



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
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ARLINGTON, VA 22204-2490

MTN  
Docket No: 6849-14  
1 July 2015

5 U.S.C 552(b) (6)

Dear 5 U.S.C 552(b) (6)

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of Title 10, United States Code, Section 1552, in which you requested recharacterization of your discharge. In this regard, you stated that the Veterans Affairs Beneficiary Identification and Records Locator Subsystem contains documentation that reflect that you received a "bad conduct discharge" for your period of service from 21 June to 16 October 1989. However, following a preliminary review of your naval record, it was noted that it contained a Certificate of Release from Active Duty or Discharge (DD Form 214) which reflects that on 16 October 1989, you were honorably separated under an early authorized program for circumstance. This characterization of service was for the period from 9 August to 16 October 1989, a period totaling two months and eight days. A copy of your DD Form 214 is enclosed for your information.

In accordance with the foregoing, it appears that the Department of Veteran Affairs (DVA) has determined to recharacterize your service as "bad conduct" solely for their purposes. With that being said, be advised that the Board has no authority to negate the actions of the DVA, nor does it have any jurisdiction to change their records. As a result of the foregoing, no action is required by this Board, and your case is administratively closed.

Your point of contact in this matter is 5 U.S.C 552(b) (6) and he can be reached at 5 U.S.C 552(b) (6) or via email at 5 U.S.C 552(b) (6)

Sincerely,

5 U.S.C 552(b) (6)

ROBERT J. O'NEILL  
Executive Director

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