



En Banc Decisions **BOARD OF PAROLE HEARINGS**

Monday, March 20, 2023

GERONIMO, PABLO

F34230

Tie Vote pursuant to Penal Code section 3041

Sentencing Court: Santa Clara

Motion: The Board finds that Pablo Geronimo poses an unreasonable risk of danger and denies parole for three years, pursuant to California Penal Code section 3041.5(b)(3). The findings of the hearing officer who voted to deny parole on February 16, 2023, are adopted and the Board further finds Pablo Geronimo failed to internalize programming with regards to deviant thoughts.

Motion by: Chappell

Second by: Barton

Not Present: Cassidy, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

FLORES, JOSUE

H93811

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: On the application of Josue Flores for a pardon, the Board with the majority of commissioners concurring, hereby makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: Dobbs

Second by: Long

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

LILLY, DANNY

N30705

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Sentencing Court: Kern

Motion: On the application of Danny Lilly for a pardon, the Board with the majority of commissioners concurring, hereby makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: Garcia

Second by: Sullivan

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

MASON, JEFFREY

J63428

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Sentencing Court: Orange, Tuolumne

Motion: On the application of Jeffrey Mason for a pardon, the Board with the majority of commissioners concurring, hereby makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: Long

Second by: Garcia

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

SARVER, ROY

B15822

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: On the application of Roy Sarver for a pardon, the Board with the majority of commissioners concurring, hereby makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: Minor

Second by: Barton

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

TAYLOR, BEVERLY

W79278

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Sentencing Court: Orange

Motion: On the application of Beverly Taylor for a pardon, the Board with the majority of commissioners concurring, hereby makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: Nwajei

Second by: Schneider

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

TORO, JASON

J20633

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Sentencing Court: Alameda

Motion: On the application of Jason Toro for a pardon, the Board with the majority of commissioners concurring, hereby makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: O'Meara

Second by: Sullivan

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

WONG, ELAINE

W15719

Referral by the Governor pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a commutation application

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: On the application of Elaine Wong for a commutation of sentence, the Board with the majority of commissioners concurring, hereby makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a commutation.

Motion by: Ruff

Second by: Chappell

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

BIVENS, JAMES

J80740

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: Vacate the panel's December 8, 2022 decision to grant parole and schedule a new hearing on the next available calendar.

Motion by: Garcia

Second by: Barton

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

BLAKE, AUDWIN

C18734

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: Vacate the panel's November 30, 2022 decision to grant parole and schedule a new hearing on the next available calendar.

Motion by: Barton

Second by: Dobbs

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

PATTERSON, JAIVON

H74487

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Sentencing Court: Alameda

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 6, 2022 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Barton

Second by: Schneider

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

PRATT, THOMAS

E10961

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: Vacate the panel's December 8, 2022 decision to grant parole and schedule a new hearing on the next available calendar.

Motion by: Garcia

Second by: Chappell

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

SHAW, ANDRE

F43745

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: Vacate the panel's December 15, 2022 decision to grant parole and schedule a new hearing on the next available calendar.

Motion by: Dobbs

Second by: Long

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

SHELTON, JOSEPH

C40228

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Sentencing Court: Lassen, Mendocino

Motion: Vacate the panel's December 21, 2022 decision to deny parole for three years and schedule a new hearing on the next available calendar.

Motion by: Barton

Second by: O'Meara

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

MARTINEZ, JOSE

V69352

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Sentencing Court: San Bernardino

Motion: Affirm the panel's October 6, 2022 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Schneider

Second by: Sullivan

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

NGUYEN, TIEN

AZ8545

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Sentencing Court: Santa Clara

Motion: Affirm the panel's October 12, 2022 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Sullivan

Second by: Schneider

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Long, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

RATCLIFFE, CLARENCE

P44409

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Sentencing Court: Riverside

Motion: Refer for a rescission hearing to consider whether the panel's November 8, 2022 grant of parole was improvident, based on the concerns cited in the Governor's referral letter dated March 8, 2023.

Motion by: Thornton

Second by: Garcia

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

RODRIGUEZ, RAMIRO

K56235

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: Affirm the panel's September 28, 2022 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Garcia

Second by: Sullivan

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

VIELMAN, JUAN

K78674

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Motion: Affirm the panel's November 15, 2022 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Nwajei

Second by: O'Meara

Not Present: Cassady, Garland, Kozel, Muniz, Ndudim, Purcell, Sharrieff, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.
