

# United States Navy–Marine Corps Court of Criminal Appeals

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UNITED STATES

Appellee

v.

**James P. McGRATH**

Corporal (E-4), U.S. Marine Corps

Appellant

**No. 201800279**

Appeal from the United States Navy-Marine Corps Trial Judiciary

Decided: 14 February 2019.

Military Judge:

Lieutenant Colonel Emily A. Jackson-Hall, USMC.

Sentence adjudged 17 July 2018 by a special court-martial convened at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, consisting of a military judge sitting alone. Sentence approved by convening authority: reduction to E-3, confinement for 67 days, and a bad-conduct discharge.

For Appellant:

*Commander Richard E.N. Federico, JAGC, USN.*

For Appellee:

*Brian K. Keller, Esq.*

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**This opinion does not serve as binding precedent under  
NMCCA Rule of Appellate Procedure 30.2(a).**

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Before WOODARD, HUTCHISON, and FOIL,  
*Appellate Military Judges.*

PER CURIAM:

After careful consideration of the record, submitted without assignment of error, we have determined that the approved findings and sentence are correct in law and fact and that no error materially prejudicial to Appellant's substantial rights occurred. Articles 59 and 66, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. §§ 859, 866.

The findings and sentence as approved by the convening authority are **AFFIRMED**.



FOR THE COURT:

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rodger A. Drew, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

RODGER A. DREW, JR.  
Clerk of Court