to their understanding of the issues involved. You claim that you were given a false positive urinalysis and were unfairly punished. You also claim that you never used cannabis while on active duty. In reviewing your application, the Board observed that you did not provide a sufficient basis to excuse your failure to submit your application in a timely manner. Thus, the Board was not willing to waive the three-year statute of limitations since the date of discovery, and determined your request should be denied due to the length of time since your non-judicial punishment in March 1983.

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.

