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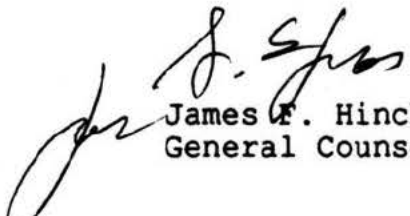
Dear Mr. :

This responds to your October 28, 1990, appeal of our Claims Group's settlement in Z-2903998, involving waiver of the collection of erroneous overpayments.

Upon review of the record, we find no error of law or fact in the Claims Group's action.

Service members have an obligation to keep themselves informed regarding direct deposits of pay to their bank accounts. , B-197626, Feb. 28, 1980. Also, they have a duty to examine their leave and earning statements regarding the amount of accrued leave which they accumulate during their service career. , B-239274, July 12, 1990.

Sincerely yours,


James F. Hinchman
General Counsel