

KEYWORD: Guideline C; Guideline B

DIGEST: There is no right to reconsideration. Motion denied. Adverse decision affirmed.

CASENO: 10-09986.a2

DATE: 01/27/2012

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 Applicant for Security Clearance )  
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**APPEAL BOARD DECISION  
ON APPLICANT'S REQUEST  
FOR RECONSIDERATION**

**APPEARANCES**

**FOR GOVERNMENT**  
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**FOR APPLICANT**  
*Pro se*

On December 15, 2011, the Board issued an Appeal Board Decision in this case. Applicant has submitted a motion for reconsideration of that decision. Department Counsel has submitted a Reply Brief.

We have authority to entertain requests to reconsider our decisions. However, there is no right to reconsideration; we have the sole discretion to decide whether to exercise our inherent authority to reconsider one of our decisions. *See* ISCR Case No. 08-09704 at 1-2 (App. Bd. Apr. 21, 2010).

We have considered Applicant's motion and Department Counsel's Reply Brief. Applicant has failed to articulate a persuasive reason to conclude that, were we to reconsider our decision, we would reach a different result. Accordingly, Applicant's motion is denied.

Signed: Jeffrey D. Billett  
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Member, Appeal Board

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