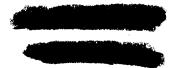
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS AIR FORCE BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS

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IN THE MATTER OF:

DOCKET NUMBER: 97-02817



COUNSEL: None

HEARING DESIRED: NO

Applicant requests recoupment of her Special Separation Bonus (SSB) and/or return to active duty. Applicant's submission is at Exhibit A.

The appropriate Air Force offices evaluated applicant's request and provided advisory opinions to the Board recommending the application be denied (Exhibit C). The advisory opinions were forwarded to the applicant for review and response (Exhibit D). Applicant's response to the advisory opinions is at Exhibit E.

After noting applicant's response to the advisory opinions (Exhibit E), on 20 Mar 98, the applicant was requested to provide more specific information regarding exactly what correction she was seeking to her military records (Exhibit F). Applicant provided a three-page letter (Exhibit G), dated 5 May 98; however, it still is unclear exactly what correction she is requesting.

In view of the foregoing and after careful consideration of her request and the available evidence of record, we are agreeing with the advisory opinions and assuming this is the relief sought in her application. In view of the above, and absent persuasive evidence applicant was denied rights to which entitled, appropriate regulations were not followed, or appropriate standards were not applied, we find no basis to disturb the existing record.

Accordingly, applicant's request is denied.

The Board staff is directed to inform applicant of this decision. Applicant should also be informed that this decision is final and will only be reconsidered upon the presentation of new relevant evidence which was not reasonably available at the time the application was filed.

Members of the Board Ms. Martha Maust, Ms. Patricia D. Vestal, and Mr. Frederick A. Beaman, III, considered this application on 15 December 1998 in accordance with the provisions of Air Force Instruction 36-2603, and the governing statute, 10, U.S.C. 1552.

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Exhibits:

- A. Applicant's DD Form 149
- B. Available Master Personnel Records
- C. Advisory Opinions
- D. AFBCMR Ltr Forwarding Advisory Opinions
- E. Applicant's Response
- F. AFBCMR Ltr
- G. Applicant's Ltr