

United States Navy–Marine Corps Court of Criminal Appeals

UNITED STATES

Appellee

v.

Ryan M. ALDEN

Private (E-1), U.S. Marine Corps

Appellant

No. 201800308

Appeal from the United States Navy-Marine Corps Trial Judiciary.

Decided: 7 March 2019.

Military Judge:

Lieutenant Colonel Jeffrey V. Munoz, USMC.

Sentence adjudged 30 May 2018 by a general court-martial convened at Marine Corps Air Station Miramar, California consisting of a military judge sitting alone. Sentence approved by convening authority: reduction to E-1, confinement for 30 months,* and a bad-conduct discharge.

For Appellant:

Captain W. Scott Laragy, JAGC, USN.

For Appellee:

Brian K. Keller, Esq.

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

* The Convening Authority suspended confinement in excess of 6 months pursuant to a pretrial agreement.

Before HUTCHISON, TANG, and ELLINGTON
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, reading "Roger A. Drew, Jr.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

RODGER A. DREW, JR.
Clerk of Court