



AGENDA (Amended January 11, 2022)

**BOARD OF PAROLE HEARINGS
Executive Board Meeting**

TUESDAY, JANUARY 18, 2022

BPH Agenda Webpage: <https://www.cdcr.ca.gov/bph/meeting-agenda/>

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Public comment may also be submitted in writing and should be emailed to BPHEXE.BRDMEETING@cdcr.ca.gov. Written comments for the consent calendar must be received by 5:00 p.m. on January 17, 2022. Written comments for en banc cases to be heard January 18, 2022, must be received by 12:00 p.m. on January 18, 2022, to ensure consideration by a majority of appointed commissioners.

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OPEN SESSION

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START TIME: 11:00 a.m.

Video: <https://tinyurl.com/BPH011822>

Call in number: (916) 701-9994

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MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

1. Roll Call

CONSENT CALENDAR

2. Approval of the Draft Minutes from the December 20-21, 2021 Board of Parole Hearings Executive Board Meeting.
3. Approval of the Parole Suitability Hearings and Backlog Report for January 2022.
4. Approval of Motion for Hearings with Procedural Errors – no motions to consider.

5. Public Comment – Comments are limited to a maximum of two (2) minutes. Comments will not be allowed for items already subject to public comment and decided by the Board. The Board will not consider comments about future parole hearings. Those comments should be sent to the prison where the inmate is housed so that they can be considered by the panel assigned to the case.

REPORTS

6. Report from Jennifer Shaffer, Executive Officer
 - Board Hearing Statistics
7. Report from Jessica Blonien, Chief Counsel
 - *In re Mohammad Mohammad* Update
 - Regulations Update
8. Report from Sandra Maciel, Chief Deputy of Program Operations
 - Reports for District Attorneys
 - Monthly Executive Board Meetings
 - All Hearings by Videoconference and In-Person Attendance by Inmate Counsel and Interpreters Suspended
9. Report from Brian Kelley, Chief Deputy of Offender Investigations and Screening Division
 - Staffing Update
10. Report from Assistant Chief Mike Young, Office of Victim and Survivor Rights and Services
 - Staffing Update
 - Assembly Bill 177
 - Update on Electronic Services
 - OVSRS Outreach and Restorative Justice Services
 - Reminder for Victims to Update Contact Information

EN BANC PANEL FOR JANUARY 18, 2022 CASES

The following commissioners will participate in public comment, deliberations, and voting on items 11 through 21.

- Barton
- Cassady
- Dobbs
- Garcia
- Garland
- Long
- Minor
- Nwajei
- Ruff

- San Juan
- Sullivan
- Taira

EN BANC REFERRALS

Referral by the Chief Counsel pursuant to Penal Code section 3041(b) and California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2042 to assure complete, accurate, consistent and uniform decisions and the furtherance of public safety. Members of the public may address the Board for a period not to exceed two (2) minutes.

11. BILLINGS, THOMAS (H30623)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

The board to consider new confidential information dated November 22, 2021, and January 4, 2022.

12. GREEN, RAYMOND (E68189)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

The board to consider new confidential information dated December 30, 2021.

13. WHITE, GIVANTE (F97039)

Sentencing Court: Sacramento

The board to consider new confidential information dated December 6, 2021, and January 3, 2022.

Referral by the Governor pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1 and California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2044, subdivision (b), to request review of a parole decision by a majority of appointed commissioners. Members of the public may address the Board for a period not to exceed two (2) minutes.

14. BOJORQUES, RICHARD (AA5766)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

15. CAMACHO, CESAR (F88203)

Sentencing Court: Orange

16. GONZALEZ, CHRISTOPHER (BE0182)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

17. JOHNSON, CLAUDIUS (J97181)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

18. KING, ANTHONY (E01758)

Sentencing Court: Yolo

19. SCOTT, EDWARD (H97783)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

20. SPRINKLE, MARK (K24619)

Sentencing Court: Mendocino

21. STROTHER, TIVIA (W58771)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

OPEN COMMENTS

22. BPH Commissioners – Agenda Items for Future Meetings

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Discussion

En Banc Referrals

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MEETING RECESSED TO WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2022



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24. Roll Call

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- Barton
- Cassady
- Chappell
- Garland
- ~~Grounds~~
- Nwajei
- O'Meara

- Purcell
- Schneider
- Sharrieff
- Thornton
- Zarrinam

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25. ANDERSON, RICHARD (C22842)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

26. ESTRADA, STEVEN (V47712)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

27. HOLCOMB, RONALD (AW5202)

Sentencing Court: Tehama

28. LEDESMA, GUILLERMO (C65629)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

29. MILLS, EDWARD (C30008)

Sentencing Court: San Diego

30. O'KEEFE, TIMOTHY (T18599)

Sentencing Court: San Diego

31. REYES, ROBERT (D62476)

Sentencing Court: Fresno

32. ROTHWELL, SAMANTHA (X30958)

Sentencing Court: Orange

33. SWENSON, BRUCE (K54742)

Sentencing Court: Santa Barbara

34. VASQUEZ, JOSE (C89081)

Sentencing Court: Orange

35. VERA, ANTHONY (K77965)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

36. WILLINGHAM, CHRIS (K34487)

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37. WOODS, WAYNE (K38629)

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ADJOURNMENT

Open session called to adjourn the January 18-19, 2022 Board of Parole Hearings Executive Board Meeting.