

Marine Corps General and Special Court-Martial Dispositions  
August 2023

17 Total Cases

6 general courts-martial (3 contested; 3 acquittals)

9 special courts-martial (0 contested; 0 acquittals)

2 Art. 16(c) (2) (A) special courts martial (2 contested; 1 acquittal)

Date/No.	Unit	Description
2 Aug 23  1	1st LAR	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, a military judge convicted Corporal K. A. Winders, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of larceny of military property. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to restriction for 50 days and reduction to E-1.
3 Aug 23  2	H&S Bn, MCI-EAST	At an Art. 16(c) (2) (A) special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, a military judge acquitted a Marine of all charges and specifications.
4 Aug 23  3	H&S Bn, MCI-PAC	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Hawaii, a panel of members acquitted a Marine of all charges and specifications.
7 Aug 23  4	4th MARDIV	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Quantico, a military judge convicted Staff Sergeant Julio Etienne, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of domestic violence and failure to obey a lawful written order. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 6 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
10 Aug 23  5	3d MLG	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Butler, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal A. E. Esquivel, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of production and distribution of child pornography. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a dishonorable discharge, 42 months confinement, total forfeitures of all pay and allowances, and reduction to E-1.
11 Aug 23  6	2d MAW	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, a panel of members acquitted a Marine of all charges and specifications.
15 Aug 23  7	2d MAW	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, a military judge convicted Private First-Class E. Garcia, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of abusive sexual contact. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 12 months confinement, forfeiture of 2/3 pay and allowances, and reduction to E-1.
15 Aug 23  8	2d MLG	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune; a military judge convicted Lance Corporal D. I. Pantovich, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of desertion. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 5 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
16 Aug 23  9	2d MLG	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune; a military judge convicted Lance Corporal K. D. Allen, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of possession of child pornography. Consistent with the

		plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a dishonorable discharge, 58 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
17 Aug 23 10	3d MLG	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Air Station Iwakuni, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal C. G. Morales, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of domestic violence. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 75 days confinement, and reduction to E-1.
21 Aug 23 11	HQBN, MCBH	At an Art. 16(c)(2)(A) special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Hawaii, a military judge convicted Petty Officer Second Class A. J. Lanfranco, of willful dereliction of duty. The military judge sentenced the accused to 15 days of confinement and reduction to E-4.
22 Aug 23 12	III MEF	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Butler, a military judge convicted Corporal C. J. Murphy, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of violating a lawful general order, false official statement, battery, and burglary. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 15 months confinement, and reduction to E-1.
22 Aug 23 13	II MEF	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune; a military judge convicted Lance Corporal J. D. Gothe, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of battery. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 4 months confinement, a total of \$1,698 forfeitures of pay for 4 months, and a reduction in rank to E-1.
22 Aug 23 14	3d LAR	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center Twentynine Palms, a military judge convicted Private First-Class K. N. Ferris, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of disrespecting an NCO, battery, violation of a lawful written order, and violation of a lawful general order. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge and 116 days confinement.
24 Aug 23 15	11th Marines	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, a military judge convicted Corporal A. J. Steele, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of maltreatment of subordinates and failure to obey a lawful written order. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to a bad conduct discharge, 135 days confinement, and reduction to E-1.
29 Aug 23 16	H&S Bn, MCI-EAST	At a special court-martial at Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point, a military judge convicted Lance Corporal T. L. Kyles, pursuant to the accused's pleas, of false official statement, wrongful appropriation, battery, burglary, and violation of a lawful general order. Consistent with the plea agreement, the military judge sentenced the accused to 3 months confinement and reduction to E-1.

31 Aug 23 17	H&S Bn, MCI-PAC	At a general court-martial at Marine Corps Base Camp Butler, a panel of members acquitted a Marine of all charges and specifications.
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