

CONCLUSION:

Upon review and consideration of all the evidence of record, the Board concludes that Petitioner's request warrants favorable action. The Board's finding is based on her overall satisfactory record, which includes no disciplinary infractions, and her good post service conduct. The Board believes if it had not been for her pregnancy she would have continued to serve in an honorable manner. In this regard, and as a matter of clemency, the Board believes that the record should reflect that she was honorably discharged vice receiving an under honorable conditions characterization. Based on the foregoing the Board concludes that no useful purpose is served by continuing to characterize her service as having been under honorable conditions, and recharacterization to a fully honorable discharge is appropriate.

In view of the foregoing, the Board finds the existence of an injustice warranting the following corrective action.

RECOMMENDATION:


a. That Petitioner's naval record be corrected to show that she was honorably discharged on 29 March 1945 vice issued the discharge under honorable conditions on the same day.

b. 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.

c. 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.

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 presented 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.

ROBERT D. ZSALMAN
Recorder


BRIAN J. GEORGE
Acting Recorder

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 Regulation, 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 PFEIFFER
By direction