EXECUTIVE REPORT
ON PARDONS,
COMMUTATIONS OF SENTENCE,
AND REPRIEVES

DECISIONS FOR THE PERIOD
January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017

BY GOVERNOR EDMUND G. BROWN JR.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
CONCERNING PARDONS, COMMUTATIONS
OF SENTENCE, AND REPRIEVES

To the Members of the Senate and Assembly of the State of California:

In accordance with article V, section 8, subdivision (a) of the California Constitution, Penal Code section 4807, and Government Code section 12017, I submit to you a report on the pardons, commutations of sentence, and reprieves issued during 2017. I pardoned 205 people, granted 35 commutations, and did not grant any reprieves.

The report includes copies of the pardons, as well as copies of the applications submitted for each.

The report may be found at https://www.gov.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/2017-Executive-Report-on-Pardons-Commutations-of-Sentence-and-Reprieves.pdf. You may also call the Governor's Office at (916) 445-2841 for a hard copy of the report.

Sincerely,

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Donald Lamar Anderson

Donald Lamar Anderson, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 19, 1986, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 60 days jail. He was discharged on August 19, 1989, having completed his sentence.

Donald Lamar Anderson has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated June 1, 2017, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Donald Lamar Anderson has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Donald Lamar Anderson a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:

Donald Lamar Anderson

Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

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Superior Court of California
County of Los Angeles
JUN - 1 2017
Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By _____ Deputy
Stan Kadohata

Donald Lamar Anderson

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number: [redacted]

Certificate Case Number: A779947

Criminal Case Number(s): A779947; 94RO3099

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petitioner is presently residing at: [redacted]

Heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California came on regularly for hearing on 6/1/2017.

And proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on April 1995.

That, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

**** THE COURT FURTHER ORDERS THAT THE PETITIONER NO LONGER IS REQUIRED TO REGISTER UNDER CALIFORNIA PENAL CODE SECTION 290.5.**

Done in open court this 1ST day of JUNE 2017

SCOTT M. GORDON
Judge of the Superior Court – TYPED or Printed

Judge of the Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY • CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Erasmo Apodaca Mendizabal

Erasmo Apodaca Mendizabal, a resident of Mexico, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 26, 1996, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kern, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Apodaca stole $500 worth of goods from his ex-girlfriend's house while he was intoxicated. He served ten months prison, and three years parole He was discharged on November 19, 2000, having completed his sentence.

Erasmo Apodaca Mendizabal has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Apodaca served in the United States Marines where he received a National Defense Service Medal, among other honors.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Erasmo Apodaca Mendizabal, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Erasmo Apodaca Mendizabal a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

D-1557-17

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Erasmo Apodaca Mendizabal **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
[See attached.]			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

[See attached.]

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

[See attached.]

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

[See attached.]

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

Erasmo Apodaca Mendizabal
Pardon Applicant

Additional Information

I. CONVICTION INFORMATION AND PARDON REQUEST

Sections 1 through 4 below provide certain information requested in the Application for Gubernatorial Pardon and/or the Pardon Applicant Questionnaire.

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or counties.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of conviction(s):**	**Sentence(s):**
Battery (Cal. Penal Code § 243(a))	9/27/1996	Kern County, CA	One year imprisonment (concurrent with sentences for DUI and burglary)
First-degree burglary (Cal. Penal Code § 460(a))	9/27/1996	Kern County, CA	Two years imprisonment (concurrent with sentences for DUI and battery); three years' probation
Driving under the influence of alcohol (Cal. Vehicle Code § 23152)	9/27/1996	Kern County, CA	One year imprisonment (concurrent with sentences for battery and burglary)
False claim to U.S. citizenship (18 U.S.C. § 911); false statement to federal officer (18 U.S.C. § 1001)	11/23/2000	Imperial County, CA	Four months imprisonment; one year supervised release

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon:

[The below information corresponds to both Section 2 of the Application for Gubernatorial Pardon, and Section B of the Pardon Applicant Questionnaire.]

On September 26, 1996, I broke into my ex-girlfriend's house while she was away in order to retrieve some property that belonged to me. While I was there, I stole a few of her personal items, including clothing and kitchen items. At the time, I was very intoxicated and heartbroken over our recent break-up. I believe that I committed the break-in due in large part to being in an intoxicated state. Afterwards, I was very remorseful for having broken into her home, and I wrote my ex-girlfriend a letter apologizing for my actions.

Erasmo Apodaca Mendizabal
Pardon Applicant

I was arrested on September 28, 1996 and charged with first-degree burglary under California Penal Code section 460(a). I pleaded *nolo contendere* to this charge on November 27, 1996 and was sentenced to two years in prison. I was released within one year, in November 1997, due to my good behavior. I was deported to Mexico upon my release from prison.

While I was incarcerated, I participated in the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Conservation Camp, a program that allows inmates who demonstrate non-violent behavior and conformance to rules to train as firefighters and assist with fire suppression throughout California. I spent about six months of my prison term living at a camp in the woods with other inmates who participated in the firefighting program. I fought fires and ate meals side-by-side with trained firefighters, and took orders from a National California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection fire chief. I fought two major fires during my service in this program.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon:

[The below information corresponds to both Section 3 of the Application for Gubernatorial Pardon, and Section C(1) of the Pardon Applicant Questionnaire.]

I am seeking a pardon because my first-degree burglary conviction has prevented me from naturalizing as a U.S. citizen. I served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Persian Gulf conflict, and was honorably discharged, thus making me eligible to naturalize as a U.S. citizen pursuant to Immigration and Nationality Act section 329 and President William J. Clinton's Executive Order No. 12939.[1] However, my naturalization applications have been denied because of my first-degree burglary conviction. I grew up in the United States, graduated high school in the United States, served in the U.S. Marine Corps, and have many family members who live in the United States as citizens, including my parents and two of my children. If this pardon is granted, it will greatly help my chances of naturalizing as a U.S. citizen[2] and allow me to reunite with my family in the country where I grew up and for which I put my life on the line.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon:

[The below information corresponds to both Section 4 of the Application for Gubernatorial Pardon,. and Section C(2) of the Pardon Applicant Questionnaire.]

I believe that I should be granted a pardon for several reasons. First, I deeply regret my actions that led to the first-degree burglary conviction—it was a wrong-headed decision that I made while intoxicated and I fully appreciate the gravity of the offense, as I have been living with the consequences of my actions for the past twenty years. Since my conviction, however, I have dedicated myself to working hard to live an upstanding and productive life in Mexico,

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[1] *See* Exhibit 1 (photograph of U.S. Marines Platoon 3055); Exhibit 2 (Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty in the U.S. Marine Corps (DD-214); Exhibit 3 (Executive Order 12939, 59 Fed. Reg. 61231 (Nov. 22, 1994)).

[2] [redacted]

where I maintain a steady job as a metal manufacturing supervisor, regularly attend church, support my family, attend my children's soccer games, and have no criminal history. I have also paid my way through school, receiving a bachelor's degree in sciences and humanities, and graduating from an international relations program. I also became a certified English instructor, and earned certifications in computer-aided design, financial administration, and globalization.[3]

Second, as I explained above, the pardon would greatly increase my chances of naturalizing as a U.S. citizen. I demonstrated my commitment to the United States through my combat service in the U.S. Marine Corps, and would ask that my sacrifice be taken into account in considering this application. After growing up in Calexico, California, I served in the U.S. military for two-and-a-half years, including eleven months spent overseas in the West Pacific and Persian Gulf. I worked as a motor vehicle operator, hauling canon equipment to support frontline combat operations during Operation Desert Shield / Desert Storm. I received numerous accolades during my service, including a Navy Unit Commendation, Rifle Marksman Badge, Sea Service Deployment Ribbon, National Defense Service Medal, and two Southwest Asia Service Medals. I also received a discharge Under Honorable Conditions (General).[4] In addition to my military service, I put my life in jeopardy for the safety of California residents by volunteering for the firefighting program while incarcerated.

Executive Order No. 12939, which President William J. Clinton signed on November 22, 1994, provides for expedited naturalization to aliens and noncitizen nationals who served in an active-duty status in the U.S. armed forces during the Persian Gulf conflict.[5] Despite this Executive Order, my first-degree burglary conviction has prevented me from naturalizing as a U.S. citizen and reuniting with my family. In the twenty years since my conviction, I have worked tirelessly to chart a positive course forward. I put my life on the line to serve for the United States, and I respectfully request that my service to this country be considered. A pardon for this conviction would be immensely helpful to my naturalization chances. I want nothing more than to become a U.S. citizen.

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[3] *See* Exhibit 4 (letters from U.S. Marines in support of naturalization application); Exhibit 5 (letter from N. Apodaca in support of naturalization application); Exhibit 6 (letter from L. Apodaca in support of naturalization application); Exhibit 7 (7/2/2000 certificate enabling me to teach English on my own); Exhibit 8 (11/14/2000 certificate crediting me with a bachelor's degree in "Sociales y Humanidades" [Baccalaureate in Social Sciences and Humanities]); Exhibit 9 (3/8/2000 certificate stating that I attended a course in "AUTOCAD R-14 BASICO" [Basic Auto-Computer Aided Design Release 14]); Exhibit 10 (2/11/2012 certificate stating that I completed a course in Financial Administration); Exhibit 11 (3/18/1999 certificate stating that I participated in a videoconference regarding "Tendencias de Certification" [Certification Trends]); Exhibit 12 (9/13/2000 diploma stating that I completed my studies in International Relations); Exhibit 13 (5/17/2012 certificate pronouncing me a graduate in International Relations); Exhibit 14 (certified statement regarding criminal history in Mexico, with attached certified translation).

[4] *See* Exhibit 2 (Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty in the U.S. Marine Corps (DD-214)).

[5] *See* Exhibit 3 (Executive Order 12939, 59 Fed. Reg. 61231 (Nov. 22, 1994)).

II. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUESTED IN PARDON APPLICANT QUESTIONNAIRE

Sections D and K below provide certain information requested in the corresponding sections of the Pardon Applicant Questionnaire.

D. MARITAL

1. Are you making alimony or child support payments? Were the payments ordered by the court?

In November 1993, I was ordered by the Superior Court of California, Orange County to pay child support for my son, [redacted] I had previously been ordered to pay child support for my other son, [redacted], in the state of Texas. I made regular child support payments until the fall of 1996, but fell behind after I was incarcerated and deported a year later.

I recently contacted Child Support Services in both California and Texas to determine the status of my case and to continue making payments. California Child Support Services told me that there is no outstanding balance owed to The Department of Child Support Services,[6] and the Texas Child Support Services told me that my case is closed. If at some point it is determined that I owe child support payments, I will do all I can to repay my child support owed. I have a strong and loving relationship with my sons, [redacted], and they fully support my application for U.S. citizenship.

Below is the contact information I have for the California and Texas Child Support Services:

Orange County Department of Child Support Services

[redacted] Child Support Officer
Orange County Child Support Services
P.O. Box 22099, Santa Ana, CA 92702-2099
[redacted]

Texas Child Support Division

[redacted]
Office of the Attorney General
Child Support Division
P.O. Box 12017
Austin, TX 78711-2017
[redacted]

[6] *See* Exhibit 15 (7/14/2016 letter from Orange County Department of Child Support Services).

K. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

2. Have any civil actions been filed against you since your release from prison, jail or placement on felony probation?

I have not had any civil actions filed against me since my release from prison on the first-degree burglary conviction, but I was convicted of falsely claiming U.S. citizenship and making a false statement to a federal office under 18 U.S.C. §§ 911 and 1001 in November 2000. This resulted from my attempt to cross into the United States from Mexico on Thanksgiving to see my family in Calexico, California. At the time, I believed that I was a U.S. citizen due to my military service and President William J. Clinton's Executive Order No. 12939. That Executive Order provided expedited naturalization to aliens and noncitizen nationals who served in an active-duty status in the U.S. armed forces during the period of the Persian Gulf conflict. Because I served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Persian Gulf conflict—specifically, in Operation Desert Shield / Desert Storm—I mistakenly believed that the Executive Order made me a U.S. citizen.

In November 2000, I walked across the border at the Calexico port of entry, where I told the border patrol that I was a U.S. citizen. After I was arrested, charged, and convicted, I was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and one year supervised release. I was released from prison in March 2001, at which time I returned to Mexico. For the next eight years, I continued to contest my removability on the ground that I was a U.S. citizen due to my military service, and was paroled into the United States for court proceedings. In April 2008, an immigration judge ordered me removed to Mexico. My Application for Naturalization is currently pending before U.S. Citizen and Immigration Services.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Latoya Yolanda Arrington-Artis

Latoya Yolanda Arrington-Artis, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about June 12, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Solano for the crime of an adult giving a minor a controlled substance. She served one year, three months prison, and three years parole. She was discharged on October 17, 1995, having completed her sentence.

Latoya Yolanda Arrington-Artis has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated June 22, 2016, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Latoya Yolanda Arrington-Artis has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Latoya Yolanda Arrington-Artis a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-1075-16@BPH

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of	Case Number: 16FE005950
	CII No: [redacted]
LATOYA YOLANDA ARRINGTON-ARTIS	Date of Birth: [redacted]
	Criminal Case No. C29944

For a Certificate or Rehabilitation and Pardon

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of LATOYA YOLANDA ARRINGTON-ARTIS, presently residing at [redacted] heretofore filed, praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on this 22nd day of JUNE, 2016, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his/her completion of the term to which he/she was sentenced, or upon his/her release on parole or probation in October 27, 1995, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his/her course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 22nd day of JUNE, 2016.

/s/ BUNMI O. AWONIYI

BUNMI AWONIYI,
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Thu Thi Ashley

Thu Thi Ashley, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about January 19, 1981, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. She served three years probation, and 180 days jail. She was discharged on January 19, 1984, having completed her sentence.

Thu Thi Ashley has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated June 12, 2015, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Thu Thi Ashley has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Thu Thi Ashley a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-185-15

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

THU THI ASHLEY

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number 171736

Date of Birth

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 171736

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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JUN 12 2015

CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

BY _____ DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of THU THI ASHLEY, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this _____ day

Day of the Month

of JUNE, 2015 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 1/8/1983, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONCE time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 12 day of JUNE 2015.

Day of the Month Month, Year

THOMAS D. ZEFFE — Thomas D. Zeffe

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED — Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

THOMAS D. ZEFFE

FORM 3 (Revised 8/12/08)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department
State of California

PARDON

Guillermo Manzur Azar

Guillermo Manzur Azar, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 23, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, for the crime of possession or purchase of a controlled substance for sale. He served one year, eleven months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on February 6, 1993, having completed his sentence.

