

Air Force Court-Martial Summaries

May 2016



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General Court-Martial Convictions

At McConnell AFB, KS, Airman First Class Thomas E. Barker was found guilty by military judge alone of possessing and viewing child pornography. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, confinement for 30 months, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Tinker AFB, OK, Airman First Class Patrick M. Barnes was found guilty by military judge alone of sexual abuse of a child, indecent exposure, recording the private area of another without consent, possessing child pornography, extortion, and communicating indecent language. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, and confinement for 16 months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At F.E. Warren AFB, WY, Airman Basic Dustin C. Berry was found guilty by military judge alone of sexual abuse of a child. He was sentenced to a dishonorable discharge, confinement for four months, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Holloman AFB, NM, Airman First Class Benjamin T. Brantley was found guilty by officer and enlisted members of attempting to damage military property. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), restriction to base for two months, hard labor without confinement for three months, and forfeiture of \$200 pay per month for six months.

At Peterson AFB, CO, Airman First Class Matthew L. Copeland was found guilty by military judge alone of aggravated assault, assault consummated by a battery, and violating a lawful order. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a dishonorable discharge, confinement for three years, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Tyndall AFB, FL, Airman Mattox A. Davis was found guilty by officer and enlisted members of sexual assault. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a reprimand, a dishonorable discharge, and confinement for 40 days.

At Robins AFB, GA, Staff Sergeant Jamie L. Devault was found guilty by officer members of attempted sexual assault of a child and attempted sexual abuse of a child. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a dishonorable discharge, confinement for 18 months, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances.

At Robins AFB, GA, Second Lieutenant Anthony N. Friscia was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use and possession of controlled substances, soliciting another to possess a controlled substance, soliciting another to introduce a controlled substance onto a military installation, failure to go and being absent without leave. He was sentenced to a dismissal, confinement for eight months, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Tinker AFB, OK, Senior Airman Mary M. Harrington was found guilty by military judge alone of desertion. She was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct

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discharge, and confinement for 94 days. Pursuant to a pretrial agreement, the convening authority will not approve confinement in excess of 75 days.

At Robins AFB, GA, Staff Sergeant Bradley D. Hintz was found guilty by officer members of attempted sexual assault of a child and attempted sexual abuse of a child. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a dishonorable discharge, confinement for five years, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances.

At Keesler AFB, MS, Lieutenant Colonel Barbara J. Hoeben was found guilty by military judge alone of drunken driving and willful dereliction of duty. She was sentenced to forfeiture of \$2,500 pay per month for two months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Malmstrom AFB, MT, Senior Airman Steven Jimenez was found guilty by military judge of aggravated assault, assault consummated by battery, wrongful use and distribution of a controlled substance, larceny of property valued less than \$500, and violating a lawful order. He was sentenced by officer and enlisted members to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a dishonorable discharge, confinement for 10 years, and total forfeitures. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Ramstein AB, Germany, Technical Sergeant William D. Maske was found guilty by officer and enlisted members of attempted sexual assault of a child and attempted sexual abuse of a child. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman First Class (E-3), a dishonorable discharge, confinement for three years, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances.

At Hill AFB, UT, Master Sergeant Jason M. Pringle was found guilty by officer and enlisted members of indecent acts with a child and violating a lawful order. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a dishonorable discharge, confinement for 30 months, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances.

At Robins AFB, GA, Airman First Class Ashton R. Rosales was found guilty by military judge alone of possessing child pornography and violating a general order. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a dishonorable discharge, confinement for 54 months, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances.

At JB Elmendorf-Richardson, AK, Senior Airman Raymond J. Simon II and was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use of controlled substances and introducing a controlled substance onto a military installation. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, and confinement for 12 months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At JB Elmendorf-Richardson, AK, Senior Airman Demetris A. Touttoulos was found guilty by officer and enlisted members of wrongful use of a controlled substance. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, confinement for 180 days, and total forfeitures of pay and allowances.

At Hanscom AFB, MA, Senior Airman Clint A. Williams was found guilty by officer members of sexual assault and abusive sexual contact. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a dishonorable discharge, and confinement for six months.

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General Court-Martial Acquittals

At JB San Antonio-Lackland, TX, an enlisted Airman was acquitted by military judge alone of sexual assault, underage drinking, and violating a general regulation.

At MacDill AFB, FL, an enlisted Airman was acquitted by officer and enlisted members of sexual assault.

