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From: Commanding General  
To: Commanding General, MCRD/WRR San Diego  
Via: Commanding General, Marine Corps Recruiting Command

Subj: BOARD OF INQUIRY IN THE CASE OF MAJOR CARLOS O. ROWE  
4333/0402 USMC

Ref: (a) SECNAVINST 1920.6C  
(b) LEGADMINMAN  
(c) Report of NJP of 18 Oct 10  
(d) IGMC Completion Rpt of 18 Oct 10  
(e) Report of NJP of 04 Jan 08

1. Pursuant to paragraph 13d of reference (a), I have been designated as a Show Cause Authority for the Marine Corps. In that capacity, I have reviewed the allegations of misconduct and substandard performance of duty in references (c) - (e) and I have determined that there is sufficient information to refer this case to a Board of Inquiry for a recommendation whether Major Rowe should be retained in the Marine Corps.

2. Accordingly, you are directed to convene a Board of Inquiry under the provisions of reference (a) to consider Major Rowe's case. The specific reasons for separation to be considered by the Board are ~~substandard performance of duty, misconduct, and~~ moral or professional dereliction as evidenced by one or more of the following:

a. Substandard performance of duties, as evidenced by a failure to demonstrate acceptable qualities of leadership required of an officer of his grade; and

b. Misconduct or Moral or Professional Dereliction, as evidenced by commission of a military or civilian offense which could be punished by confinement of 6 months or more.

3. You are directed to notify Major Rowe by separate correspondence that separation proceedings have been initiated and his right to 30 days delay in which to prepare his case.

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4. The written report of the Board of Inquiry will be forwarded to MCCDC SJA.

5. Correspondence relating to this and all other officer administrative separation processing should be mailed using Federal Express. Use of the U.S. Postal Service will result in undue delay due to mandatory offsite irradiation.

6. Reference (b) provides time goals for processing officer administrative separation cases. Failure to comply with those standards should be addressed in the return endorsement.

  
GEORGE J. ELYNN

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