Guillermo Manzur Azar has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated April 21, 2017, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Guillermo Manzur Azar has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Guillermo Manzur Azar a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 1st Day of May, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of

GUILLERMO MANZUR AZAR

For a Certificate or Rehabilitation and Pardon

Case Number: 17FE001180
CII No: [redacted]
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Criminal Case No. 92[illegible]

ENDORSED
APR 21 2017
By: [illegible], Deputy Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of GUILLERMO MANZUR AZAR, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on this 21st day of April, 2017, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole on 02/06/1993, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been once convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 21st day of April, 2017.

JAIME R. ROMAN
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Brianna Lynn Badar

Brianna Lynn Badar, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about February 15, 2001, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of manufacturing a controlled substance. She served two years, four months probation, and 365 days jail. She was discharged on June 20, 2003, having completed her sentence.

Brianna Lynn Badar has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated July 11, 2013, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Brianna Lynn Badar has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Brianna Lynn Badar a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:

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LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT
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JOHN A. CLARKE
BY [signature] Deputy

Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

Brianna Lynn Badar

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number: [redacted]

Certificate Case Number: KA051090

Criminal Case Number(s): KA 051090

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition is presently residing at:

[redacted]

Heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on 7/11/13.

And proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 2004.

That, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 11 day of July, 2013

CHARMAINE OLMEDO
Judge of the Superior Court – TYPED or Printed

[signature]
Judge of the Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Gregory Howard Balesteri

Gregory Howard Balesteri, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 28, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Monterey for the crime of manufacturing a controlled substance. He served five years, four months probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on February 28, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Gregory Howard Balesteri has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Monterey, an order dated March 4, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Gregory Howard Balesteri has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Gregory Howard Balesteri a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF MONTEREY 1200 Aguajito Road Monterey, CA 93940	For Court Use Only FILED IN COURT 3-04-16 TERESA A. RISI, CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT BY Alma Oliver DEPUTY
In the Matter of the Application of Gregory Howard Balesteri *Petitioner's full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable* Date of Birth: [redacted] CII Number: N/A Criminal Case Number(s): SS991178A	
CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION (Penal Code § 4852.13)	CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 16CV000223

The petition of Gregory Howard Balesteri (Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable), presently residing at [redacted] (Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code), requesting a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on MARCH 4, 2016 (Date) and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on October 28, 1999 (Month Day, Year), that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been one (1) (Total Number of Felony Convictions) time(s) convicted of an eligible offense;

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The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 3-4-16

SUSAN J. MEHAM

Judicial Officer - TYPED or PRINTED | *Judicial Officer - SIGNATURE*

This form was prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Larry Anthony Banuelos

Larry Anthony Banuelos, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 13, 1996, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kings, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Banuelos stole a pump, tools, and other equipment from a poultry farm. He served five years probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on August 13, 2001, having completed his sentence.

Larry Anthony Banuelos has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kings, an order dated February 26, 2014, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Banuelos reports that he uses his construction skills to repair and build structures for nonprofits in his community. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Larry Anthony Banuelos has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Larry Anthony Banuelos a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KINGS

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

LARRY ANTHONY BANUELOS

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 96 CM 1300

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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JEFFREY E. LEWIS, CLERK OF COURT
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF KINGS

DEPUTY Carla Morse

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of LARRY ANTHONY BANUELOS, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this Fifth day

Day of the Month

of September, 2013 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on August 13, 2001, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been one time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in ~~open court~~ this 26 TH day of FEB, 2014.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

STEVEN D. BARNES

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Hector Barajas Varela

Hector Barajas Varela, a resident of Mexico, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 3, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of shooting at an inhabited dwelling or vehicle. He served one year, one month prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on September 2, 2004, having completed his sentence.

Hector Barajas Varela has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Barajas served in the United States Army and received the Humanitarian Service Medal, Army Good Conduct Medal, among other awards. He established the Deported Veterans Support House in Tijuana, Mexico to assist deportees in adjusting to life there.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Hector Barajas Varela, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Hector Barajas Varela a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Hector Barajas Varela **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
CPC Section 246	12-24-01	Los Angeles	3 years

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

See attached.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

Hector Barajas Varela
Pardon Applicant

Additional Information

B. CONVICTION SUMMARY

Following my honorable discharge from the U.S. Army, on December 24, 2001, I was arrested and charged with "Shooting at an Occupied Motor Vehicle" in violation of CPC § 246. At the time I had returned from duty and was struggling to adapt to civilian life. I made some bad choices during this time and on this night was intoxicated while in a car with some friends. One friend in the car thought someone was following us and shot a firearm out of the car. I made a false statement to police that I was not in the vehicle. Later, I had the opportunity to tell the truth that I was in the vehicle but that I did not shoot the firearm but I did not, primarily because I did not want to rat my friend out who shot the firearm. The day I was sentenced, I did actually make a sworn statement to the court that I was willing to provide the actual facts surrounding the incident.

I was afraid of being found guilty for the charges brought against me and agreed to plead *nolo contendere* to the charge of Shooting at an Occupied Motor Vehicle, for which I was sentenced three years imprisonment. I served two years of this sentence, after which I was transferred to ICE custody and ordered removed to Mexico. While I was incarcerated, I participated in a drug recovery program and cleaned up my life. I am very remorseful that I was intoxicated and allowed myself to get in a car with someone carrying a firearm, and that I did not tell the truth when I was arrested. I cannot change my past decision but I can only go forward and live an honorable life. I have not committed any offenses or crimes in Mexico and have tried to be a good role model and citizen of my community.

After being deported, I began a new life in Mexico and dedicated my life to serving deported U.S. veterans like myself. I founded a non-profit organization called the Deported Veterans Support House, nicknamed "The Bunker," which serves as a safe haven for deported U.S. veterans in Tijuana, Mexico for veterans in Mexico and throughout the world. I began the organization by opening up my home as a shelter for recently deported U.S. veterans. The Support House helps veterans adapt to life in Mexico and provides them with shelter, clothing, food, and other assistance. Through the Support House, I attend to the emotional and behavioral needs of the veterans and help them to look for work, obtain medical attention, and communicate with family members in the U.S.

C. PARDON REQUEST

1. Explain why you <u>want</u> a pardon.

I am seeking a pardon because my felony conviction has prevented me from naturalizing as a U.S. citizen. I served in the U.S. Army during a period of hostilities and was honorably discharged, thus making me eligible to naturalize as a U.S. citizen pursuant to Immigration and Nationality Act section 329. Despite being my only conviction, the felony has been an impediment to naturalizing under this section and resulted in my application for naturalization being denied. I grew up in the United States, graduated high school in the United States, served in the U.S. Army, and have many family members who live in the United States as citizens, including my parents, a sister, and my daughter. If this pardon is granted, it will greatly help my

chances of naturalizing as a U.S. citizen and allow me to reunite with my family in the country where I grew up and for which I put my life on the line.

A pardon would give me a second chance at being a father to my 11 year old daughter, [redacted] and help her mother financially. My daughter was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis and needs my support and financial assistance. I would also like to re-open my G.I. Bill and begin my education in the U.S. and contribute to my adopted country. I believe I will be able to continue and further my work on behalf of U.S. veterans from within the U.S.

2. Explain why you think you should be granted a pardon.

As I explained above, the pardon would greatly increase my chances of naturalizing as a U.S. citizen. I believe that I deserve U.S. citizenship due to my service in the U.S. Army. After growing up in Compton, California, I served in the U.S. military for 5 years and 10 months, where I worked as a patient administrator specialist. I received numerous accolades, commendations, awards, and medals of honor during my service. I also received an honorable discharge. INA § 329 allows those who served as members of the U.S. armed forces during active hostilities to become U.S. citizens. Despite this legislation, my conviction has prevented me from naturalizing and reuniting with my daughter in the United States. I put my life on the line to serve for the United States, and I believe that I should be recognized for my service for this country. A pardon for this conviction would be immensely helpful to my naturalization chances. I want nothing more than to become a U.S. citizen.

Also, if I do obtain my U.S. citizenship, this would allow me to continue and improve my service to U.S. veterans. In the fourteen plus years since my conviction, I have worked tirelessly to support U.S. veterans from Mexico. As described above, I founded the non-profit Deported Veterans Support House to provide services for deported veterans like myself. In addition to providing these critical social services, I have become an advocate for legal and policy reforms to assist noncitizen U.S. service members and veterans. I have built the Support House into a policy and legal organization, working with legal providers such as the ACLU to provide legal support to deported U.S. veterans, who seek to return home to the U.S. legally, and to advocate for policy reforms that will ensure noncitizen veterans earn citizenship and can obtain their military benefits, even if deported. I make calls every day to immigration lawyers, give interviews to the media, and strategize on projects to raise awareness to the cause. Many news articles have documented the efforts of the Support House on behalf of U.S. veterans.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Tyrone Antonio Benjamin

Tyrone Antonio Benjamin, a resident of Virginia, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 1, 1979, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, for the crime of driving under the influence. He served three years probation. He was discharged on June 1, 1982, having completed his sentence.

Tyrone Antonio Benjamin has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Tyrone Antonio Benjamin, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Tyrone Antonio Benjamin a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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In the Matter of the Application of
Tyrone Antonio Benjamin
Petitioner's full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth: [redacted]
CII Number:
Criminal Case Number(s): 97WF2219

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
(Penal Code § 4852.13)

CERTIFICATE NUMBER:
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The petition of Tyrone Antonio Benjamin (Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable), presently residing [redacted] (Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code), requesting a

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a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on 7/12/2013 (Date)

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on

10/30/1998 (Month Day, Year), that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been one (1) (Total Number of Felony Convictions) time(s) convicted of a felony;

The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 7.12.13

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF ORANGE

Judicial Officer - SIGNATURE

Gregg L. Prickett

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILIATION

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Penal Code § 4852.13

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State of California

PARDON

Adam Ryan Bennett

Adam Ryan Bennett, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 28, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served four years probation, and 180 days jail. He was discharged on September 28, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Adam Ryan Bennett has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated June 8, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Adam Ryan Bennett has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Adam Ryan Bennett a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of

ADAM RYAN BENNETT

For a Certificate or Rehabilitation and Pardon

Case Number: 16FE004598
CII No: [redacted]
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Criminal Case No. 99F06774

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of ADAM RYAN BENNETT, presently residing at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on this 08TH day of JUNE, 2016, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his/her completion of the term to which he/she was sentenced, or upon his/her release on parole or probation in September 28, 2003, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his/her course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been once convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 08th day of JUNE, 2016.

BUNMI AWONIYI,
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Joseph Mathew Blair

Joseph Blair, a resident of Nevada, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 22, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on February 22, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Joseph Blair has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Joseph Blair, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Joseph Blair a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Joseph Mathew Blair **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Email Address:** none

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. **Conviction Summary:** 11378 HS F-Possession for Sale of a Controlled Substance

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Possession for Sale	2/22/98	San Bernardino	36mos Prob 90dsJL

2. **Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

I would like to be able to vote, serve on a jury, Please See attached letter.

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):**

I have done my best to be a good American citizen and uphold the laws of my community and Country and by doing this for 20years I hope I have repaid my debt.

5. **If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):**

none

Dear Governor Brown, 6-20-2016

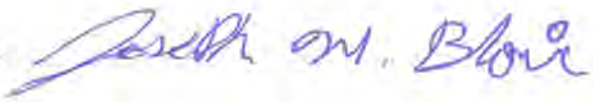
My name is Joseph Matthew Blair and in February of 1998 I was convicted of Possession with the Intent to sell of a controlled substance.

I deeply regret my decision to commit this crime and have spent many years paying the price of being a Felon.

I am requesting this Pardon so that I can vote and serve on a jury and perform the normal duties of an American citizen.

I have spent more than 20 years living and working in Cal -Nev -Ari ,Nevada doing my very best to help my neighbors, family and fellow man.

If you will do me the honor of expunging my Felony record, I will continue to work very hard at being a good American citizen, I will be honored to serve on a jury and happy to do any other task that may be required of me.

Sincerely, 

Joseph Matthew Blair

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[redacted]

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Martin Joseph Bonanno

Martin Joseph Bonanno, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 15, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Butte, in separate cases, for the crimes of possession of a controlled substance for sale and preventing or dissuading a witness or victim with force or fear. He served four years probation for both crimes. He was discharged on April 15, 1992, having completed his sentence.

Martin Joseph Bonanno has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, an order dated May 13, 2013, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

The Board of Parole Hearings received and reviewed Mr. Bonanno's pardon application and related materials pursuant to California Penal Code section 4802, and recommended him for a pardon on February 22, 2017. Mr. Bonanno also received a recommendation for a pardon by a majority of the justices of the Supreme Court of California, received on July 13, 2017, as required by article V, section 8 subdivision (a) of the California Constitution.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Martin Joseph Bonanno has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Martin Joseph Bonanno a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Bonanno, Martin

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA
Applicant's County of Residence

#213418

In the Matter of the Application of

MARTIN JOSEPH BONANNO
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number 213418

Date of Birth [redacted]
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CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) 96387, 96379, NCR29466A, and NCR30874
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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DAVID H. YAMASAKI
Chief Executive Officer/Clerk
Superior Court of CA, County of Santa Clara

BY [signature] DEPUTY
CATHY VIEIRA

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of MARTIN JOSEPH BONANNO, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 13th day
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of May 2013 and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 07/30/1988, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 2 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and **Decreed,** *And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.*

Done in open court this 13 May 13 day of
Day of the Month Month, Year

RENE NAVARRO
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

[signature]
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 8/20/01)* This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Steven Charles Bonetto

Steven Charles Bonetto, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 17, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Barbara for the crime of mayhem. Specifically, Mr. Bonetto punched an individual who was knocked into a fire. He served one year, seven months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on December 28, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Steven Charles Bonetto has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Amador, an order dated December 11, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Steven Charles Bonetto has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Steven Charles Bonetto a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Amador
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of
Steven Charles Boretto
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number
Date of Birth [redacted]
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Criminal Case Number(s) 10C2134
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Steven Charles Boretto, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 11 day
Day of the Month

of 12 2015 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 12/28/2003, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1
Total Number of Felony Convictions

time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 11 day of 12/2015.
Day of the Month Month, Year

Rene C. Davy
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01) *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Matthew Francis Briskie

Matthew Francis Briskie, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 24, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crimes of possession of marijuana for sale and possession of a controlled substance. He served two years, nine months probation and 180 days jail. He was discharged on March 11, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Matthew Francis Briskie has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated October 13, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Matthew Francis Briskie has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Matthew Francis Briskie a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Matthew Francis Briskie

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By B. Perez Deputy

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number BA435208

Criminal Case Number(s) 01SF0839 - Orange County

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of MatthewFrancisBriskie presently residing at [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the te of California, came on regularly for hearing on October 13, 2016

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Granted Probation May 24, 2002

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 13 day of October, 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

James R. Brandlin
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court -

SUPERIOR COURT LOS ANGELES COUNTY CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Thomas Lee Brookshire

Thomas Lee Brookshire, a resident of Florida, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 29, 1967, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of passing a check with insufficient funds. He served eleven months with the California Youth Authority, and two years, six months parole. He was discharged on January 15, 1971, having completed his sentence.

