

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES

v.

**Airman First Class RUFUS D. SHUMATE
United States Air Force**

ACM S30813

6 December 2005

Sentence adjudged 14 December 2004 by SPCM convened at Tyndall Air Force Base, Florida. Military Judge: W. Thomas Cumbie (sitting alone).

Approved sentence: Bad-conduct discharge, confinement for 6 months, and reduction to E-1.

Appellate Counsel for Appellant: Lieutenant Colonel Mark R. Strickland, Major James M. Winner, and Captain John S. Fredland.

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

Before

STONE, SMITH, and MATHEWS
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