

## DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS 701 S. COURTHOUSE ROAD ARLINGTON, VA 22204

DJC

Docket No. 3140-12

10 Oct 12

From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

Secretary of the Navy To:

Subj: REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD

0311 USMC

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

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 w/attachments

(2) MCRC Memo 5730 G-7 dtd 23 Aug 12

(3) Subject's naval record

- 1. Pursuant to the provisions of reference (a) Subject, hereinafter referred to as Petitioner, filed enclosure (1) with this Board requesting, in effect, that the applicable naval record be corrected to modify an enlistment/reenlistment document.
- 2. The Board, consisting of Mr. Pfeiffer, Mr. Zsalman, and Mr. Exnicios, reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 9 October 2012 and, pursuant to its regulations, determined that the corrective action indicated below should be taken on the available evidence of record. 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 available under existing law and regulations within the Department of the Navy.
- b. In correspondence attached as enclosure (2), the office having cognizance over the subject matter addressed in Petitioner's application has commented to the effect that the request has merit and warrants favorable action.

## CONCLUSION

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

## RECOMMENDATION:

That Petitioner's naval record be corrected, where appropriate, to show that:

- a. The enlistment/reenlistment document Armed Forces of the United States (DD Form 4), executed on or about 5 January 2009 is for a term of 4 years, vice 6 years.
- b. The Statement of Understanding (Form number: 1130-F9 1 Oct 08), executed on or about 1 January 2009, is null and void.
- c. Note: Petitioner is responsible for repaying the debt of \$15,000 (Infantry Option Bonus that he would have been entitled to if he had completed a 6 year term in accordance with the Statement of understanding). No waiver of unpaid debt will be granted.
- d. A copy of this Report of Proceedings will be filed in Petitioner's naval record.
- 4. It is certified that 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.

ROBERT D. ZSALMAN Recorder

WILLIAM J. HESS, III Acting Recorder

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.

10 Oct 12

FOR W. DEAN PFEIFFER

Executive Director