Thomas Lee Brookshire has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Thomas Lee Brookshire, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Thomas Lee Brookshire a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: THOMAS LEE BROOKSHIRE Date of Birth: [redacted] E-mail Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. **Conviction Summary:**

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
GRAND THEFT AUTO	1966	LOS ANGELES	Y.T.S.

2. **Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):** I WAS FOUND IN THE YARD WITH A FRIEND WHO WAS IN POSSESSION OF A STOLEN CAR WE HAD JUST EXITED.

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):** I HUNT WITH MY GRANDSONS AND CAN NOT PURCHAS A FIREARM.

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):** I WAS 17 YEARS OLD AND DID MAKE A MISTAKE. IT IS NOW 51 YEARS LATER WITH NO TROUBLE AND I BELIEVE THERE IS NO CHANCE OF FURTHER TROUBLE.

5. **If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):** N/A

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Narya Alexandra Brown

Narya Alexandra Brown, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about November 26, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo for the crimes of possession of a controlled substance, receiving known stolen property, and burglary. Specifically, Ms. Brown stole items such as cellphones and driver's licenses and was found to be in possession of methamphetamine. She served five years probation, six months prison, and one year, one month parole. She was discharged on December 30, 2004, having completed her sentence.

Narya Alexandra Brown has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated May 10, 2011, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Brown does community outreach for a local health care provider. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Narya Alexandra Brown has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Narya Alexandra Brown a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

NARVA ALEXANDRA BROWN

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SC051906A

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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By [signature] Deputy Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of NARVA ALEXANDRA BROWN, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 10TH day

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or ~~probation~~ on DISCHARGED PAROLE 2005, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONE time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 10TH day of MAY 2011

Day of the Month Month, Year

JOHN P. WINN

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA SACRAMENTO COUNTY

FORM 3 (*Revised 7/2/94*) *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Nicholas Burgess

Nicholas Burgess, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 9, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Burgess stole a motorcycle. He served three years probation, and one day jail. He was discharged on April 9, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Nicholas Burgess has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Burgess volunteers at a local school.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Nicholas Burgess, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Nicholas Burgess a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: NICHOLAS BURGESS **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Disturbing Peace	8/20/01	SDSO	Misd; Fine
* Res. Burglary	10/18/01	SDSO (San Diego)	Instant Offense, Fine, Jail, Prob. e

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

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3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

SEE ATTACHED

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

SEE ATTACHED

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

Burgess

2. I moved to San Diego County from Ventura when I was 17 years old as my father took a new job. Shortly after I began hanging out with the wrong group of kids. Just 3 months after I turned 18, we entered a private residence where we took some CD's and other miscellaneous items. We then came back and wheeled a motorcycle with a flat tire out of the garage. Though the owner decided not to press charges, we were charged with residentual burglary (PC 45/460) on 10/18/01.

3. I am applying for a pardon for two reasons. First, I work in the casino industry as a chef. Each time I work on a new property I undergo a criminal FBI background check through the gaming commission. Despite having my felony expunged already, I still must explain my circumstances to the commission. It has not stopped me from employment but limits my ability to advance in the company. I am seeking a pardon to offer reassurance to the tribes that I am not a liability to the organization. Also, I just moved out of the state of CA and am looking to reinstate my firearm rights if possible. This is for both recreational purpose and peace of mind to protect my family.

4. I believe that I should be eligible for pardon because I have come a long way from where I was when I was an 18 year old kid. Since then I have graduated from one of the top culinary schools in the country. I earned my Associates degree in Business Administration and went on to work as Sous Chef for many of the top restaurants and casinos in San Diego. All of my former employers and coworkers will vouch for my good character and moral that I have developed along the way. I have an amazing wife and mother of my child who I have been with for nearly 12 years who also worked her way through school and is now fulfilling her dream as a trauma nurse at one of the top hospitals in the state. I am not just fully recovered and rehabilitated, but a positive contributing member of my community who still has so much to give.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Brent C. Burwell

Brent C. Burwell, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 10, 1970, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Fresno, for the crime of grand theft. Specifically, Mr. Burwell stole a car for parts. He served two years probation, and 60 days jail. He was discharged on September 10, 1972, having completed his sentence.

Brent C. Burwell has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Madera, an order dated November 15, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Brent C. Burwell has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Brent C. Burwell a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ~~FRESNO~~ MADERA

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

BRENT C. BURWELL

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number MCR044500

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number UNKNOWN

Criminal Case Number(s) 24927

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of BRENT C. BURWELL, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 10th day

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of September, 2012 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on SEPTEMBER 10, 1970, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 15th day of Nov., 2012

Day of the Month

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Mitchell C. Rigby

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Mitchell C. Rigby

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

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COUNTY OF MADERA

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Thomas James Franklin Busi

Thomas James Franklin Busi, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 14, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Placer, for the crime of transporting a controlled substance. He served five years probation, and ten months jail. He was discharged on December 14, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Thomas James Franklin Busi has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Amador, an order dated October 9, 2014, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Thomas James Franklin Busi has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Thomas James Franklin Busi a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF AMADOR

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

THOMAS JAMES FRANKLIN BUSI

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number 14CV8914

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SCR00009, PLACER COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of THOMAS JAMES FRANKLIN BUSI, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this NINTH day

Day of the Month

of OCTOBER 2014 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on December 14, 1997, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONE time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 9 day of October 2014.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

SUSAN C. HARLAN

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 12/5/01)*

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Lewis Wallace Butler Jr.

Lewis Wallace Butler Jr., a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 5, 1977, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Butler appears to have participated in the theft of a stereo. He served three years, six months California Division of Juvenile Justice, and two years, three months parole. He was discharged on February 6, 1981, having completed his sentence.

Lewis Wallace Butler Jr. has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated June 22, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Lewis Wallace Butler Jr. has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Lewis Wallace Butler Jr. a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of	}	Case Number: 16FE005931
	}	CII No: [redacted]
LEWIS WALLACE BUTLER JR	}	Date of Birth: [redacted]
	}	Criminal Case No. 49925
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	}	

For a Certificate or Rehabilitation and Pardon

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of LEWIS WALLACE BUTLER JR, presently residing at [redacted], [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on this 22nd day of JUNE, 2016, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his/her completion of the term to which he/she was sentenced, or upon his/her release on parole or probation in February 06, 1981, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his/her course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 22nd day of JUNE, 2016.

BUNMI AWONIYI,
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Eric Jerome Butterfield

Eric Jerome Butterfield, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 17, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Fresno for the crime of transporting a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on July 17, 1993, having completed his sentence.

Eric Jerome Butterfield has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, an order dated October 5, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Eric Jerome Butterfield has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Eric Jerome Butterfield a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
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SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY
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By [redacted] Dep. Clerk

In the Matter of the Application of

Eric Jerome Butterfield
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO. 1237

CII No. [redacted]

Date of Birth [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of Eric Jerome Butterfield, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 5th day of October, 2016, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to this completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on May 26, 1998, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice) (thrice) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 5 day of October, ____.

Judge of said Superior Court

This form is prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Eric Canton (Cardenas)

Eric Canton, a resident of Baja California, Mexico has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 10, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of robbery. He served five years probation, and 364 days jail. He was discharged on November 10, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Eric Canton has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Eric Canton, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Eric Canton a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: ERIC CANTON CARDENAS **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** _____

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
12025 (A) 2	06/07/1998	LOS ANGELES	MISDEMEANOR
12031 (A) 1	06/ 07/1998	LOS ANGELES	MISDEMEANOR
1202.4 (B)	08/09/1998	LOS ANGELES	GUILTY

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

The day of my arrest, my friends picked up me at my house. I Do know if before picking me up my friends had committed a robbery. We were just driving, And at 1:00 am. We stopped and they got out of the car when they saw a person on the street. one of them took off and attacked a person

(ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PAGE A-1)

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I ask for clemency because at 15 years old, I was a witness to the case, I suffered a severe trauma when an adult man pı miraculously came out of the situacion unharmed, but I was not offered psichological help to cope with the trauma.

(ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PAGE A-2)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

With all my heart I pray that I be granted this waiver. I feel alone and cannot find the meaning in life if I am separated from my family indefinitely, (ADDITONAL INFORMATION PAGE A-3)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

INFORMATION IN PAGE A-4

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ADDITIONAL PAGE:

ERIC CANTON CARDENAS: **LIST ALL PRIOR CONVICTIONS**

OFFENCE (S)	DATE OF OFFENSE (S)	COUNTY OF CONVICTION(S)	SENTENCE(S)
COUNT 01:211 PC FELONY	08/09/1998	LOS ANGELES	GUILTY

PAGE A-1 ERIC CANTON

QUESTION 2: BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CRIME(S) FOR WHICH YOU ARE REQUESTING A PARDON.

FIRST CASE

THEFT CHANGE

The day of my arrest, my friends picked me up at my house. I do not know if before picking me up my friends had committed a robbery. We were just driving, and at 1:00am we stopped and they got out of the car when they saw a person on the street, one of them took off and attacked a person. They then ran back to the car where I had stayed sitting in the passenger seat, not involved in the situation. I was only a witness, and I was confused with the situation. We were stopped by the police. The officer first questioned my friend and his brother, and then another person. Nobody said anything and all were separated to be questioned. I was put in the back of the patrol vehicle, and officer came and informed me they all blamed everything that happened on me. It was them who did it, but they kept saying it was me, and I was telling the truth when I said it was not me. They took us to jail.

I had to write a statement at that time, and I could not write English. It was written in Spanish and the officers translated it to English. The translation was not done correctly and it was interpreted to make me guilty.

SECOND CASE

THE DAY OF MY DETENTION WITH A WEAPON

The day of my arrest with a weapon I was with [redacted] and [redacted]. [redacted] picked me up, and we picked up [redacted] together. We were driving around the street and I was not aware they had a gun. [redacted] ask me to drive the car, then [redacted]y got off the car and starting fighting. Then, a patrol was driving by and saw them fighting. I saw the gun and tried to hide it, and I was pulled over. The officer asked if there was weapon and I told him there was, they told me to get off the vehicle and told him it was tucked in on my waist.

In the two cases I am victim to the circumstances.

QUESTION 3. EXPLAIN WHY YOU ARE REQUESTING A PARDON

I became angry at life. My friends were bad influences, I felt that they protected me and that is the reason I stayed close to them. At that age I did not feel comfortable asking my family for moral support. Our families take gender roles very seriously, as a male you must not show emotion or show signs of weakness, to them that is not proper. In both cases I was not the primarily guilty person, I was only involved indirectly. I deserve to be forgiven for that powerful reason. I felt victimized, and I deserve an opportunity like minors are usually given. I have waited these many years to ask this second chance out of fear. When you've gone through all this you feel that no one believes in you and you feel rejected.

I'm asking for mercy for my criminal record as a minor, during the events I pleaded guilty when I really was not, my inability to speak English was a factor that influenced the decisions that were brought against me.

First case

The weapon I surrendered to the authorities was not my property, I picked it up from the floor of the car, thinking I did not want the officer to see it. I was very scared, and I thought if they didn't see the gun there wouldn't be any problems. When I got off the car, the officers asked if I have a weapon, I answered truthfully and I put the gun on the floor as a sign that I cared for my safety.

I am asking for forgiveness, because at the time I was sentenced 30 days in Los Angeles County Jail, three years in probation, and payment of $100.00, I was a minor. I complied with all the penalties and the court rules imposed on me.

The second case

I was a victim of circumstances; my mistake was being out that night with my friends. I had no idea that was going to happen, or if they had some criminal plan. I was not directly involved in the street fight; I was in the car on the passenger seat. I was blamed for my friend's actions and again, the language barrier was a factor that put me in serious trouble. My version of the facts was not translated correctly from Spanish to English. An officer translated it into incorrectly English, and therefore I was found guilty of these acts.

PAGE A-3 ERIC CANTON

QUESTION 4: PROVIDE A BRIEF STATEMENT EXPLAINING WHY YOU SHOULD GRANTED A PARDON

As a result of my bad decisions as an immature and confused teenager. Please give me the chance to be happy, and be a good man, who attends church, participates in the community, and works tirelessly to give a better life to my children.

Thank you, I am an adult who has endangered the tranquility, the economic stability of my family for my bad decisions in the past, and I need to repair the damage I've caused , I promise to not make the same mistakes and live to educate them, and they be men and women do well. I want to be a father present in their lives.

Some organizations support me to stop my deportation, they believe in me and my good moral character in these years I have participated and when I needed help, not hesitated to help me.

Unfortunately for me not request this pardon before. And my criminal record was cause to deny me stay in the country to apply for permanent residency for being the husband of a citizen of the United States of America.

Please feel free to call my wife [redacted]. If they need more information phone [redacted]

PAGE A-4 ERIC CANTON

QUESTION 5: IF YOU HAVE ANY MONEY OF GIVEN ANY GIFT TO ANYONE TO ASSIST IN THE PREPARATION OF THIS APPLICATION, LIST THEIR NAME ADDREES AND AMOUNT TO PAY OR GIVEN (REQUIRED BY PENAL CODE SECCION 4807.2).

I made no gift or payment, only received support necessary.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Richard Allen Capeloto

Richard Capeloto, a resident of Arizona, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 6, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of selling or furnishing marijuana. He served two years probation, and two days jail. He was discharged on September 6, 1993, having completed his sentence.

Richard Capeloto has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Richard Capeloto, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Richard Capeloto a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR AN ~~ARIZONA~~ CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR'S PARDON

Please type (strongly preferred) or print legibly in ink the answers to the following questions. If the space for any answer is insufficient, please continue the answer on another sheet of paper and label the corresponding section that you are continuing. Each question must be answered fully, truthfully, and accurately.

