



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
2 NAVY ANNEX  
WASHINGTON DC 20370-5100

TRG  
Docket No: 6263-08  
24 September 2008

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of title 10 of the United States Code, section 1552.


A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 23 September 2008. 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, your naval record and applicable statutes, regulations and policies. In addition, the Board considered an advisory opinion furnished by Headquarters Marine Corps, a copy of which is enclosed.

After careful and conscientious consideration of the entire record, the Board found that the evidence submitted was insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice. In this connection the Board substantially concurred with the comments contained in the advisory opinion.

Accordingly, your application has been denied. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request.

It is regretted that the circumstances of your case are such that favorable action cannot be taken. You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new and material evidence or other matter not previously 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,

  
W. DEAN PFEIFFER  
Executive Director

Enclosure



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MEMORANDUM FOR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF  
NAVAL RECORDS

Subj: BCNR ADVISORY OPINION IN THE CASE OF MASTER GUNNERY  
[REDACTED] USMCR

Ref: (a) Chairman BCNR ltr TRG:jdh Docket No: 06263-08 of  
28 Jul 08

Encl: (1) Career Retirement Credit Record

1. The reference requests an advisory opinion on Master Gunnery Sergeant [REDACTED] petition to correct his record to show the anniversary year beginning on 23 February 1992 as creditable towards retirement.

2. Per the enclosure, Master Gunnery Sergeant [REDACTED] has 22 satisfactory anniversary years that are creditable towards a reserve retirement. The movement, or non-movement, of points will not affect his ability to earn a reserve retirement nor will it affect any reserve pay entitlements.

3. Based on the above, this Headquarters recommends Master Gunnery Sergeant [REDACTED] petition not receive favorable consideration.

4. Point of contact is Major [REDACTED] (703) 784-9306.

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Deputy Head, Separation and  
Retirement Branch  
By direction of the Commandant  
of the Marine Corps