



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

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Docket No. 3459-26
Ref: Signature Date

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Dear [REDACTED],

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 4 May 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.

You requested a total of eight non-pay Reserve participation points for 11–12 June 2022 and 20–21 August 2022. The Board, in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, including your assertions. You asserted, "I was exposed to COVID in June 2022 and contracted the virus in August of 2022, and I was not able to attend those respective drill weekends during my quarantine and recovery period." However, the Board did not find, nor did you provide, any evidence—such as medical records or a command letter—that validates your assertion that you missed these drills for illness. Furthermore, you could have requested to make up the missed drills or completed correspondence courses prior to the end of your 2022 anniversary year. Therefore, the Board found no error or injustice to warrant a change to your record.

You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new matters, which will require you to complete and submit a new DD Form 149. New matters are those not previously presented to or considered by the Board. In this regard, it is important to keep in mind that a presumption of regularity attaches to all official records. Consequently, when applying for a correction of an official naval record, the burden is on the applicant to demonstrate the existence of probable material error or injustice.

Sincerely,

5/11/2026