Any omission of falsification may constitute grounds for denial or revocation.

SECTION 1: Applicant Information:

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
CAPELOTO	RICHARD	ALLEN

☐ Imminent Danger of Death: Check this box if you are applying for a pardon based on Imminent Danger of Death.

***ATTN TIME COMPUTATION UNIT**:
IF APPLYING UNDER IMMINENT DANGER OF DEATH AND THE APPLICANT HAS BEEN DEEMED STATUTORILY ELIGIBLE, PLEASE FORWARD THIS APPLICATION TO THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS HEALTH SERVICES.

"IMMINENT DANGER OF DEATH" means that an applicant has been examined by a medical doctor and that doctor has diagnosed the applicant as suffering from a medical condition which, in the doctor's professional medical opinion, will to a reasonable medical certainty result in the applicant's death within six (6) months. Imminent Danger of Death shall only apply for those applicants that are currently incarcerated."

Date [redacted]	Place of Birth [redacted]	Gender: ☒ Male ☐ Female
ADD[redacted]		Apartment Number / Floor [redacted]
CITY: [redacted]	STATE: AZ	Zip Code [redacted]
[redacted]	BUSINESS PHONE NUMBER: ( ) SAME	EXTENSION: Ø
CELLULAR PHONE NUMBER: ( )	E-M[redacted]	

SECTION 2: Family Information

For your current residence, please list all members of your household below:

Name:	Age:	Relationship:
1. JUST ME	61	
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

VOTE: DUE HAD NO OTHER OFFENSES BEFORE OR AFTER '91

How long have you lived at your current address? 4 YRS.

Current Marital Status:	☒ Single ☐ Married	☐ Divorced ☐ Separated	☐ Widow ☐ Widower

Current Spouse / Partner's Name	Current Address (if different from your current address)	Current Phone Number

How many children do you have? Ø

Are you current with all court ordered child support (if applicable)? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Not Applicable

If you answered no, what is the reason for your failure to pay and describe any agreement you have made to satisfy your payment obligation:

DEC 21 2015 RCVD

SECTION 3: Aliases and Other Names

State in full every other name by which you have been known, including the reason for your use of another name, and the dates during which you were so known (i.e., include your maiden name, name by a former marriage, aliases, and nicknames):

1. RICK CAPELOTO
2.
3.

SECTION 4: Previous Application History

Have you applied for pardon in the past? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, please state the month(s) and year(s) you applied:

Was a pardon granted? ☐ Yes ☐ No	If yes, type of Pardon granted:

The date the Board suggested you may reapply:

SECTION 5: Citizenship Information:

Are you a citizen of the United States of America? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If you answered no, country of citizenship:

SECTION 6: Gun Rights Restoration:

If a pardon is granted, are you requesting the pardon to restore gun rights. ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please explain why you are seeking to possess a firearm: JUST BECAUSE OF THE WAY THINGS ARE GOING IN THE STATES. I WANT TO PROTECT MYSELF

SECTION 7: Educational Background:
Please check the highest grade completed:

☐ 1	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5	☐ 6	☐ 7	☐ 8	☐ 9	☐ 10	☐ 11	☐ 12
☐ 13	☐ 14	☐ 15	☐ 16	☒ 17	☐ 18	☐ 19	☐ 20	☐ 21	☐ 22	☐ 23	☐ 24+

Please list any education or other special training you have received or are currently attending. Include the school name, dates attended, degrees received, and any honors achieved. If you attended training, note the type of training and agency that provided the training. **You may also attach a copy of any certificates, diplomas or transcripts received to the application.**

A.A. IN SPEECH + HEALTH - 1978 / BA IN MUSIC - 1982
ADAPTIVE PHYSICAL EDUCATION - [redacted] COLLEGE - 2010

SECTION 8: Military Record:

Were you ever in any branch of the U.S. Armed Forces? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If you answered yes, please answer the following:

Branch of service: USMC	Date of entry into active duty: 3/29/72	Date of Discharge: 4/1/78
Did you serve in the National Guard? ☐ Yes ☒ No	Type of Discharge: HONORABLE	Rank at Discharge: CPL.

SECTION 9: CRIMINAL HISTORY

Have you ever been incarcerated in Arizona ☐ Yes ☒ No | Inmate Number (if known):

Do you presently have any outstanding warrants, either federal or state? ☐ Yes ☒ No *If yes, state the pending charges, the arresting agency, and the court in which the case is pending. If you need more space, use the optional continuation page.*

SECTION 9: CRIMINAL HISTORY

I HAVE A CONDITION CALLED [redacted] WHICH HAS DESTROYED MUCH OF MY SLEEP + MY LIFE. I GOT POISONED BY WATER ON CAMP LEJEUNE, N.C. IN THE MARINES. I HAVE OVER 65 DISORDERS OF THE BODY OF MY U.A. DOCTORS LOST AND I USED TO DRINK OVER IT BUT NOW THE NEW U.A. IS GIVING ME HOLISTIC TREATMENT FOR IT

List all felony and misdemeanor (excluding traffic violations except DUI) convictions as an adult. **Please note the conviction(s) which you are seeking a pardon.** Any willful omission will be construed as falsification, and would be considered grounds for denial. Applicants should rely on their own information, as well as the official criminal record that was obtained from the local Police. If any uncertainty exists, a statement to that effect will remove grounds for rejection of the application on the basis of falsification. List your most recent conviction below, working back until all your convictions are listed. ***If you need more space, please use the "Criminal History (Attachment)" form attached to this application.***

Conviction #1 (most recent conviction)

CR number: SA0016953	Disposition Date: 1991	Sentence: FELONY / NO JAIL TIME
Crime(s) Convicted of on this docket: ~~RECKLESS DRIVING~~ MARIJ. SALES		
☒ **Yes** ☐ **No** I am seeking a pardon from this conviction.		
In your own words, provide a complete and detailed account of this incident. Explain when, how and why each offense was committed, including the date and location. Explain any violations of probation if applicable.		

Conviction #2

CR number:	Disposition Date: 1984	Sentence: 15 DAYS SB JAIL
Crime(s) Convicted of on this docket: DUI		
☐ **Yes** ☒ **No** I am seeking a pardon from this conviction.		
In your own words, provide a complete and detailed account of this incident. Explain when, how and why each offense was committed, including the date and location. Explain any violations of probation if applicable.		

Conviction #3

CR number:	Disposition Date: 1983	Sentence: $300.00 FINE
Crime(s) Convicted of on this docket: WRECK LESS DRIVING		
☐ **Yes** ☒ **No** I am seeking a pardon from this conviction.		
In your own words, provide a complete and detailed account of this incident. Explain when, how and why each offense was committed, including the date and location. Explain any violations of probation if applicable.		

☐ Check this box if you have more than 3 criminal convictions and have attached additional sheets using the same format as above.

Have you ever been convicted of any crimes in any other State? ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**
If yes, list the State where convicted, the approximate date of conviction, what crime you were convicted of and describe the incident. If you need more space, please continue on another piece of paper and label the section that you are continuing in the same format.

Have you had any arrests with any law enforcement agency since your last sentence? ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No**	Please explain:

SECTION 10: Employment History

List your past 3 employers, starting with your present employer and working back. For each period you were unemployed, give dates of that period and reason. **(Not required but an attached current pay stub or W-2 form will verify present employment to the Board)**

Official Job title (Start with current or most recent job) WAREHOUSE MGR.	Company Name & Phone Number [redacted]		Type of Business PROPERTY UPGRADER	
Employed From (Mo.) (Yr.) 1991	To: (Mo.) (Yr.) 2001	Total (Years. Mos.) 10	Hours Worked Per Week 60(+)	May we Contact this employer? ☒ Yes ☐ No IT'S ME
Business' full address SELF EMPLOYED			Reason for Leaving (if currently unemployed) SICK	

Official Job title	Company Name & Phone Number	Type of Business
CARPENTER	[redacted]	CONSTRUCTION

Employed From (Mo.) (Yr.)	To: (Mo.) (Yr.)	Total (Years. Mos.)	Hours Worked Per Week	May we Contact this employer? ☐ Yes ☒ No
2001	2008	7	50	OUT OF BUSINESS

Business' full address	Reason for Leaving

Official Job title	Company Name & Phone Number	Type of Business
LABORER	[redacted]	CONSTRUCTION

Employed From (Mo.) (Yr.)	To: (Mo.) (Yr.)	Total (Years. Mos.)	Hours Worked Per Week	May we Contact this employer? ☐ Yes ☒ No
1985	1991	6(+)	40-60	

Business' full address	Reason for Leaving
HE WAS ON COCAINE + RIPPED THE WORKERS	

SECTION 11: Substance Abuse and Treatment Information:

Have you ever been addicted to or abused alcohol or drugs of any type? ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No**

If yes, describe the type and dates of the addiction or abuse:

ALCOHOL - I WENT THRU DAPC IN SANTA BARBARA CA. / PRESCRIPTION MEDS FM VA LONG BEACH VAMC NO PROBLEMS SINCE 2002 PROGRAM

Do You Consider Yourself in Recovery? ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No. How are you maintaining your sobriety?** MEETINGS / VOLUNTEER EXERCISE

Have you ever sought or participated in counseling, treatment, or a rehabilitation program for drug use or alcohol abuse (i.e. AA, NA, 12 Step Programs etc.)? ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No** LISTED ABOVE

If yes, specify the dates of treatment or counseling, and provide the full name, address, and telephone number of the treatment facility and of the doctor, counselor, or other treatment provider. Indicate whether you completed the treatment program and the description of help received Attach any certificates or proof of participation to the end of this package.

Is there any other treatment you have participated in that you would like the Board to know about? ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No**

If yes, specify the dates of treatment or counseling, and provide the full name, address, and telephone number of the treatment facility and of the doctor, counselor, or other treatment provider. Indicate whether you completed the treatment program and the description of help received Attach any certificates or proof of participation to the end of this package.

PTSD / ANGER MGMNT. / MENTOR TRAINING AT PRESCOTT AZ. VA. IN 2014 + 2015

SECTION 12: Volunteer, Charitable and Community Activities

Describe any charitable, volunteer, church or civic activities in which you have been engaged or other contributions you have made to the community since you have completed your sentence. List the names of any organizations in which you have participated, the time periods of your participation, your role in these activities, and the name, address, and telephone number of a person associated with each organization who is familiar with your involvement.

If you need more space, please continue on another piece of paper and label the section that you are continuing in the same format.

HOUSES FOR GOD (MEXICO) 2000-2007 / VINEYARD FOOD BANK 1998-2002 HABITAT FOR HUMANITY 1992-1997 ★

SECTION 13: Purpose of Application: [redacted]

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1. **State your reason(s) for seeking a pardon.** *If you need more space, please cont[redacted] the section that you are continuing in the same format.*

I WANT MY LIFE BACK W/O THIS FELONY HANGING OVER ME. I'D LIKE TO WORK FOR THE GOVT. AGAIN. I WAS SET UP BY THE RAMPART DIVISION + I DID NOTHING. A JUDGE DISMISSED IT, (SEE COURT COPY). THE RAMPART WAS ALL CROOKED COPS WHO WERE FIRED AND/OR JAILED

2. **In your own words, how have you changed since your criminal activity? You may also use this section to inform the Board about anything else that you would like the Board to consider.** *If you need more space, please continue on another piece of paper and label the section that you are continuing in the same format.*

I AM 100% SERVICE CONNECTED USMC VETERAN (VIETNAM ERA) - WAS POISONED ON CAMP LEJEUNE, N.C. 1972-73 AND WAS VERY SICK FOR 35 YRS. UNTRUE ALL THESE CAME OUT 5 YRS. AGO. IT WAS THE WATER. MANY OF US DIED FROM BOOZE + DRUGS. THE U.A. JUST THREW PILLS AT US + I FELL FOR THAT FOR 10 YRS. BUT 4 YRS AGO I QUIT. I'D LOVE A FRESH START.

3. **Since your completion of the most recent sentence, what do you consider your most significant achievement? Why?** *If you need more space, please continue on another piece of paper and label the section that you are continuing in the same format.*

3 COLLEGE DEGREES / CLEAN + SOBER / PROFESSIONAL MUSICIAN VOLUNTEER FOR 4 YEARS / I FEEL GREAT /

4. **What are the specific factors you would relay to the Governor to convince her that you are deserving of a pardon?** *If you need more space, please continue on another piece of paper and label the section that you are continuing in the same format.*

Has anyone else assisted you in completing this pardon application? ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No**

If you answered yes, complete the following information about the person / group:

Name / Group	Address	Phone Number

Do you plan to attend your pardon hearing? **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐

Is so, will your attendance by: **In-Person** ☐ **Phone** ☐

I WAS ON 7 MEDICATIONS FOR 10 YRS. ([redacted] TO NAME A FEW)

I GOT OFF ALL MEDS + I ALMOST DIED.

I SWITCHED TO ALCOHOL FOR A BIT BUT HAVE SINCE QUIT AND I ACTUALLY SEE A FUTURE FOR MYSELF FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 40 YEARS. IT'S SO GREAT.

PLEASE HELP ME!

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Williard Earl Carlson Jr.

Williard Earl Carlson Jr., a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 22, 2003, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Humboldt for the crime of driving under the influence with a prior conviction. He served three years probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on August 22, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Williard Earl Carlson Jr. has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Humboldt, an order dated January 7, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Carlson reports that he has been sober for over 14 years. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Williard Earl Carlson Jr. has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Williard Earl Carlson Jr. a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Applicant's County of Residence

18982

CR-15

In the Matter of the Application of

WILLARD EARL CARLSON, JR.

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) CR034200S

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of WILLARD EARL CARLSON, JR., presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 12TH day

Day of the Month

of JUNE, 2014 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on DECEMBER 14, 2006, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done ~~in open court~~ by this 7th day of January 2015.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

JOYCE D HINRICHS PRESIDING JUDGE FOR PETER MERING

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

JOYCE D. HINRICHS

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

James Anthony Carroll

James Anthony Carroll, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 10, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kern, for the crime of under the influence of a controlled substance, and possession of a firearm. He served eight months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on March 23, 2000, having completed his sentence.