At JB San Antonio-Lackland, TX, an enlisted Airman was acquitted by military judge alone of forcible sodomy, sexual assault, and underage drinking.

At JB San Antonio-Lackland, TX, an enlisted Airman was acquitted by military judge alone of forcible sodomy and sexual assault.

Special Court-Martial Convictions

At Holloman AFB, NM, Staff Sergeant Antonio S. Borja was found guilty by officer members of wrongful use of a controlled substance. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman First Class (E-3), a reprimand, and hard labor without confinement for two months.

At Fairchild AFB, WA, Senior Airman Ochirtbilguun Caldwell was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use of a controlled substance. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), restriction to base for 45 days, hard labor without confinement for 45 days, and forfeiture of \$783 pay per month for two months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Luke AFB, AZ, Staff Sergeant Jay M. Diegmiller, Jr., was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use of a controlled substance. He was sentenced by officer members to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a reprimand, and hard labor without confinement for 30 days.

At Andersen AFB, Guam, Airman First Class Niko S. Diego was found guilty by officer and enlisted members of wrongful distribution of a controlled substance. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman (E-2), restriction to base for 60 days, and forfeiture of \$150 pay per month for six months.

At Shaw AFB, SC, Airman Basic Terry L. Dize was found guilty by military judge alone of signing a false official statement and larceny of military property valued over \$500. He was sentenced to a bad conduct discharge. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Dyess AFB, TX, Technical Sergeant Daniel A. Duran was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use of controlled substances. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, and confinement for four months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Travis AFB, CA, Airman Basic Steven A. Gonzales was found guilty by officer members of wrongful use of a controlled substance. He was sentenced to a bad conduct discharge and confinement for 45 days. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

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At Moody AFB, GA, Senior Airman Nathan A. Gonzalez was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use of controlled substances and willful dereliction of duty. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1) and confinement for two months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Aviano AB, Italy, Airman First Class Jaccob T. Harford was found guilty by officer members of wrongful use of a controlled substance and violating a general regulation. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), confinement for two months, and forfeiture of \$800 pay per month for two months. Pursuant to a pretrial agreement, the convening authority will not approve confinement in excess of 45 days.

At Schriever AFB, CO, Airman First Class Jailen R. Holt was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use and possession of controlled substances and introduction of controlled substances onto a military installation. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, and confinement for four months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Schriever AFB, CO, Senior Airman Matthew R. Hughes was found guilty by officer members of unlawfully carrying a concealed weapon. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman First Class (E-3), restriction to base for two months, and hard labor without confinement for three months.

At JB Pearl Harbor-Hickam, HI, Airman First Class Quinton I. Kerns was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use and distribution of controlled substances. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, and confinement for 10 months. Pursuant to a pretrial agreement, the convening authority will not approve confinement in excess of six months.

At Mountain Home AFB, ID, Senior Airman Jarett J. Lindstrom was found guilty by military judge alone of drunken driving. He was sentenced to a reprimand, hard labor without confinement for 30 days, confinement for eight days, and forfeiture of \$1,100 pay per month for two months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Moody AFB, GA, Airman First Class Alan J. Maldonado, Jr., was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use and distribution of controlled substances and violating a general regulation. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, confinement for 11 months, and forfeiture of \$1,044 pay per month for 11 months. Pursuant to a pretrial agreement, the convening authority will not approve the bad conduct discharge.

At Pope AAF, NC, Airman First Class Sonia E. Moore was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use of controlled substances and making a false official statement. She was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, and confinement for four months. Pursuant to a pretrial agreement, the convening authority will not approve confinement in excess of 60 days.

At JB Pearl Harbor-Hickam, HI, Airman First Class Hayden L. Roach was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use of controlled substances. He was sentenced to reduction to

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Airman Basic (E-1) and confinement for two months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At JB San Antonio-Lackland, TX, Airman First Class Ricardo Villarreal III was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful use of a controlled substance. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), confinement for 45 days, and forfeiture of \$1,000 pay per month for two months. The pretrial agreement had no effect on the sentence.

At Kadena AB, Japan, Airman First Class Daniel T. Whiting was found guilty by military judge alone of wrongful distribution and possession with intent to distribute a controlled substance and obstruction of justice. He was sentenced to reduction to Airman Basic (E-1), a bad conduct discharge, and confinement for six months. Pursuant to a pretrial agreement, the convening authority will not approve confinement in excess of 179 days

Special Court-Martial Acquittals

None.