



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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ARLINGTON, VA 22204

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Docket No. 6499-25
Ref: Signature Date

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Dear ██████████,

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 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.

A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 12 March 2026. 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. In addition, the Board considered the advisory opinion contained in the Officer of the Chief of Naval Operations (OPNAV) memorandum 7431 Ser N130C2/25U0503 of 15 August 2025, which was previously provided to you for comment.

The Board determined your personal appearance, with or without counsel, would not materially add to their understanding of the issues involved. Therefore, the Board determined a personal appearance was not necessary and considered your case based on the evidence of record.

You requested back payment of Overseas Housing Allowance (OHA) for dependent location while assigned to Naval Air Station (NAS) ██████████, ██████████. The Board, in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, to include your assertions. You assert that you were recently approved OHA based on dependent location by OPNAV N130C, and you are now requesting a correction to the previous determination, which denied this entitlement. The prior denial was due to an earlier administrative submission being routed to the incorrect approving authority. However, the Board concluded that on 20 February 2018, Commander, ██████████, ██████████, notified you that your recertification request for the residence at S ██████████, ██████████, ██████████ was certified effective 31 July 2017 through 30 August 2018. On 23 August 2019, you were issued orders 2359 detaching Helicopter Maritime Strike Squadron (HSM) ██████████, ██████████

