

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES

v.

**Airman First Class JASON G. BATES
United States Air Force**

ACM S30640

24 November 2004

Sentence adjudged 19 May 2004 by SPCM convened at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. Military Judge: James L. Flanary (sitting alone).

Approved sentence: Bad-conduct discharge, confinement for 3 months, and reduction to E-1.

Appellate Counsel for Appellant: Colonel Carlos L. McDade, Major Terry L. McElyea, and Captain John N. Page III.

Appellate Counsel for the United States: Lieutenant Colonel Gary F. Spencer.

Before

**PRATT, ORR, and MOODY
Appellate Military Judges**

PER CURIAM:

The approved findings and sentence are correct in law and fact, and no error prejudicial to the substantial rights of the appellant occurred. Article 66(c), UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 866(c); *United States v. Reed*, 54 M.J. 37, 41 (C.A.A.F. 2000). Accordingly, the approved findings and sentence are

AFFIRMED.

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**ANGELA M. BRICE
Clerk of Court**