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United States Navy - Marine Corps  
Court of Criminal Appeals

Before  
MONAHAN, STEPHENS, and FOIL  
Appellate Military Judges

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**UNITED STATES**  
*Appellee*

v.

**Chad M. WHITEHEAD**  
Gunnery Sergeant (E-7), U.S. Marine Corps  
*Appellant*

**No. 202000196**

Decided: 31 March 2021

Appeal from the United States Navy-Marine Corps Trial Judiciary

Military Judge:  
Keaton H. Harrell

Sentence adjudged 8 April 2020 by a special court-martial convened at Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, consisting of a military judge sitting alone. Sentence in the Entry of Judgment: reduction to E-1, confinement for 10 months, and a bad-conduct discharge.

For Appellant:  
*Lieutenant Daniel O. Moore, 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).**

*United States v. Whitehead*, NMCCA No. 202000196  
Opinion of the Court

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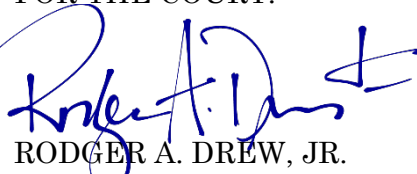
PER CURIAM:

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

The findings and sentence are **AFFIRMED**.



FOR THE COURT:

  
RODGER A. DREW, JR.  
Clerk of Court