James Anthony Carroll has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kern, an order dated March 21, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, James Anthony Carroll has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James Anthony Carroll a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 1023

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Kern
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

FP004166A

James Anthony Carroll
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

SUPERIOR COURT, METROPOLITAN DIVISION
COUNTY OF KERN
MAR 21 2016
TERRY McNALLY, CLERK
BY DEPUTY

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SC072992A
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of James Anthony Carroll, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 21st day
Day of the Month

of March 2016 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 3/23/00, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 21st day of March.
Day of the Month — Month, Year

H. A. Staley
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

H. A. Staley
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01) *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Kimberly Joyce Carter

Kimberly Joyce Carter, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about December 23, 1986 in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. She was sentenced on or about August 5, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino for the crime of possession of drugs or alcohol in prison or jail. She served one year, six months prison and three years, nine months parole. She was discharged on April 15, 1992, having completed her sentence in both cases.

She was sentenced on or about June 25, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Francisco, in separate cases, for the crimes of grand theft from a person. She served nine months prison, and one year, one month parole. She was discharged on May 17, 1995, having completed her sentence in both cases.

Kimberly Joyce Carter has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, an order dated April 6, 2017, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, in 2002 Ms. Carter started the Time For Change Foundation, the mission of which is "to empower disenfranchised low income individuals and families by building leadership through evidence-based programs and housing to create self-sufficiency and thriving communities. Ms. Carter has received numerous certificates and award in recognition of her work, and was named a CNN Hero in 2015. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

The Board of Parole Hearings received and reviewed Ms. Carter's pardon application and related materials pursuant to California Penal Code section 4802, and recommended her for a pardon on August 15, 2017. Ms. Carter also received a recommendation for a pardon by a majority of the justices of the Supreme Court of California, received on November 2, 2017, as required by article V, section 8 subdivision (a) of the California Constitution.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Kimberly Joyce Carter has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Kimberly Joyce Carter a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

KIMBERLY JOYCE CARTER
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) 150981; 149113-02; RCR14227; A914504
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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SUPERIOR COURT
COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
SAN BERNARDINO DISTRICT
APR 06 2017
BY
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(PRIOR CASE NO. FSB55046659)

CURRENT CASE NO. FELTS 17 00024

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of KIMBERLY JOYCE CARTER, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for re-hearing on this 6th day
Day of the Month

of April, 2017 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or pro-bation on 4/17/94, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 4 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total No. of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 6th day of April 2017
Day of the Month, Month, Year

RONALD M CHRISTIANSON
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 4/18/17) *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

David Milton Carter Jr.

David Milton Carter Jr., a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 27, 2001, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served seven months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on September 3, 2003, having completed his sentence.

David Milton Carter Jr. has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated January 28, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, David Milton Carter Jr. has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to David Milton Carter Jr. a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-650-16

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of

DAVID MILTON CARTER, JR.

For a Certificate or Rehabilitation and Pardon

Case Number: 15F00367
CII No: [redacted]
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Criminal Case No. 01F05535

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of DAVID MILTON CARTER JR., presently residing at [redacted], [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on this 28TH day of JANUARY, 2016, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his/her completion of the term to which he/she was sentenced, or upon his/her release on parole or probation on SEPTEMBER 03, 2003, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his/her course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been once convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 28TH day of JANUARY, 2016.

BUNMI AWONIYI,
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jose Cazares Zazueta

Jose Cazares Zazueta, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 14, 2003, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego for the crime of selling or furnishing marijuana. He served three years probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on January 14, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Jose Cazares Zazueta has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, an order dated January 25, 2013, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jose Cazares Zazueta has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jose Cazares Zazueta a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SU[illegible]R COURT OF THE STATE OF [illegible]ORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

JOSE CAZARES ZAZUETA
Type Applicant's Full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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Clerk of the Superior Court
JAN 25 2013
By: A. Robinson, Deputy

Certificate Number SRD1167

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SCE226512
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of JOSE CAZARES ZAZUETA, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying
Type Applicant's Full Name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 25TH day of JANUARY, 2013 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on JANUARY 14, 2003, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

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WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provide in Penal Code Section 4852.15). and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 25TH day of JANUARY, 2013
Day of the Month
Month, Year

David M. Gill
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

DAVID M. GILL

FORM 3 (Revised 6/10/98) *This form was prepared by the Investigators Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Javier Chaidez

Javier Chaidez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 10, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego for the crime of transporting controlled substances. He served two years, five months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on November 20, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Javier Chaidez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, an order dated April 30, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Javier Chaidez has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Javier Chaidez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF San Bernardino

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Javier Chaidez AKA Javier Chaidez-Coronel

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SCD 143060

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Javier Chaidez AKA Javier Chaidez-Coronel, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 30 day

Day of the Month

of April 2015 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 10/21/2004, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been

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time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 30 Day of April 2015.

Day of the Month Month, Year

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

This form was prepared by the Law Enforcement Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

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PARDON

Silverio Jacob Chairez

Silverio Jacob Chairez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 17, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crime of threatenening to commit a crime with intent to terrorize. Specifically, Mr. Chairez threatened a member of a rival gang. He served two years, three months probation, and three years, eight months parole. He was discharged on January 5, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Silverio Jacob Chairez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, an order dated May 6, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Chairez reports that he is active in his local church, and participates in events promoting non-violence. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Silverio Jacob Chairez has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Silverio Jacob Chairez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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ALAN CARLSON, Clerk of the Court

BY: MONICA JOHNSON, DEPUTY

In the Matter of the Application of

SILVERIO JACOB CHAIREZ
Petitioner's full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth: [redacted]
CII Number: [redacted]
Criminal Case Number(s): 99CF2334

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
(Penal Code § 4852.13)

CERTIFICATE NUMBER:
M - 10573

The petition of Silverio Jacob Chairez, presently residing at [redacted], requesting a
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on 5/6/16
Date

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on

April 10, 2002
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, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been One time(s) convicted of a felony;
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The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 5/6/16

Richard King
Judicial Officer - TYPED or PRINTED

R. M. KING
Judicial Officer - SIGNATURE

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PARDON

Rodney Chamberlain

Rodney Chamberlain, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 5, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sonoma, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served two years probation. He was discharged on September 5, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Rodney Chamberlain has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sonoma, an order dated December 21, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Rodney Chamberlain has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Rodney Chamberlain a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

RODNEY CHAMBERLAIN
Type Applicant's Full Name - First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number [redacted]

Date of Birth
Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) MCR-271509
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Rodney Chamberlain, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 21st day
Day of the Month

of December, 2015 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on September 05, 1997, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been two time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 21st day of December, 2015
Day of the Month — Month, Year

GARY A. MEDVIGY

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 8/13/03)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Leslie Leon Chappel

Leslie Leon Chappel, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 19, 1971, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Fresno for the crimes of transporting or selling marijuana and transporting, manufacturing, or selling dangerous drugs. He served one year, three months prison, two years, nine months probation. He was discharged on March 2, 1976, having completed his sentence.

Leslie Leon Chappel has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Fresno, an order dated July 15, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Leslie Leon Chappel has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Leslie Leon Chappel a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Fresno

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Leslie Leon Chappel

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 25154

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Leslie Leon Chappel, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

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a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 15th day

Day of the Month

of July, 2016 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 05/03/1973, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1

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time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 15th day of July, 2016.

Day of the Month — Month, Year

W. Kent Hamlin — Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

W. Kent Hamlin — Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 1 (Revised 3/9/09)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Marco Antonio Chavez

Marco Chavez, a resident of Mexico, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 9, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of cruelty to animals. He served ten months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on April 8, 2000, having completed his sentence.

Marco Chavez has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Chavez honorably served in the United States Marines.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Marco Chavez, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Marco Chavez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

D-1555-17

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Marco Antonio Chavez **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Cruelty to an Animal	Nov. 1997	Los Angeles	2 years

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

See Additional Information Pages attached

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

See Additional Information Pages attached

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

See Additional Information Pages attached

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Same for APP + PAQ

C. PARDON REQUEST

1. Explain why you want a pardon.

I am requesting a pardon because my 1997 conviction has kept me from becoming a U.S. citizen, and I would like to be able to return to the country I served as a United States Marine, where my entire family lives and that I consider my home. I was my parents' first child, born in Mexico, and was only an infant when they came with me to the United States. For 30 years, I didn't know any home other than California where I grew up, and where I started my own family after my honorable discharge from the Marines.

A pardon would let me reunite with my family, all of whom are U.S. citizens. My parents became citizens, and still live in my childhood home in Southgate. My younger brothers and sister were born citizens. They are able to share their lives with each other in ways that I can't long distance from Mexico. I haven't been able to be there for good times or bad. I have missed birthdays, family gatherings and holidays. I can't visit my 16-year-old niece, who was recently diagnosed with cancer, and is getting chemotherapy. I'm not there to support her mother, my only sister, through this hard time. Without citizenship, I won't be able to help my parents in their old age.

Without citizenship, I am really limited in how much I can repair my relationships with my three sons, which were severely damaged after my removal. My sons were all born U.S. citizens. Their mother, [redacted], and I started dating while I was still a Marine and about a year after my discharge, we started a family.[1] We worked hard and made huge sacrifices so our boys could have a good life and we could stay together as a family. At one point, I was working three jobs to support them.

When I was detained by immigration, I could no longer work, and my family suffered a lot. After many months of detention waiting for my removal hearing, we decided it would be better if I voluntarily departed so I could start earning money again to help support the family. But separating our family is something we didn't want and it didn't make sense financially. What I could earn in Mexico would not pay for the cost of living for my family if they were in California, so we decided that [redacted] and the kids would come to live with me in Mexico. For more than a year, we tried very hard to make it work, but things were too difficult for [redacted]. She is not Hispanic and spoke only a little Spanish, so she felt out of place in the community. I had a hard time finding steady work, so [redacted] ended up crossing back and forth across the border to a job in San Diego, which were very long days for her. She was also a young mother with three young kids, separated from her own friends and support. I know I was feeling isolated at the time, and she was too.

[1] Exhibit D includes pictures of me with my sons together, and at Chavez family events with [redacted], when we were all together in California.

Our relationship didn't survive. [redacted] and the kids went back to California. For a while after they moved back, [redacted] would bring the kids to Mexico to see me because I could not freely cross the border. But she was struggling too much on her own, and decided to move with the kids to Iowa so they could live with her mother. I was also struggling at that time to support myself in Mexico. Even If I had the money to travel to Iowa for visits, I did not have entry papers; I was effectively estranged from my family for a very long time.

In the last few years, my sons and I have worked to rebuild our relationships, long distance, by phone, texts and picture sharing. [redacted] and [redacted] are young adults now and [redacted] is 16. [redacted] my oldest, has a 1 year old son of his own, and another baby due in June. I am a grandfather now, and, sadly, I have only been able to see images of my grandson so far. My removal now impacts three generations of the Chavez family.[2] It made it impossible to be the son, brother and father I had been. I became more like a long, lost relative.

2. Explain why you think you should be granted a pardon.

I should be granted a pardon because, without one, I cannot get U.S. citizenship, and I will remain estranged from my family and banished from the country which I love and served. I have lived in Mexico for these years trying to be a good and productive person. I chose not to give up or live in resentment, because that would only be hurting myself more. But that doesn't change the fact that my removal was unjust, which to me is unAmerican.

When I was little, I didn't know I was different than my younger brothers and sisters, who were born citizens. We all went to the local public schools and played on local teams. I played percussion in the Southgate High marching band.[3] I was in my young teens when I learned I was not a citizen like my brothers and sisters, because I born in Mexico. But that knowledge didn't make me feel any less American and it didn't stop me from idolizing U.S. Special Forces or wanting to become a Marine.

Being born on the wrong side of the border didn't stop the Marine recruiters from accepting my application for early enlistment, during my senior year of high school. I generally did well in school and I was considering college, especially because I was good at science and my chemistry and music teachers thought I might be able to get a scholarship at USC and a spot in the Trojan Band. I took the SAT. But I had wanted to be a Marine for a long time. I was making the decision about my future in the fall and winter of my senior year, 1990-91, at the same time we were preparing for Operation

[2] Exhibit C includes letters from my parents and two of my brothers, in support of my application for a pardon. Exhibit D includes letters of support from my three sons.

[3] Exhibit C also includes pictures of me and my siblings, growing up in Southgate.

Desert Storm. What was happening in the Gulf, which involved many U.S. Marines being deployed, did not deter me. In fact, I signed up for Early Enlistment in January or February of 1991, which meant I was officially a Marine but my start date would be delayed until after my high school graduation.

My start date was delayed until October, 1991. By then, a cease-fire had been declared in the first Gulf war. I did boot camp at Camp Pendleton, and tried to be the best recruit I could be. I pushed myself to the limit in physical training. From hundreds of people in my company, I was chosen for the Iron Man award which is given to the most physically fit recruit in a company. At graduation, I also received the Rifle Expert Badge, for my rifle skills. Even though, as things turned out, I was not deployed to the Gulf, I served during years when it was possible, for which I received the National Defense Service Medal. I stayed at Camp Pendleton and was assigned to Supply Operations, faithfully carried out my duties for the term of my enlistment, and was honorably discharged in the fall of 1995.[4]

I have no criminal record except for the one conviction in 1997. I don't even have a juvenile record and no record in Mexico. In 1997, my brother (also an ex-Marine) and I were both implicated when a mixed-shepherd dog, I had often seen at an autoshop across the street from me, was injured. I was told it was walking around the shop the next day, but my brother and I were both tried and convicted for animal cruelty. I don't want to retry my case in this application, but I testified about my innocence at trial and should not have been convicted. I did not hurt that dog and would not hurt any dog. Our family had a pet dog for 14 years, and I have had a dog in Mexico. I did think that my testimony might help keep my brother out of more legal trouble, as he was on probation at the time for something unrelated. But we both got jail time. I received a two-year sentence and did not appeal it. So I actually ended up paying a debt to society that I didn't owe, but I must have paid it honorably because I was released for good behavior after serving 15 months. Serving the sentence would have been the end of it for any other American who actually committed their crimes, even worse crimes, even if they had never lifted a finger for their country. After I was released in 1999, I thought it was behind me, at least for the next three years.

I wasn't deported on my release. It wasn't until 2002 that I was flagged to immigration authorities. By then, I had already completed my 1-year parole, had my third son, and was working three jobs. San Diego PD officers brought me in for questioning after a man, who did not seem "right," accused me of trying to steal a radio that he had just tried to sell to my group of friends. At the station, I was told I was not going to be charged with anything and was being prepared for release, but then I was taken to a holding tank and was not released until INS officers arrived and took me into their custody. My

[4] Exhibit E includes my DD-214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty, covering the basics of my military service.

friends and family hired a lawyer to fight my removal. My employers gave statements on my behalf.[5] But, as I explained, I was detained for months waiting for my hearing. My family was suffering without my jobs, and we decided that I would leave voluntarily and my family would join me in Mexico. That made it seem more tolerable at the time.

