

**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS**

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**UNITED STATES**

**v.**

**Senior Airman BRANDON M. PAYNE  
United States Air Force**

**ACM S31756**

**19 July 2010**

Sentence adjudged 05 November 2009 by SPCM convened at Langley Air Force Base, Virginia. Military Judge: John P. Taitt (sitting alone).

Approved sentence: Bad-conduct discharge, confinement for 5 months, and reduction to E-1.

Appellate Counsel for the Appellant: Major David P. Bennett, Major Bryan A. Bonner, and Captain Phillip T. Korman.

Appellate Counsel for the United States: Gerald R. Bruce, Esquire.

Before

**BRAND, JACKSON, and GREGORY  
Appellate Military Judges**

This opinion is subject to editorial correction before final release.

**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.**

JACKSON, Senior Judge participated in the decision of this Court prior to his reassignment on 15 July 2010.

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STEVEN LUCAS, YA-02, DAF  
Clerk of the Court