



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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Docket No. 5757-25
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Dear Petitioner:

This is in reference to your application 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 father's 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.

Although your application was not filed in a timely manner, the Board found it in the interest of justice to waive the statute of limitations and consider your application on its merits. A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 13 August 2025. The names and votes of the panel members 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 the 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, to include the 25 July 2018 guidance from the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness regarding equity, injustice or clemency determinations (Wilkie Memo).

You entered active duty with the Navy on 16 October 1956. On 13 June 1957, you received non-judicial punishment (NJP) for drinking alcohol onboard ship and fighting. On 24 July 1957, you received NJP for drinking in public. On 14 April 1958, a summary court-martial (SCM) convicted you of unauthorized absence (UA) totaling 14 days and missing ship's movement. On 24 November 1958, civil authorities convicted you of first-degree burglary. You were sentenced to three years confinement; which was suspended. On 9 January 1959, a special court-martial (SPCM) convicted you of unauthorized absence (UA) totaling 166 days and missing ship's movement. As a result, you were sentenced to confinement for six months, forfeiture of pay, and a Bad Conduct Discharge (BCD). After completion of all levels of review, you were so discharged on 1 May 1959.

The Board carefully considered all potentially mitigating factors to determine whether the interests of justice warrant relief in your case in accordance with the Wilkie Memo. These

