RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS AIR FORCE BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS

IN THE MATTER OF:

DOCKET NO: 98-00298

COUNSEL: NONE

JUN 1 9 1998

HEARING DESIRED: NO

Applicant requests that the narrative reason for separation, type of separation and the separation code be changed. Applicant's submission is at Exhibit A.

The appropriate Air Force office evaluated applicant's request and provided an advisory opinion to the Board recommending the application be denied (ExhibitC). The Air Force states based on information contained in applicant's application, the narrative reason for separation has been corrected to read "Officer Training Program." The advisory opinion was forwarded to the applicant for review and response (Exhibit D). As of this date, no response has been received by this office.

After careful consideration of applicant's request and the available evidence of record, we find insufficient evidence of error or injustice to warrant corrective action. The facts and opinions stated in the advisory opinion appear to be based on the evidence of record and have not been rebutted by applicant. 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, Mr. David C. Van **Gasbeck**, Mr. Michael **P**. Higgins, and Mr. Thomas **S**. Markiewicz considered this application on 17 June 1998, in accordance with the provisions of Air Force Instruction 36-2603, and the governing statute, 10 U.S.C. 1552.

DAVID C VAN GASBECK

Panel Chair

Exhibits:

- A. Applicant's DD Form 149
- B. Available Master Personnel Records
- C. Advisory Opinion
- D. SAF/MIBR Ltr Forwarding Advisory Opinion



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS AIR FORCE PERSONNEL CENTER RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE TEXAS

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MEMORANDUM FOR DPPRR
AFBCMR
IN TURN

FROM: HQ AFPC/DPPRS

550 C Street West Ste 11

Randolph **AFB TX 78150-4713**

SUBJECT: Application for Correction of Military Records -

The applicant, while **serving** in the grade of senior airman, was discharged **from** the Air Force 21 Jul 97 under the provisions of AFI **36-3208** (Officer **Training** Program) with an honorable discharge. He served **03** years 09 months and 15 days total active service.

Requested Action. The applicant is requesting correction to items 23,26 and 28 of his DD Form 214 issued for his active period of service ending 21 Jul 97.

Facts. Applicant's master personnel record does not contain the AF Form 31 (Application for Early Separation) which he would have had to submit in order to be discharged prior to his expiration term of service, However, based on information contained in applicant's application, he voluntarily submitted a request for a early separation under provisions of AFI 36-3208, paragraph 2.15 (Entering an AFROTC Program) which was approved by the discharge authority and applicant was discharged on 21 Jul 97. Applicant was given the correct type of separation, item 23 as discharge and the correct separation code of KGX, item 23, however, the narrative reason for separation, item 28, should be administratively corrected to read "Officer Training Program" by AFPC/DPPRR.

<u>Recommendation</u>, Approval in part. Recommend DPPRR issue **a** DD Form 215 to administratively **correct** item 28 of the DD Form 214, however, recommend AFBCMR deny applicant's request for changes to items 23 and 26 of the DD Form **214** which are correct.

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