

12.A.19.e. Offsetting Deductions

Accepting a lump sum payment under this article does not deprive a person of any United States retirement benefits. However, an amount equal to the lump sum

payment (14 U.S.C. 286 for Regular officers and 10 U.S.C. 1174 for Reserve officers) shall be deducted from the former member's retirement payments. Any member in receipt of separation or severance pay and who subsequently becomes entitled to retired pay will have their retired pay withheld until the former separation/severance pay recouped.

12.A.19.f. Reserve Officers

Unless the Secretary determines that the conditions under which a member was separated or discharged do not warrant such pay, a Reserve officer serving as a Reserve Program Administrator (RPA) or on extended active duty (EAD) discharged or released from active duty who has completed six or more consecutive, but fewer than 20 years' active service immediately before that discharge or release is entitled to separation pay computed under the regulations below as determined by the Commandant if the discharge or release from active duty is involuntary or the member was not accepted for an additional tour of active duty for which he or she volunteered.

1. Reserve officers involuntarily discharged, separated, or released from active duty are entitled to separation pay calculated under Section 10-J.4a.(1), U.S. Coast Guard Pay Manual, COMDTINST M7220.29 (series).
2. Reserve officers discharged or released from active duty for the causes specified in Article 12.A.15.c.1., 2., or 3. are entitled to separation pay calculated under Section 10-J-4a.(2), U.S. Coast Guard Pay Manual, COMDTINST M7220.29 (series).

12.A.20. Terminating a Chief Warrant Officer Appointment

The Secretary may terminate the appointment of a chief warrant officer of the Regular Coast Guard at any time within three years after the date he or she accepted the original appointment as a chief warrant officer. A chief warrant officer whose appointment is terminated under this Article is not entitled to severance pay but may apply to the Commandant to reenlist (10 U.S.C. 1165). If approved, he or she reenlists in a grade the Commandant directs but not in one lower than the rate he or she held immediately before appointment as a chief warrant officer (10 U.S.C. 515). The procedures described in Article 12.A.11.b. apply.