

Marine Corps General and Special Court-Martial Dispositions:  
July 2019

Date	Unit	Description
7/1/2019	7th ESB 1st MLG	At a Special Court-Martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, California, a military judge convicted Corporal D. L. Sturm Jr., consistent with his pleas, of battery and disorderly conduct. The military judge sentenced the accused to reduction to paygrade E-1 and restriction for 60 days.
7/3/2019	MAWTS-1, MAGTFTC, MCTEC	At a Special Court-Martial at Marine Corps Air Station Yuma, Arizona, an officer and enlisted panel acquitted a staff sergeant for willfully disobeying a superior officer, failure to obey a lawful order, false official statement, and extramarital sexual conduct.
7/9/2019	VMM-161 MAG 16, 3d MAW	At a Special Court-Martial at Marine Corps Air Station Miramar, California, a military judge convicted Private K. C. Vogt, consistent with his pleas, of an unauthorized absence and wrongful use of a controlled substance. The military judge sentenced the accused to confinement of 163 days, forfeiture of \$1,120.00 per month for 2 months, and a bad-conduct discharge. Pursuant to a pre-trial agreement, the convening authority will disapprove the bad-conduct discharge and suspend all confinement in excess of 75 days.
7/9/2019	1st Bn 2d Mar Regt 2d MarDiv	At a Special Court-Martial at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, a military judge convicted Private J. N. Sorell, consistent with his pleas, of battery, burglary, and drunk and disorderly conduct. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to six months confinement and a bad-conduct discharge. The military judge recommended suspension of confinement for two months to enable Private Sorell to receive comprehensive treatment for alcoholism.
7/10/2019	MWHS-1, 1st MAW	At a General Court-Martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Smedley D. Butler, a panel composed of officers and enlisted members acquitted a sergeant of larceny and making false official statements.
7/10/2019	II MIG, II MEF	At a General Court-Martial at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, a military judge convicted Corporal J. T. Belk, consistent with his pleas, of attempted sexual abuse of a child by indecent communication and attempted sexual assault of a child. The military judge sentenced the accused to 24 months confinement, reduction to E-1, and a dishonorable discharge. Pursuant to a pre-trial agreement, the convening authority will suspend all confinement in excess of 18 months.

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7/12/2019	1st MarDiv	At a General Court-Martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, California, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal V. Manunta, consistent with his pleas, of battery. The military judge sentenced the accused to 15 months confinement, reduction to E-1, and a bad-conduct discharge.
7/15/2019	7th Mar Regt 1st MarDiv	At a Special Court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, California, a military judge convicted Corporal L. L. Baker, consistent with his pleas, of assault consummated by a battery. The military judge sentenced the accused to 10 months confinement, reduction to E-1, and a bad-conduct discharge. Pursuant to a pre-trial agreement, all confinement will be deferred until the date of the CA's action, and then disapproved.
7/17/2019	2d Supp Bn 2d MLG	At a Special Court-Martial at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal T. M. Griffin, pursuant to his pleas, of battery and wrongful broadcast or distribution of intimate visual images. The military judge sentenced the accused to five months confinement, reduction to E-1, and a bad-conduct discharge. Pursuant to a pre-trial agreement, the convening authority agreed to suspend all confinement in excess of two months and the bad-conduct discharge.
7/15/2019	II MEF	At a General Court-Martial at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, a military judge convicted Captain J. J. Smith, pursuant to his pleas, of conspiracy, rape of a child, sexual abuse of a child, production of child pornography, receipt of child pornography, distribution of child pornography, possession of child pornography, and conduct unbecoming of an officer and gentleman. The military judge sentenced the accused to 35 years of confinement and a dismissal. Pursuant to a pre-trial agreement, the convening authority will suspend all confinement in excess of 25 years and defer and waive all automatic forfeitures of any pay and allowances provided the accused establishes and maintains an allotment for the benefit of his dependents.
7/25/2019	Hq Bn 2d MarDiv	At a Special Court-Martial at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal J. E. Morris of disrespect towards a noncommissioned officer. The military judge sentenced the accused to reduction to E-2.

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7/25/2019	3d MAW	At a General Court-Martial at Marine Corps Air Station Yuma, Arizona, a panel with enlisted members convicted Lance Corporal B. E. Pearson of sexual abuse of a child not involving sexual contact and possessing, receiving or viewing child pornography. The members sentenced the accused to eight months confinement and a dishonorable discharge.
7/25/2019	1st MarDiv	At a General Court-Martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, California, a panel of officers acquitted a captain of assault upon a child under the age of 16, assault consummated by battery, and conduct unbecoming of an officer and gentleman.
7/25/2019	CLR-45 4th MLG	At a Special Courts-Martial at Quantico, Virginia, a military judge convicted Sergeant C. R. Crosby, pursuant to his pleas, of desertion, violation of a lawful general order, larceny, disorderly conduct, and violation of 15 U.S.C. Sect. 1644. The military judge sentenced the accused to 12 months confinement, reduction to E-1, and a bad-conduct discharge.
7/26/2019	SES Bn MCI-West	At a Special Court-Martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, California, a panel with enlisted members convicted Sergeant D. D. Berrian of battery. The members sentenced the accused to six months confinement, reduction to E-1, and a bad-conduct discharge.
7/30/2019	VMU-3, MAG-24 1st MAW	At a Special Court-Martial at Marine Corps Base Hawaii, Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii, a military judge convicted Staff Sergeant J. J. Winkelmann, pursuant to his pleas, of failure to obey lawful orders. The military judge sentenced the accused to reduction to E-3, 21 days restriction, and to be reprimanded.
7/31/2019	I MEF	At a General Court-Martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, California, a panel with enlisted members acquitted a corporal of aggravated assault.