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April 25, 2022

The Honorable Charles S. Haight  
Ricard C. Lee United States Courthouse  
141 Church Street  
New Haven, CT 06510

Re: Six-Month Report Regarding Group A Cases Reconsidered and Decided, *Kennedy v. Whitley* Case: 3:16-cv-02010

Dear Judge Haight:

As stipulated in the settlement agreement, section IV.A.5., in the subject case, the Army Discharge Review Board (ADRB) will make every effort to complete its reconsideration of Group A applicants in a timely manner, and agreed to provide a report every six months of the number of Group A cases reconsidered and decided.

This letter serves as the Army's second report to the Court regarding the status of the ADRB's review of the Group A cases. A breakdown of the Group A cases is as follows:

CASE STATUS	NUMBER OF CASES
Pre-Board Cases	2934
Pending Board Docket	49
Boarded (Decided) Cases	356
Duplicate Cases	76
<b>TOTAL CASES</b>	<b>3415</b>
<i>Grant State: Full or Partial</i>	59
<i>Upgrade: UOTH (2)</i>	
<i>Upgrade: GD (7)</i>	
<i>Upgrade: HD (45)</i>	
<i>Upgrade: Other (5)</i>	

**Other:** Change to narrative reason (1); change to re-enlistment code (4); 3 of 5 cases already had an HD.

**Duplicate Cases:** Applicants had both record review and personal appearance (75); includes (1) ABCMR case miscoded as an ADRB Group A case.

The Army Review Boards Agency will submit its next six-month report on or about October 25, 2022. The report will update the following:

- (1) the number of Group A cases in a pre-board status,
- (2) the number of Group A cases scheduled for an upcoming board,
- (3) the number of Group A cases boarded, and

(4) a breakdown of the boarded cases, whose grant state was either full or partial relief, based on the type of characterization of service or other change made to an applicant's discharge.

Sincerely,  
The Army Review Boards Agency