I have had a job for as long as I have been able to, even as a teenager in California with a green card that I had since 1987. In Mexico, after struggling for a while to make due on the odd jobs I could find, I found steady employment at a call center. I leave at 5:15am so I can arrive by 7am on public transportation. In my free time, I have helped my neighbors with projects,[6] given chess instruction to get young people interested in the game, have volunteered to do repairs at a beach where I go to fish.[7] It is not the life I could have had in the U.S., but I am proud of myself for trying to live a decent life, after everything that happened. The Chavez family and my Marine family raised me that way. With or without the paper, I know I am a good American.

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[5] Exhibit B includes letters written by employers on my behalf, in my removal proceedings.

[6] Exhibit A includes letters from my longtime friends, who were among my neighbors in Mexico I have helped with repairs and other projects.

[7] Exhibit F includes recent pictures of me doing that volunteer work, and me with the friend who volunteered with me to do the necessary welding for the access stairs.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Dirk Elslie Christiansen

Dirk Elslie Christiansen, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 13, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation. He was discharged on July 13, 1993, having completed his sentence.

Dirk Elslie Christiansen has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Dirk Elslie Christiansen, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Dirk Elslie Christiansen a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: DIRK ELSLIE CHRISTIANSEN **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
11378	07-13-1990	Los Angeles	Suspended

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Possession of a Class I narcotic / sales of.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am coming to the end of my fire fighting career and am afraid w/out a pardon this may have a negative effect on my retirement. I also trap shoot for sport w/my son, I now have a grandson that is of age to join myself and his father in this sport and wish to continue being able to do this.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

Since the conviction I have put myself through school (college) to become a fire fighter / paramedic, was hired full time on 10-1-2000, I have lead a good life and have also given back to my community through volunteer work and donations.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Have not.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jack Ruot Chuol

Jack Ruot Chuol, a resident of Nebraska, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about January 7, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of using fraud to obtain aid. Specifically, Ms. Choul failed to report income she received while on public assistance. She served five years probation, and one day jail. She was discharged on January 7, 2004, having completed her sentence.

Jack Ruot Chuol has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Jack Ruot Chuol, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jack Ruot Chuol a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Jack Ruot Chuol **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Email Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. C[redacted]

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Welfare & Institutions Aid by Misrepresentation	07/08/1998	San Diego	- restitution $14,103.0 - 5 years probation - 250 hours community service - 1 day in jail

2. **Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

I was new in America and I was with my husband. I did not speak English at the time and because of my culture I relied a lot on my husband. I also heavily depended on my husband a lot because unlike me he could read and write and speak English. My husband is the one who applied and asked me to sign which I did I thought he was doing right. I realize now I was wrong.

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

This is the only problem I have ever had with the US. I took responsibility and paid back. I have done no other wrong since then. Instead I have done good. I have been going to school and have learnt English and can now read and write. My husband ran away back to Africa but I stayed and paid back and finished.

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):**

I am a good person. I promise never to do any other wrong and I can fulfil that promise because since 1998 I have not been in trouble again. I go to church. I have a job and I pay my own bills

5. **If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):**

I did not pay anyone for this.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

James P. Clarke

James P. Clarke, a resident of Texas, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 26, 1994, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation. He was discharged on June 26, 1997, having completed his sentence.

James P. Clarke has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, James P. Clarke, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James P. Clarke a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.)

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: JAMES P. CLARKE **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
H&S CODE 11378 - 3/18/94 - SAN DIEGO COUNTY, CHULA VISTA, CASE # SF85397, 6/28/94 - 3 YEARS FORMAL PROBATION, 180 DAYS IN A VA RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM, FINES/FEES			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

SEE ATTACHED, FORMAL LETTER TO GOVERNOR BROWN

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

SEE ATTACHED, FORMAL LETTER TO GOVERNOR BROWN

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

SEE ATTACHED, FORMAL LETTER TO GOVERNOR BROWN

5 If you have you paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

SEE ATTACHED, FORMAL LETTER TO GOVERNOR BROWN

Clarke

Alicia C. Freeze, Esq.
Attorney At Law

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September 29, 2016

Governor Edmund G. Brown *Via FedEx*
Attention: Legal Affairs
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

Re: ***Application for Executive Clemency for JAMES PETER CLARKE***

Offense:	Health & Safety Code section 11378, Possession of Controlled Substance for Sale
Date of Offense:	3/18/1994
Date of Plea:	5/17/1994
Date of Conviction:	6/28/1994
County:	San Diego
Branch:	South Bay (City of Chula Vista)
Case No.	SF 085397

Dear Governor Brown:

I write this letter in support of my Application for Executive Clemency. Please see the following detailed responses to the Application:

1. Conviction Summary

On or about March 18, 1994, I was arrested for violating Health & Safety Code section 11378, Possession of a Controlled Substance for Sale, and section 11377, Possession of a Controlled Substance. (See attached, San Diego Regional Arrest Report, **Exhibit A**.)

On or about April 5, 1994, I was formally charged with Count One, a violation of Health & Safety Code section 11378. (See attached, Felony Complaint, **Exhibit B**.)

On or about May 17, 1994, I accepted early responsibility for my actions and pleaded guilty to Count One. (See attached, Court Docket, **Exhibit C**.)

On June 28, 1994, in the Superior Court of California, County of San Diego, South County Division, in the City of Chula Vista, before the Honorable Jesus Rodriguez, I was sentenced to Probation, pursuant to Penal Code section 1203. Imposition of the sentence was suspended, and I was placed on formal probation for three (3) years. A county jail commitment was ordered for 180 days, stayed until July 28, 1994. Custody was stayed pending a review hearing regarding my acceptance into a residential drug treatment program. I was also ordered to pay a $200.00 court fine, a $200.00 restitution fine, and $888.00 in probation costs. (See attached, Court Docket and Order Granting Probation, **Exhibit D**.)

I was ordered to register pursuant to Health & Safety Code section 11590. (See attached, Notice of Registration Requirement, **Exhibit E**.)

I thereafter enrolled in, and successfully completed, a drug treatment program at the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center. (See attached letter, **Exhibit F**.)

On or about February 1, 2016, the Honorable Ana Espana granted my petition for dismissal, pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4. (See attached, Order Granting Petition for Dismissal, **Exhibit G**.)

I have remained law abiding since this conviction. I have dramatically altered my lifestyle since this incident and truly feel rehabilitated.

2. Circumstances of the Crime

I am a proud veteran of the United States Military. I was honorably discharged from the United States Army in 1978 after serving four (4) years. (See attached DD 214, **Exhibit H**.) The last unit I was stationed in was the Central Identification Laboratory in Hawaii. The mission was to search, recover and identify missing Americans from all previous conflicts. As you can imagine, working around all those remains had a profound affect on me, and still does to this day. I thereafter was honorably discharged from the Army and immediately joined the Army Reserve, where I remained for several years. (**Exhibit I**.) I was already headed down the path of destruction and addictive behavior. I was self-medicating with alcohol, sex and drugs. I was a functional-user. I worked different positions at the Navy Regional Medical Center, Naval Supply Center and the Naval Air Rework Facility. All positions came with a security clearance. Around this time, I was introduced to methamphetamine. It immediately took control of my life. It became the most important thing to me. Throughout my addiction, I tried to maintain my core values and my spirituality. However, I fell deeper into the addiction. Years went by. People came in and out of my life. I lost connection with my true friends and family members.

On March 18, 1994, when the police officers came and knocked on my door with the search warrant, they saved my life. I was sick and tired of being sick and tired. Truly. I was waiting for this day.

There was absolutely no use of violence. No weapons were found on my person or in the vehicle. I was forthright and readily confessed my wrongdoing in the early stages of the investigation. I took full responsibility for my actions, and pleaded guilty in an expeditious manner. I wanted it done. I wanted to move on with my life and get better - mentally, emotionally and physically.

I entered the court ordered drug rehabilitation program at the Veterans Affairs (VA) hospital in San Diego for inpatient care and was advised that my drug addiction was the least of my problems; I had major health issues. I was evaluated by the VA and deemed unemployable. Upon release from the program, I lived in a sober living facility for about a year, where I remained dedicated to my sobriety by working the 12-steps of Alcoholics Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous. I certainly was powerless, and my life was unmanageable. It was time to give it over to Him, to restore my sanity.

I still practice those principals to this day. I have been clean and sober for over 21 years.

I have gone through the VA for all my medical treatment since the drug treatment program. I have been treated for everything from cancer to mental health. I have been diagnosed with depression, [redacted] and [redacted] I am currently seeking treatment from the VA for Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD). Finally, after all these years, I am going in the right direction and getting the care I need.

Those officers knocking on my door over 20 years ago truly saved my life.

3. The Purpose for my Request for a Pardon

For the first time in over two (2) decades, I feel good. Since I went through the second round of a 26-week treatment in 2009 for [redacted] with positive results, and being cancer-free since 2007, my life has moved in a more positive direction mentally. Feeling both physically and mentally well has created opportunities and opened doors for me.

I have re-connected with my family. I would like to take my nephews hunting and show them my skills that I obtained in the Army, but I can't. There are also employment opportunities within reach that require state licensing, which I cannot obtain as a felon.

Ultimately, I just want to be forgiven.

As such, I respectfully request that my Pardon be granted so that I can be a better uncle, son, brother, friend, employee, and person.

4. Why I Should be Granted a Pardon

Before alcohol, drugs and sex, I was a proud young man fighting for this country. I received many awards and recognition. (See attached 23 awards, **Exhibit J**.) They include, but are not limited to, several Special Act Awards and Service Awards for my "can do" spirit; Employee of the Month at the Naval Air Rework Facility in North Island; Nine (9) Incentive Awards and Commendation; cash awards; and several Sustained Superior Performance Awards. I took pride in what I did, and I did it well.

My last mission in Hawaii, where I spent way too long recovering and identifying fallen soldiers, affected me in a deep way. The VA did not have the services it has now. PTSD was not spoken of. Depression was a bad word. So instead, I numbed my thoughts, feelings and nightmares. It almost killed me. Almost. (See attached medical report, **Exhibit K**.)

In August 1994, when I was admitted to the VA hospital for drug treatment. I learned that I had [redacted] and [redacted] that I was totally disabled and needed to be placed on disability. In 1995, I started treatment for [redacted] It took over a year for the VA to get the medication right, as I had a terrible reaction to everything they gave me. In 1997, I quit smoking cigarettes. Between 1998-1999, and 2000, I underwent surgery and treatment for cancer and radiation therapy.

In 2001, I felt well enough to start doing volunteer work at the El Paso, Texas VA Clinic. Unfortunately, in 2002, I fell and herniated a disc in my back.

In 2004, I started my first round of a 26-week treatment for the [redacted] which did not work. Nevertheless, I trudged on and was even elected a position on the Board of Directors of the Heights Users Water Association in Lake Roberts, New Mexico. I am still a Board Member, over ten (10) years later.

In April 2007, I again underwent surgery for cancer and then in December 2007 I was hospitalized for [redacted]. In 2009, I started the second round of the 26-week treatment for [redacted] with positive results. Since then, I have been on the upswing. In 2013, I became Master Gardener in El Paso, Texas. (See attached, **Exhibit L**.) Since 2014, I have become very involved with my family and helped my nephew start his farm and store.

Family has been a pillar in my life, and has kept me fighting, despite all the struggles and obstacles. I have attached several photos with my nieces and nephews and other family and friends. These people keep me holding on. (**Exhibit M**.) Their words of encouragement are a life line for me:

[redacted], my niece, writes, "*My uncle has also helped me become a better person.*"

[redacted], my niece, adds, "*There was a time in his life that was dark and he has since turned it into light.*" Her husband, [redacted], shares in the sentiment: "*One reason I can count on him is because he has chosen to live a sober life.*"

[redacted], my niece, notes, "*His actions and the love he has shown to his family and the people around him stems from a choice he made, a choice to live a better life not only for himself but for the people around him.*"

[redacted], a dear friend, writes, "*James has consciously developed himself into a respectful and admirable adult.*"

My brother-in-law, [redacted], says, "*I admire him for his work ethic, his good nature and willingness to help all.*"

My sister, [redacted], adds, "*He has spent the last 21 years gratefully serving and helping others. I am proud of the man my brother has become.*"

Neighbor [redacted] writes, "*Jim Clarke has come into our lives, and has made a positive impact in our lives just for the type of person that he is, and all who meet Jim Clarke will realize this from the moment they meet him.*"

The [redacted] family describes me as a "*well mannered and highly responsible individual showing exceptional concern for others.*"

[redacted], a neighbor, says, "*Jim is very responsible. He is a helpful, trustworthy individual that has given me good advice and simply being there to help if needed.*"

[redacted], friends, describe me as a "*honest and straightforward person.*"

My eldest niece, [redacted], notes, "*As an adult, I look back and realize that my uncle was a family member who was never afraid to stand up for family and fight for what was right.*"

[redacted], another niece, writes, "*Since leaving California my uncle made drastic changes to better his life and the life of his family members.*"

My nephew, [redacted], details his experience with me teaching him about gardening and plants, and says, "*In the past 30 years Uncle Jimmy has been positively involved in my life...*"

Neighbors [redacted] notes, "*He has shown himself to be a valued asset to his community through civic work and good example.*"

[redacted] receives his healthcare at the El Paso Veterans Clinic, where I volunteered. He says, "*Jimmy has helped me set up my vegetable garden to help me take my mind in a healthy direction and shares his knowledge volunteering with anyone in need.*"

Mr brother, [redacted], explains, "*I believe that James has shown by actions and deeds that he has changed his life for the better.*"

My sister, [redacted], indicates that "*Jimmy was able to turn his life around and be there for his entire family everyday.*"

My mother, [redacted], simply writes: "*Jimmy will do anything at any time for his family.*" She is certainly right.

(See attached letters, **Exhibit N.**)

5. Payment to Assist me in the Preparation of this Application

Law Office of Alicia C. Freeze, APC
Alicia C. Freeze, Esq. SBN 281268
3111 Camino Del Rio North, Suite 400
San Diego, California 92108
$1,000.00.

I wish to place this incident behind me and move forward. I am sincerely remorseful for my actions and regret my behavior in the past. I am a different person today than I was then. I take full responsibility for my poor decisions I made, and make it my goal every day to use my experience to help others in the community.

