

## DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS 761 S. COURTHOUSE ROAD, SUITE 1001 ARLINGTON, VA 22204-2490

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Docket No: NR4259-14

28 August 2014



Dear Master Sergeant

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.

You requested removing the fitness report for 1 October 2010 to 17 September 2011.

It is noted that the Commandant of the Marine Corps (CMC) has directed modifying the Memorandum for the Record associated with the contested fitness report by changing the corrected ending date in section A, item 3.b ("To") from "20110917" to "20110907"; and adding the following corrections in section A: "20110907"; and adding the following corrections in section A: item 1.h ("BILMOS [Billet Military Occupational Specialty]") from "0000" to "0699," item 2.a ("MCC [Monitored Command Code]") from "SND" to "SP2," item 2.b ("RUC [Reporting Unit Code]") from "14641" to "14031" and item 2.c ("Unit Description") from "HQBTRY 5THBN 14THMAR 4THMARDIV" to "H&SCO(-) 4TH LARBN."

A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 28 August 2014. 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 the report of the Headquarters Marine Corps (HQMC) Performance Evaluation Review Board (PERB), dated 31 March 2014, and the

advisory opinion from the HQMC Records, Research and Reconstruction Section, Manpower Management Records and Performance Branch dated 20 May 2014 with enclosure, copies of which are attached.

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 report of the PERB and the advisory opinion. Accordingly, your application for relief beyond that effected by CMC 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,

ROBERT J. O'NEILL

Executive Director

Enclosure