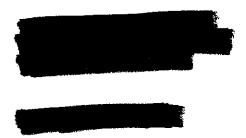


DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS 701 S COURTHOUSE RD SUITE 1001 ARLINGTON VA 22204-2490

BAN
Docket No.NR05185-13
22 October 2013



This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of 10 USC 1552.

A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 21 October 2013. 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. The Board considered the advisory opinion furnished by the Naval Personnel Command (NPC) memo 1430 Ser 811/246 of 13 Aug 2013, a copy of which is attached. You were provided an opportunity to respond on 5 Sept 2013 and failed to do so.

Therefore, 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. Accordingly, your request for correction has been denied. However, if you wish to have the Board reconsider your case, please submit a copy of your Petty Officer Indoctrination Course for their review and your case may be reopened for remedial consideration. 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 also 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,

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Executive Director

Enclosure