



**DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**  
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Docket No. 8618-25  
Ref: Signature Date

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records  
To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD OF FORMER ██████████, USN,  
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Ref: (a) 10 U.S.C. §1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 with attachments  
(2) Case summary

1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Petitioner filed enclosure (1) requesting an administrative change to his Armed Forces of the United States Report of Transfer or Discharge (DD Form 214) to reflect his correct date of birth (DoB).

2. The Board, consisting of ██████████, and ██████████, reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 15 August 2025 and, pursuant to its regulations, determined that the corrective action indicated below should be taken on the available evidence of record. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of the enclosures, relevant portions of his naval service records, and applicable statutes, regulations, policies.

3. The Board, having reviewed all the facts of record pertaining to Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice finds as follows:

a. Before applying to this Board, Petitioner exhausted all administrative remedies available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy.

b. Although enclosure (1) was not filed in a timely manner, it is in the interests of justice to review the application on its merits.

c. The Petitioner enlisted in the U.S. Navy Reserve (USNR) and began a period of active service on or about 28 November 1961. On 27 November 1963, Petitioner received an Honorable discharge upon the expiration of his active obligated service. On 21 November 1966, Petitioner was honorably discharged from the USNR.

d. The DoB as reflected in Block 6 on Petitioner's DD Form 214 issued upon his completion of required obligated service, effective 27 November 1963, was ██████████. However, the Petitioner's correct DoB is ██████████.

e. Petitioner provided a copy of his Department of Commerce/Bureau of the Census

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[REDACTED]

Notification of Birth Registration stating his correct date of birth of [REDACTED]. The Board noted that the Petitioner's original enlistment application, the recruiter's "verification of date and place of birth of applicant," and Record of Emergency Data forms contained in his service record, all reflect a DoB of [REDACTED].

CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board concludes that Petitioner's request warrants relief. The Board noted that the DoB as reflected on Petitioner's DD Form 214 issued on 27 November 1963 is erroneous and requires correction.

RECOMMENDATION:

In view of the foregoing, the Board finds the existence of an error warranting the following corrective action.

That Petitioner be issued a "Correction to DD Form 214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty" (DD Form 215), for the period ending on 27 November 1963, to indicate that his DoB in Block 6 is changed to [REDACTED]."

That all other information currently listed on such DD Form 214 remains the same.

That a copy of this report of proceedings be filed in Petitioner's naval record.

4. It is certified that a quorum was present at the Board's review and deliberations, and that the foregoing is a true and complete record of the Board's proceedings in the above entitled matter.

5. Pursuant to the delegation of authority set out in Section 6(e) of the revised Procedures of the Board for Correction of Naval Records (32 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 723.6(e)), and having assured compliance with its provisions, it is hereby announced that the foregoing corrective action, taken under the authority of reference (a), has been approved by the Board on behalf of the Secretary of the Navy.

8/18/2025

