

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

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

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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 2 March 2015. 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 advisory opinion furnished by MCRC memo 5000 G-7 dated 18 December 2014, a copy of which was provided to you on 31 January 2015, and is being provided to you now.

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 advisory opinion. You agreed via Statement of Understanding on 15 January 2011, and via DD Form 1966 (Record of Military Processing -Armed Forces of the United States) on 20 Jun 2011, to modify your program description to reflect UW - Marine Corps Security Forces (PRP), a 5 year program, vice PN - Open Contract a 4 year program. Moreover, upon graduation from School of Infantry on 22 February 2012, you were transferred to Marine Barracks, Washington, DC for duty. Finally, on 1 November 2013 you transferred to 1st Battalion, 5th Marines, Camp Pendleton, California for duty. Currently your End of Active Service (EAS)/End of Current Contract (ECC), is 19 June 2016. Accordingly, your application to reduce your contract term to reflect 4 years, as well as your request for a personal appearance before the Board, have 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 evidence within one year from the date of the Board's decision. New evidence is evidence

not previously considered by the Board prior to making its decision in this case. 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

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Executive Director

Enclosure: MCRC memo 5000 G-7 dtd 18 Dec 14