

**UNITED STATES NAVY-MARINE CORPS
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS
WASHINGTON, D.C.**

**Before
J.R. PERLAK, M.D. MODZELEWSKI, G.G. GERDING
Appellate Military Judges**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

**RUSSELL R. BENSON
STAFF SERGEANT (E-6), U.S. MARINE CORPS**

**NMCCA 201200213
GENERAL COURT-MARTIAL**

Sentence Adjudged: 23 January 2012.

Military Judge: Col Michael B. Richardson, USMC.

Convening Authority: Commanding General, 1st Marine
Division (Rein), Camp Pendleton, CA.

Staff Judge Advocate's Recommendation: Maj V.G. Laratta,
USMC.

For Appellant: LCDR John T. Zelinka, JAGC, USN.

For Appellee: Mr. Brian K. Keller, Esq.

31 July 2012

OPINION OF THE COURT

After careful consideration of the record, submitted without assignment of error, we affirm the findings and sentence as approved by the convening authority. Art. 66(c), Uniform Code of Military Justice, 10 U.S.C. § 866(c).

For the Court

R.H. TROIDL
Clerk of Court