



# Phantom Justice: September 2024



## Courts-Martial

On 20 September 2024, at a general court-martial convened at Fort Cavazos, TX, PV2 John R. McKee, U.S. Army, was convicted by a military judge, pursuant to his pleas, of one specification of domestic violence in violation of Article 128b, UCMJ. The military judge sentenced the accused to be confined for 120 days, and to be discharged from the service with a bad-conduct discharge. The sentence was consistent with the terms of a plea agreement.

## CG-Level Separations

A PFC was separated under Chapter 14-12b with a GEN discharge for lying to NCOs, FTRs, and failing to obey an order.

A SPC was separated under Chapter 14-12c with an OTH discharge for AWOL.

A SPC was separated under Chapter 10 with an OTH discharge for communicating threats.

A CPT was separated with an HON discharge for solicitation.

### III Armored Corps Military Justice Actions:

- **DWI GOMORs: 4**
- **Misconduct GOMORs: 3**
- **CG Article 15s: 0**
- **DV Administrative Separations: 0**
- **Administrative Separations for sex-related offenses: 0**
- **Courts-Martial for sex-related offenses: 0**
- **Total Courts-Martial: 1**

*NOTE: Soldiers being separated administratively may receive one of three characterizations of service: Honorable, General, or Other Than Honorable (OTH). Anything less than an Honorable discharge may result in the loss of certain benefits and negatively affect employment and educational opportunities. References to "Chapter 14-12c" are to specific provisions within Army Regulation 635-200, Active Duty Enlisted Administrative Separations, related to separation for commission of a serious offense.*

*NOTE: Cases involving Soldiers accused of committing sexual assault or sexual contact offenses may be disposed of through the administrative separation process for a number of reasons. For example, survivors sometimes prefer the administrative separation process over participating in a court-martial.*

*NOTE: Officer eliminations are approved at Human Resources Command, whereas enlisted separations are approved at the local installation.*

*NOTE: A Chapter 10 is an administrative separation in lieu of trial by court martial.*