

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

ANGE SAMMA *et al.*, on behalf of  
themselves and others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
DEFENSE *et al.*,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:20-cv-01104-ESH

**SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF MICHAEL PEREZ**

I, Michael Perez, declare as follows:

1. I submit this declaration in support of my previous declaration in *Samma v. Dept of Defense*.
2. I understand that Defendants allege that my Form N-426 “was certified“ and a copy is maintained in my local military personnel record, and that a copy “will be uploaded“ into my official military record. Turpin Decl. ¶5. I understand that Defendants have included a purported copy of my certified Form N-426 as an exhibit. Id. at Ex. A.
3. On or about May 6, 2020, the first sergeant of my company asked to see me and told me to bring all my relevant paperwork required for the N-426 certification. I signed the N-426 and the first sergeant said that he would take the form to the appropriate brigade officer for certification.
4. To this date, I have not received any notice about whether my Form N-426 has been certified. Nor have I received my certified Form N-426.
5. I recognize the Form N-426 attached as Exhibit A to the Turpin Declaration as the form that I signed and submitted to my first sergeant. However, I have not before seen, nor do I possess, the certified version that is attached as Exhibit A.
6. On or about October 2018, I attended an interview for my background screening. However, to this date, the Army has not told me whether I have completed my background screening. Therefore, I do not know whether my background screening remains pending and is delaying my ability to obtain a certified Form N-426.

I declare until penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on May 26 2020.

  
Michael Perez