



En Banc Decisions
BOARD OF PAROLE HEARINGS

Wednesday, May 20, 2026

ELLIS, GERALD (F59733)

Sentencing Court: Sacramento

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

Motion: On the application of Gerald Ellis for a commutation of sentence, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a commutation of sentence.

Motion by: Taira

Second by: Infante

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

MCVAY, NELSON (G63618)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

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

Motion: On the application of Nelson McVay for a commutation of sentence, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a commutation of sentence.

Motion by: Dobbs

Second by: Sheffield

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

PERRY, ROBERT (AW1313)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

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

Motion: On the application of Robert Perry for a commutation of sentence, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a commutation of sentence.

Motion by: Garland

Second by: Barton

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

SANCHEZ, DAVID (AA3709)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

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

Motion: On the application of David Sanchez for a commutation of sentence, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a commutation of sentence.

Motion by: Long

Second by: Purcell

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained: Barton

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

ANGUIANO, FEDERICO (AU9749)

Sentencing Court: Kern

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's January 15, 2026 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision. In addition, the Board imposes the following special condition of parole: do not drive or operate a motor vehicle while on parole.

Motion by: Minor

Second by: Long

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

CORONA, ADRIAN (V63910)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 30, 2025 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Ndudim

Second by: Taira

Not Present: Barton, Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

COX, RICHARD (F77876)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Refer for a rescission hearing to consider whether the panel's February 5, 2026 grant of parole was improvident, based on the concerns cited in the Governor's referral letter dated May 1, 2026.

Motion by: Purcell

Second by: Barton

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

DETRINIDAD, ROBERTO (BC1859)

Sentencing Court: San Francisco

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Refer for a rescission hearing to consider whether the panel's January 6, 2026 grant of parole was improvident, based on the concerns cited in the Governor's referral letter dated April 11, 2026.

Motion by: Dobbs

Second by: Ndudim

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

GONZALEZ, ANGEL (K30337)

Sentencing Court: San Diego

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's January 23, 2026 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Sharrieff

Second by: O'Meara

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

GREER, LADARIS (D96210)

Sentencing Court: San Francisco

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 17, 2025 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Sheffield

Second by: Ndudim

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Sharrieff, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

HERNANDEZ, MICHAEL (T03487)

Sentencing Court: Santa Clara

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's January 28, 2026 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: O'Meara

Second by: Taira

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

INGALA-WHITING, ADAM (BG7635)

Sentencing Court: Orange

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 30, 2025 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision. In addition, the Board imposes the following special condition of parole: promptly report to a Behavioral Health Reintegration Program for evaluation.

Motion by: Ndudim

Second by: Purcell

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Infante, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained: Minor

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

JACKSON, CURTIS (P88138)

Sentencing Court: San Bernardino

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's January 2, 2026 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision. In addition, the Board imposes the following special condition of parole: promptly report to a Behavioral Health Reintegration Program for evaluation.

Motion by: O'Meara

Second by: Long

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Dobbs, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

JOHNSTON, JASON (T08466)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 30, 2025 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Sharrieff

Second by: O'Meara

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Purcell, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

RAMIREZ, ISRAEL (AA8948)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's January 14, 2026 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Purcell

Second by: Infante

Not Present: Barton, Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

RUSHING, MATUA (J72158)

Sentencing Court: Orange

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's January 14, 2026 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision. In addition, the Board imposes the following special condition of parole: do not drive or operate a motor vehicle while on parole.

Motion by: Barton

Second by: Infante

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

SIMMONS, LEYLANI (WF0328)

Sentencing Court: San Mateo

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's January 9, 2026 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision. In addition, the special condition of parole related to driving is modified to: do not drive or operate a motor vehicle while on parole.

Motion by: Infante

Second by: Long

Not Present: Barton, Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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

ZAVALA, EDGAR (V71303)

Sentencing Court: Orange

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Refer for a rescission hearing to consider whether the panel's January 7, 2026 grant of parole was improvident, based on the concerns cited in the Governor's referral letter dated April 11, 2026.

Motion by: Garland

Second by: Purcell

Not Present: Cassady, Chappell, Kozel, Muniz, Ruff, Sargent-Burns, Schneider, Thornton, Weiss

Abstained:

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