Respectfully Submitted,

James P. Clarke

JAMES P. CLARKE

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Roger Leo Clawson

Roger Leo Clawson, a resident of Idaho, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 26, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of receiving known stolen property. Specifically, Mr. Clawson purchased a stolen car for $450. He served three years probation. He was discharged on February 26, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Roger Leo Clawson has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Clawson reports that he volunteers with a local fraternal organization and supports other local charities.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Roger Leo Clawson, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Roger Leo Clawson a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Roger Leo Clawson Date of Birth: [redacted] Email Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including in any other states or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of Conviction(s):**	**Sentences(s):**
PC 496.1 Possession of Stolen Property: Felony	11/12-1987	San Diego	Felony Served time in jail

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

please see attachment

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

please see attachment

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attachment

. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):

N/A

Attachment – Application for Gubernatorial Pardon

Roger Leo Clawson
DOB: [redacted]
Offense: PC496.1

2. After my father's death in 1986, I moved to San Diego from Washington State to live with my sister. I desperately needed a car and had saved $450 for this purpose. I met a guy named "Rick Hamilton" at a bar on a Friday night, and he offered to sell me his car (Datsun B210) for $450 cash. I agreed and he gave me a bill of sale. "Rick" stated that he would meet me back at the bar on Sunday at which time he would provide me with the registration and title. I loaded the car with my belongings as my plan was to move back to Washington. I stayed in a motel nearby anticipating meeting up with Rick on Sunday. Saturday, after leaving my room, police officers surrounded me, told me to get out of the car and on the ground and arrested me for being in the possession of stolen property. Obviously the car was stolen, much to my dismay. I showed them my bill of sale, but they did not believe me and obviously thought I had forged it. I had a court appointed attorney who really provided no service to me.

3.

- I would like to travel outside the USA (Canada) prior to my death
- I would like to leave a better legacy for my family
- I would like to get my voting rights back
- I would like to potentially serve on a jury

4.

- This occurred almost 30 years ago
- I was naïve and trusted the wrong people due to losing my wife in a fatal car crash in 1983 and then losing my father in 1986 due to cancer
- I served my jail sentence
- I have never been in any trouble with the law prior to or after this conviction
- This was a non-violent crime
- I am 67 years old
- I am an honorably discharged Vietnam veteran
- I am in poor health (permanently and totally disabled) suffering from the ravages of Agent Orange
- My wife is disabled and we cannot afford to hire an attorney
- The warrant has been recalled (see attached)

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Debra Cochran

Debra Cochran, a resident of Oregon, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about July 26, 2004, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. She served one year, ten months probation, eight months prison, and one year parole. She was discharged on June 5, 2006, having completed her sentence.

Debra Cochran has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Debra Cochran, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Debra Cochran a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



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Edmund G. Brown Jr.

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Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Debra Cochran **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
See attached documentation			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached documentation

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached documentation

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

See attached documentation

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

n/a

[redacted] [redacted] Mar.24.2015 06:01 PM PAGE. 2/ 15

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVEE CLEMENCY(continued)

1. **List all prior convictions, including any in other states or counties.**

   Forgery 1

   November 3, 1988

   3 years' probation, $145.00 fine, 31 days jail

   Possession for sales

   July 31, 2001

   3 years' probation, 6 month Residential Treatment Program, (2 years' suspended sentence)

2. **Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation**

   During this time of my life, I was an irresponsible person, not a productive part of society. I was using drugs, which aided me in making bad choices and decisions. There are really no excuses for my actions. At the time, I did not realize or honestly even think about consequences. My life, my friends, my associations, and my lifestyle is very different in a positive way today.

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation.**

   I am going to school and earning an AA for Medical Assistant. I have been a Caregiver and a Certified Nurse Assistant in the state of California. I want to continue working as a Caregiver while going to school and have been offered a job in Oregon. In order to work for the Adult Foster Home, I have to get this Forgery 1 conviction

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pardoned. I want to continue to help support myself and also care for others. In the state of Oregon, the Forgery 1 conviction prevents me from doing so. Your assistance in this matter is sincerely appreciated.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation.

Today, I lead a drug, alcohol, and nicotine free lifestyle. I am involved in activities that help and encourage others to strive to do their best. I remember during the days I was self-destructing, wanting so bad not to be doing the things that I was doing. I didn't know how or honestly, maybe I didn't deep down really want to stop. I don't know anything for sure, except today, I am a new creation and my motives are right. My motives are to love others and share my blessings with them. Being a Caregiver is something I enjoy doing, always keeping in mind that the people we care for depend on us and they need loving care from loving people. Not everyone is capable of being a Caregiver, but I am. I am compassionate, caring, and I know the people who are in my care come first. When I finish school, I will be a Medical Assistant, but will always be a caregiver first. I believe I am an asset to any facility and their residents that I would be afforded the opportunity to work at. Please see attached supporting documentation.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Leroy Coker

Leroy Coker, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 24, 1996, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Tulare for the crimes of corporal injury to spouse and willful cruelty to a child. He served one year, five months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on April 20, 2001, having completed his sentence.

Leroy Coker has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Tulare, an order dated July 19, 2010, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Coker obtained his certification as a domestic violence counselor and worked for several years with inmates at a state prison. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Leroy Coker has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Leroy Coker a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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BY:

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TULARE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF

LEROY COKER,*

For a Certificate of Rehabilitation and Pardon

CR. NO. VCF 031341-96
P-15575-10

DOB: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of LEROY COKER, presently residing at [redacted] heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing this 2nd day of June, 2010, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of conviction, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civic and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code § 4852.15); and that petitioner has once been convicted of a felony:

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed. *And this Court does hereby order adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all civic and political rights of citizenship (except as provided for in Penal Code §4852.15), and by virtue thereof this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant full pardon to said petitioner.*

Done in open Court this 19 day of ~~June~~ July 2010

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

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Executive Department

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PARDON

Rick James Cole

Rick James Cole, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 18, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of inflicting injury upon a child. He served five years probation. He was discharged on January 18, 1996, having completed his sentence.

Rick James Cole has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Cole reports that he volunteers with an organization that seeks to improve the homes and lives of low-income homeowners.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Rick James Cole, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Rick James Cole a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



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ATTEST:

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Rick James Cole **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Corporal injury to child Case # MA002042	10-14-90	Los Angeles	1 day Served 5 yrs probation Released 02-1996

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached sheet

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached sheet

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please see attached sheet

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

June 27, 2015

Office of Governor
State of California

RE: Rick James Cole
[redacted]
Case: MA002042

Application of Executive Clemency continued:

Page 1, Part 2

While outside playing with my daughter, [redacted] age 4 [redacted] the victim, did laugh and tease her about her new bathing suit. This caused [redacted] to become upset and cry. [redacted] then ran back inside the house to hide.

[redacted] is developmentally disabled which made the situation worse.

Instead of responding appropriately I reacted poorly, slapping the victim, open handed, along the side of his head. This caused damage to his ear in the form of a perforated eardrum.

I immediately regretted my actions, and have been ashamed of them for the last 25 years.

Page 1, Part 3

I am requesting a pardon / executive clemency because after 25 years I would like not to have this conviction define me as a man.

I am a father, legally adopting [redacted] a few years after this incident.

I am a grandfather of two with partial custody of one grandson, [redacted]. I am actively involved in my grandchildren's lives. I regularly shuttle them to / from swim lessons, football practices, rehearsals or any other activity they may be required to attend.

I am also divorced and know I must be honest with whoever I become involved with. I would like to change the statement of, "I am a convicted felon" to "I have a pardoned felony conviction".

Page 1, Part 4

Since my arrest and conviction I successfully completed 5 years probation, being released from it in 1996. I have also remained out of trouble, having no other dealings with law enforcement.

I am gainfully employed, working for [redacted]

I truly regret my actions and have done everything to ensure I do not repeat them.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Craig Richard Coley

In the early morning hours of November 11, 1978, Rhonda Wicht was beaten and strangled to death in her apartment. Her 4-year-old son, Donald, was smothered and died of asphyxia in his bed. Craig Coley, a former boyfriend of Ms. Wicht, was arrested and charged with these heinous crimes. Mr. Coley was tried twice; the first trial resulted in a hung jury and he was convicted by the jury at his second trial. On February 26, 1980, the Ventura County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Coley to life without the possibility of parole for two counts of first degree murder with special circumstances. His conviction was affirmed on appeal and several petitions for habeas corpus failed.

Mr. Coley has been incarcerated for more than 38 years and he is now 70 years old. He petitioned for clemency on the basis of factual innocence. In September 2015, I requested the Board of Parole Hearings to conduct an investigation. During that investigation, a former police detective, police captain, and police officer reported that they believed Mr. Coley was wrongfully convicted and opined that the detective who originally investigated the matter mishandled the investigation or framed Mr. Coley. The Simi Valley Police Department and Ventura County District Attorney's Office subsequently initiated an investigation into the integrity of Mr. Coley's conviction and have recently concluded, based on their investigation and DNA testing, that Mr. Coley is innocent. Although the District Attorney's office originally opposed clemency, now the District Attorney and Chief of Police support Mr. Coley's petition for clemency. They write that they "no longer have confidence in the weight of the evidence used to convict Mr. Coley" and that the current evidence "would meet the legal standard for a finding of factual innocence."

Mr. Coley had no criminal history before being arrested for these crimes and he has been a model inmate for nearly four decades. In prison, he has avoided gangs and violence. Instead, he has dedicated himself to religion. The grace with which Mr. Coley has endured this lengthy and unjust incarceration is extraordinary.

I grant this pardon because Mr. Coley did not commit these crimes. I direct the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to immediately release Mr. Coley from prison. It is my hope that any and all individuals responsible for the murder of Rhonda and Donald Wicht are brought to justice.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Craig Coley a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of November, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Craig Richard Coley **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
187 PC	11/11/1978	Ventura	LWOP

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Two people were murdered and I was wrongfully convicted due to a detective that destroyed exonerating evidence.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

The crimes were not committed by me and had the detective not destroyed the exonerating evidence (including semen and hair) the real suspect(s) could have been apprehended. Then Simi Valley Police Detective [redacted] [redacted] can elaborate on this information.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I have been a model prisoner despite my wrongful conviction. The victim's family, the District Attorney's office in 2011, and even the judge from the first trial are aware of the issues and my unwaivering fight to seek justice.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

NO

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Rebecca Sarah Collins

Rebecca Sarah Collins, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about October 15, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mariposa for the crimes of perjury, grand theft of property, and committing fraud to obtain aid. Specifically, Ms. Collins failed to report income she received while she was on public assistance. She served three years probation. She was discharged on October 15, 1995, having completed her sentence.

Rebecca Sarah Collins has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mariposa, an order dated June 22, 2015, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed Ms. Collins reports that she is a local leader for a nationally recognized organization for girls, and that teaches Sunday school at her local church. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Rebecca Sarah Collins has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Rebecca Sarah Collins a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARIPOSA
Applicant's County of Residence

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In the Matter of the Application of

Rebecca Sarah Collins
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

CR-248-15

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
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Criminal Case Number(s) 1234
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Rebecca Sarah Collins, presently residing [redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 22nd day
Day of the Month

of June 2015 and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on October 15th 1995, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 2 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 22nd day of June 2015
Day of the Month — Month, Year

F. DANA WALTON, JUDGE
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 7/2/98)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Karen Lee Constantine

Karen Lee Constantine, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about April 14, 1987, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crimes of grand theft of property, making false entries in records, and theft of public records or documents. Specifically, Ms. Constantine stole money while working as a cashier for a local government entity. She served five years probation, and 270 days jail. She was discharged on April 14, 1992, having completed her sentence.

Karen Lee Constantine has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated September 22, 2016, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Karen Lee Constantine has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Karen Lee Constantine a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:

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LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT

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Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By _____, Deputy
B. Perez

Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

Karen Lee Constantine

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number: [redacted]

Certificate Case Number: A808481

Criminal Case Number(s): A808481

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition is presently residing at:

[redacted]

Heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on 9/22/16.

And proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 4/14/1992.

That, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 22 day of 22, 2016

James R. Brandlin
Judge of the Superior Court – TYPED or Printed

Judge of the Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Stacy Lee Cooper

Stacy Lee Cooper, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about September 9, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kings for the crime of selling a controlled substance to a person in prison custody. She served one year prison and one year, one month parole. She was discharged on October 31, 2000, having completed her sentence.

Stacy Lee Cooper has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated January 24, 2008, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Stacy Lee Cooper has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Stacy Lee Cooper a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPE[illegible]R COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFO

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Stacy Lee Cooper

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number BA327095

Criminal Case Number(s) 98CM7349 Kings County

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John A. Clarke, Executive Officer/Clerk

By _____, Deputy

JOSEPH M. PULIDO S.C.C.
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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of Stacy Lee Cooper presently residing at

[redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on January 24, 2008

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled October 1, 1999

that, where appropriate, petitioner has btained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 24 day of 01/08
Day of the Month Month, Year

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT LOS ANGELES COUNTY CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Carlos Cornelius

Carlos Cornelius, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 2, 1982, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Mr. Cornelius participated in the robbery of the same store on three occasions. He served one year, nine months with the California Youth Authority, and one year, eleven months parole. He was discharged on January 10, 1986, having completed his sentence.

Carlos Cornelius has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated November 14, 1996, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Cornelius works as a special education assistant, and is active in his church. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Carlos Cornelius has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Carlos Cornelius a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Form 3 (Revised 7/83)
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

CARLOS CORNELIUS
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO.: BA116005

CII No.: [redacted]

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of Carlos Cornelius presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 17th day of October, 1996, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole ~~or probation~~ on January 30, 1984, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) ~~(twice)(thrice)~~ convicted of a felony:

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said peitioner.

Done in open court this 14th day of November, 1996

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

(Judge of said Superior Court)

This form prepared under the direction of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Francis Christopher Cornett

Francis Christopher Cornett, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 18, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Marin, for the crime of planting or cultivating marijuana. He served three years probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on July 18, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Francis Christopher Cornett has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Marin, an order dated April 5, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Francis Christopher Cornett has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Francis Christopher Cornett a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Attorney for Defendant FRANCIS CHRISTOPHER CORNETT

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JAMES M. KIM, Court Executive Officer
MARIN COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
By: V. Johanson
V. Johanson

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF MARIN

The People of the State of California,

Plaintiff,

v.

