

### **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

### BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS

# 2 NAVY ANNEX WASHINGTON DC 20370-5100

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Docket No: 6547-09 12 February 2010

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD

Ref: (a) Title 10 U.S.C. 1552

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 dtd 6 Jun 09

(2) HOMC MIO memo dtd 10 Sep 09 w/encl

(3) Subj's naval record

- 1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a), Subject, hereinafter referred to as Petitioner, filed written application, enclosure (1), with this Board requesting, in effect, that his naval record be corrected by assigning proficiency/conduct ("PRO"/"CON") marks for 31 July 2007 and raising or removing the marks for 31 January and 14 July 2008. A copy of his "PRO"/"CON" record in the Marine Corps Total Force System (MCTFS) is at enclosure (2).
- 2. The Board, consisting of Mses. LeBlanc and Trucco and Mr. Pfeiffer, reviewed allegations of error and injustice on 4 February 2010, and pursuant to its regulations, determined that limited relief should be granted. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of the enclosures, naval records, and applicable statutes, regulations and 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 which were available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy.
- b. In enclosure (2), the Headquarters Marine Corps office with cognizance over the subject matter of Petitioner's case commented to the effect the request warranted partial relief, specifically, removal of the "CON" marks of "2.0" for 31 January and 14 July 2008. That office specifically recommended

replacing the marks to be removed with "not applicable" ("NA") and accomplishing a "delete as erroneous" unit diary entry for those marks.

### CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, and especially in light of enclosure (2), the Board finds the existence of an error and injustice warranting the following limited corrective action.

## RECOMMENDATION:

- a. That Petitioner's naval record be corrected by modifying his MCTFS data as follows: remove the "CON" marks of "2.0" dated 31 January and 14 July 2008 and replace each with "NA."
- b. That a "delete as erroneous" unit diary entry be accomplished on the basis of this correction.
- c. That any material or entries inconsistent with or relating to the Board's recommendation be corrected, removed or completely expunged from Petitioner's record and that no such entries or material be added to the record in the future.
- d. That any material directed to be removed from Petitioner's naval record be returned to the Board, together with a copy of this Report of Proceedings, for retention in a confidential file maintained for such purpose, with no cross reference being made a part of Petitioner's naval record.
  - e. That the remainder of Petitioner's request be denied.
- 4. Pursuant to Section 6(c) of the revised Procedures of the Board for Correction of Naval Records (32 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 723.6(c)) 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.

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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.

W. DEAN PRETFER Executive Director