



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
701 S. COURTHOUSE RD
ARLINGTON, VA 22204

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Docket No. 5619-25
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 18 December 2025. In your application, you requested to have your uncharacterized entry level separation due to erroneous entry changed to an honorable discharge. With respect to your failure to submit your application in a timely manner, you requested that, in the interest of justice, the Board exercise the discretion afforded to it in determining whether a petition is barred by the statute of limitation. After careful and conscientious consideration, the Board determined this was an insufficient reason to find it in the interest of justice to excuse your failure to submit your application in a timely manner which was over 3 years after your discharge in October 2000. 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 discharge in October 2000. (Period of service 7 July 2000 through 13 October 2000).

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,

1/6/2026

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