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From: Chairman, Board for Correction of Naval Records

To: Secretary of the Navy

Subj:

REVIEW OF NAVAL RECORD

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

Encl: (1) DD Form 149 dtd 16 Jul 14 w/attachments

(2) HQMC MMPR memo dtd 29 Jan 15

(3) HQMC MMRP-50 memo dtd 25 Mar 15

- 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 show the lineal position, date of rank and effective date in the grade of major he would have been assigned had he been selected for promotion to that grade by the Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Major Selection Board, wise the FY 2018 Major Selection Board. His current date of rank and effective date is 1 May 2014.
- 2. The Board, consisting of Messrs.

 reviewed Petitioner's allegations of error and injustice on 16 April 2015, 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. Enclosure (1) was filed in a timely manner.
- c. In enclosure (2), MMPR, the Headquarters Marine Corps (HQMC) Promotion Branch, has advised that if Petitioner had been promoted pursuant to selection by the FY 2014 Major Selection Board, he would have been assigned a date of rank and effective date of 1 February 2014.
- d. In enclosure (3), MMRP-50, the HQMC Counseling and Evaluation Section, has commented to the effect that Petitioner's request to backdate his promotion 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 enclosures (2) and (3), the Board finds an injustice warranting the following corrective action:

RECOMMENDATION:

- a. That Petitioner's naval record be corrected, where appropriate, to show his date of rank and effective date in the grade of major as 1 February 2014, vice 1 May 2014; and that his lineal precedence be adjusted accordingly.
- b. That any material or entries inconsistent with or relating to the Board's recommendation be corrected, removed or completely expunged from Petitioner's record and that no such entries or material be added to the record in the future.
- 4. It is certified that a 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.

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5. The foregoing report of the Board is submitted for your review and action.

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Reviewed and approved:

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