

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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

> Docket No. 7793-25 Ref: Signature Date

Dear Petitioner:

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to Title 10, United States Code, Section 1552.

On 28 August 2025, a three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application for reconsideration of its prior denial of your petition based on the statute of limitation. On reconsideration, you asserted that waiving the statute of limitation would be in the interest of justice because you did not discover the potential errors or injustices until speaking with legal counsel in January 2024 and that your application was submitted to the Board on 7 October 2024. Further, you argue that you did not recognize the full effects of being deprived of veteran's benefits until recently, such as preclusion from VA healthcare and denied access to the GI Bill for your daughter's education, which led you to seek a consultation with legal counsel. Thus, you argue, considering that your initial petition to this Board within ten months of consultation with legal counsel, your initial application was timely submitted. Upon its careful review of your reconsideration petition, the Board was unable to find sufficient evidence to support waiving the statute of limitation based on the amount of time that has passed since your separation from the Marine Corps in 1993. Accordingly, the Board denied your petition for reconsideration

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, 9/12/2025