FRANCIS CHRISTOPHER CORNETT,

[redacted]

Defendant

Case No.: SC010678A

Amended.
~~[PROPOSED]~~ CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Date:

Time:

Dept.:

THIS INSTRUMENT IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE
Attest: APR - 7 2016
KIM TURNER, Court Executive Officer
MARIN COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
By: V. Johanson, Deputy
V. Johanson

The petition of FRANCIS CHRISTOPHER CORNETT (the defendant's full and true name,) date of birth [redacted], presently residing at [redacted] heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on 4/7/16, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to petitioner's completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon petitioner's release on parole or probation on July 18, 1991, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief

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pursuant to Pen. Code, § 1203.4 and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Pen. Code, § 4852.15); and that petitioner has been once convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, and this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Pen. Code, § 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 4-5-16

Judge of the Superior Court

MARIN COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT EUREKA CALIFORNIA

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Edward D. Corral

Edward D. Corral, a resident of Florida, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 28, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, for the crime of attempted robbery. He served three years probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on March 28, 1994, having completed his sentence.

Edward D. Corral has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Edward D. Corral, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Edward D. Corral a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Edward P Corral **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. [redacted]

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
See Attached			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):
SEE Attached

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):
SEE Attached

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):
SEE Attached

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):
no one

Corral

Why I Think I Should Be granted a Pardon

Ive Been Clean and Sober For YEARS. I won't EVER Return To That life style OF Misery.

I Have a Girlfriend and Step daughter to Support and Help in life.

I Have Mortgage. Car Payments. Insurance. and all The other Requirements in life.

I want to try in life To improve and This is one OF my goals to SEEK This pardon

You Can take a look at my present Background and SEE The last Time I was in Trouble was YEARS AGO.

PLEASE give ME A Chance

Edward Corral

Corral

July 24, 2016

To Whom It May Concern:

I have come a long way from my younger years and have tried and continue to make every effort possible to improve myself. One of the most important things is to seek a pardon. In the world we live in today, in order to climb the ladder of success, you need to educate and improve yourself in all ways. This includes seeking a pardon. A lot of jobs are asking for a background check and even though a criminal past might be long ago, they can still base their decisions on what you have done to try to improve yourself. I seek this pardon because I have greatly changed my life and I am still striving to better my life. My responsibilities have changed greatly and the things that are important in my life have changed as well. I would like to further educate myself in the medical field. I have done many things through the court system to try and lower my old charges. Pease take into consideration the things that I have done to better myself. Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

Edward Corral

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Ronald Crump

Ronald Crump, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 17, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crimes of false imprisonment, preventing a victim from reporting a crime, battery of a cohabitant, exhibiting a deadly weapon other than a firearm, vandalism or damage to property, and damage to power lines. He served two years, eight months probation, and 230 days jail. He was discharged on August 16, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Ronald Crump has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated August 25, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Crump is active in his church and is the treasurer of a beekeeper club. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Ronald Crump has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Ronald Crump a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
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AUG 25 2015
CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
BY Cynthia C. Pope DEPUTY

In the Matter of the Application of
Ronald Crump
Petitioner's full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth: [redacted]
CII Number: n/a
Criminal Case Number(s): 00WF1789

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
(Penal Code § 4852.13)

CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 1493243

The petition of Ronald Crump (Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable), presently residing [redacted] (Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code), requesting a a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on 8/25/15 (Date) and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on November 17, 2000 (Month Day, Year), that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been one (1) (Total Number of Felony Convictions) time(s) convicted of an eligible offense;

The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 8/25/15

ROBERT B. WESTBROOK
Judicial Officer - TYPED or PRINTED

Judicial Officer - SIGNATURE

ROBERT B. WESTBROOK

This form was prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Scott Ross Dalla

Scott Ross Dalla, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 22, 1994, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crime of transporting a controlled substance, and criminal conspiracy. He served one year, one months prison, and two years parole. He was discharged on February 25, 1998, having completed his sentence.

Scott Ross Dalla has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2. inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated October 13, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Scott Ross Dalla has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Scott Ross Dalla a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA CR-437-15

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

SCOTT ROSS DALLA
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, 0 applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) R257270
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
BY DEVIN McLEOD DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Scott Ross Dalla, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicants Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, 0 applicable
Type Applicants Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 13th day
Day of the Month
of October 2015 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 07/09/1993, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
Month Day, Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been once
Total Number of Felony Convictions

time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and **Decreed,** *And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.*

Done in open court this 13th day of October 2015
Day of the Month Month, Year

J. RICHARD DISTASO
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

J. RICHARD DISTASO
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 2/20/01) This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

John Lewis Davis-Love

John Lewis Davis-Love, a resident of Tennessee, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 9, 1971, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of transporting, manufacturing, or selling dangerous drugs. He served five years probation, and six months jail. He was discharged on August 9, 1976, having completed his sentence.

John Lewis Davis-Love has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, John Lewis Davis-Love, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to John Lewis Davis-Love a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

Davis-Love

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Office of the Governor
State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN BLUE OR BLACK INK

I.
APPLICANT INFORMATION
To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
Love	John	Lewis

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	N/A

Current Residence

Address	Apt, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
[redacted]	

City	State	Zip Code
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

☐ Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01	☐ Commutation of current sentence	☐ Pardon based upon innocence
☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome	☐ Compassionate Release	✓ Other

Why are you requesting clemency?

Clemency is being requested because the time was served for offense and I have no prior convictions.

Davis-Love

Conviction Information

Commitment Offense			
of offense	Date of conviction	Arresting agency	County of conviction
05-25-71	06-10-71	Pomona Police	Los Angeles
Superior court case number	Your trial attorney's name and address	Sentence	If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any?
41527	N/A	6 mos	N/A

Did you appeal your case? ☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes, appellate case number and status of case:

Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Current Attorney Information

Davis Love

Are you currently represented by an attorney? ☐ Yes ☑ No

s, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number:

First and last name: N/A	Telephone number:
Address:	

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? ☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number:

First and last name:	Telephone number:
Address:	

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE
Complete this section if you are presently in prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.

Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency:

N/A

Your current physician's name:	Physician's telephone number:
Physician's address:	

Have you applied to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation or the Board of Parole Hearings for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? ☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes, what was the result?

Davis-Lora

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION

Complete this section if you have completed your sentence, you are requesting clemency based upon rehabilitation and you are not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Give a brief account of your offense.

My offense is that I have been a law abiding citizen for Fourty years.

Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration.

Worked for the school prison ordering transcripts for inmates.

Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you)

N/A

When were you discharged from probation or parole?

Probation ended approximately 06-75

Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release.

Worked up until retirement.

Why you are requesting a pardon?

Time has been served, and, I have been a outstanding law abiding citizen for Fourty years that's why I'm requesting a unconditional pardon.

Davis-Love

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered **after** conviction and explain its importance.

N/A

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

N/A

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

N/A

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

N/A

[illegible] evidence presented at trial

N/A

[illegible] you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

N/A

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this section if you are currently under sentence and requesting clemency for any reason not covered above.

Explain why you are requesting clemency.

N/A

Have you sought relief from the courts?

Yes sought relief by expungement of record through the court.

III
NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Penal Code section 4804 requires that you give the district attorney of the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon. You must complete the attached form and mail it to the district attorney **before** you submit this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each district attorney must be given notice.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the district attorney of the county of Los Angeles (Name of county) ***with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon, as required by Penal Code section 4804***

John L Jones (Applicant's signature) 8-18-11 (Date signed)

IV
DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This Application for Clemency may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code Section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the forgoing is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in denial of my application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

John L Jones (Applicant's signature) 8-18-11 (Date signed)

Davidson

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR CLEMENCY

This notice is submitted pursuant to Penal Code section 4804

the District Attorney of Los Angeles County:
county of conviction

Please take notice that I, John L Love, was convicted of the crime of
first, middle and last name of applicant

4152.7 committed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California,
offense and penal code section — county of conviction

convicted on 06-10-71 and sentenced to 1 year, served 6 mos
date — sentence

I will submit an application to the Governor of the State of California requesting a

- ☐ Pardon based upon rehabilitation
- ☐ Commutation of current sentence
- ☐ Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Compassionate release
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☒ Other

If other, briefly explain:
Pleaded no contest, time served.

John Lewis Love
Full Name of Applicant – TYPED or PRINTED

John L Love
Applicant's Signature

9-18-11
Month, Day, Year

[redacted]
Applicant's Street Address

[redacted]
Applicant's City, State, Zip Code

This Section to be Completed by District Attorney Only

State of California

County of _____ } *SS.*

I, _____ *District Attorney of the County of* _____

State of California, do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____
Name of Applicant

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a Traditional Pardon.

[Signed] _____

District Attorney of the County of _____

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Dylan Todd Dearborn

Dylan Todd Dearborn, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 6, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale while armed with a firearm. He served seven months probation, eleven months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on August 31, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Dylan Todd Dearborn has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, an order dated October 16, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Dylan Todd Dearborn has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Dylan Todd Dearborn a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
Applicant's County of Residence

CR-346-15

In the Matter of the Application of

DYLAN TODD DEARBORN
Type Applicant's Full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

SRD1510
Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) CD131614
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Clerk of the Superior Court

OCT 16 2015

By: K. CERSOSIMO, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of DYLAN TODD DEARBORN, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 16TH day
Day of the Month

of OCTOBER, 2015 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the
Month, Year

Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation

on AUGUST 31, 1999, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
Month Day, Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1F time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provide in Penal Code Section 4852.15). and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 16th day of October, 2015
Day of the Month — Month, Year

DAVID M. GILL
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Raul Felipe Dehogues

Raul Felipe Dehogues, a resident of Florida, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 9, 1984, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crimes of possession of controlled substances and driving under the influence. He served three years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on October 9, 1987, having completed his sentence.

Raul Felipe Dehogues has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Raul Felipe Dehogues, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Raul Felipe Dehogues a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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GOVERNORS OFFICE
LEGAL AFFAIRS

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, CA 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: RAUL FELIPE DEHOGUES Date of Birth: [redacted] Email Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including in any other states or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of Conviction(s):	Sentences(s):
POSSESION NARCOTIC SUBSTANCE	10/9/83	LOS ANGELES	90 DAYS COUNTY JAIL
POSSESION CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	"	"	+3 YRS. PROBATION
[redacted]			

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I WAS 42 YRS. OLD AND ALSO ADDICTED TO ALCOHOL + COCAINE
HAD AN ACCIDENT WHILE DRIVING (WHICH I HAVE BEEN DEEPLY
SORRY SINCE)

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I HAVE BEEN CLEAN AND SOBER FOR OVER 30 YEARS NOW, AND
OBEYED ALL LAWS WITH NO PROBLEMS. ATTENDED AA FOR
SEVERAL YEARS. I RETIRED IN 2003 AND MOVED TO FLORIDA IN 2005
I HAVE MADE AMMENDS TO THE PEOPLE I HURT WITH MY ACTIONS.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I AM NOW 75 YRS. OLD + RECENTLY DIAGNOSED WITH [redacted], WHICH
COULD BE A PRECURSOR TO [redacted]. WITH YOUR CLEMENCY, WOULD
LIKE TO LEAVE THIS WORLD, AND MY KIDS + GRANDKIDS, WITHOUT
A "CONVICTED FELON" LABEL. I IMPLORE YOUR MERCY + GOD BLESS.

If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):

— NONE —

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Frank A. DeLaRosa

Frank A. DeLaRosa, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 16, 1997, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Butte, for the crime of arson of structure or forest land. Specifically, Mr. DeLaRosa started a grass fire. He served four years probation, and 158 days jail. He was discharged on September 16, 2001, having completed his sentence.

Frank A. DeLaRosa has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Butte, an order dated September 2, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Frank A. DeLaRosa has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Frank A. DeLaRosa a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN TH SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIF NIA

CR-284-15

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Butte

Applicant's County of Residence

CM043321

In the Matter of the Application of

Frank A DeLaRosa

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) CM009153

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Kimberly Flener, Clerk

By Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Frank Albert Delarosa, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 2nd day of September, 2015 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on January 27, 1998, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 2nd day of September.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Tamara Mostrong

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 4/26/07)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Bob William DeMonte

Bob William DeMonte, a resident of Arizona, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 24, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale while armed with a firearm. He served three years probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on June 24, 1996, having completed his sentence.

Bob William DeMonte has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated August 29, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Bob William DeMonte has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Bob William DeMonte a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Bob William DeMonte

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number PA012189

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) PA 012189

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT

AUG 29 2016

Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk

By M. Seals Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Bob William DeMonte, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 29th day of August 2016 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on June 23, 1996, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 29TH day of AUGUST 2016

Day of the Month

Month, Year

James R. Brandlin

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

FORM 3 (Revised 8/2001)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Dennis Wayne Dempster

Dennis Wayne Dempster, a resident of Montana, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 11, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Contra Costa, in separate cases, for the crimes of burglary and attempted burglary. He served three years probation. He was discharged on February 11, 1995, having completed his sentence.

Dennis Wayne Dempster has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Placer, an order dated October 3, 2013, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Dempster is active in a competitive archery club that sponsors many family and charitable events. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

The Board of Parole Hearings received and reviewed Mr. Dempster's pardon application and related materials pursuant to California Penal Code section 4802, and recommended him for a pardon on February 22, 2017. Mr. Dempster also received a recommendation for a pardon by a majority of the justices of the Supreme Court of California, received on July 13, 2017, as required by article V, section 8 subdivision (a) of the California Constitution.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Dennis Wayne Dempster has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Dennis Wayne Dempster a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PLACER

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

DENNIS WAYNE DEMPSTER

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) 62-123816 (Certificate Case No.) 05-901835-1; 05-912256-5 (Comes Cases)

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Superior Court of California
County of Placer

OCT 03 2013

Jake Chatters
Executive Officer & Clerk
By: C. Juliot, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of DENNIS WAYNE DEMPSTER, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 3 day of October, 2013 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 2/11/95, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 2 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 3rd day of October 2013.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

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Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED OR PRINTED

Mark S. Curry

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (*Revised 7/2/94*) *This form was prepared by the Rehabilitation Evaluation Division, Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.16.*

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA EUREKA COUNTY OF PLACER

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Steven Daniel Denison

Steven Daniel Denison, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 14, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Calaveras for the crime of driving under the influence with prior specific convictions. He served two years, eight months probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on June 6, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Steven Daniel Denison has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Calaveras, an order dated June 10, 2013, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Denison is active in his church and holds bible study groups with jail inmates. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Steven Daniel Denison has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Steven Daniel Denison a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SU. .RIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF C. FORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CALAVERAS

Applicant's County of Residence

e Matter of the Application of

STEVEN DANIEL DENISON

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) F2112

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CALAVERAS COUNTY COURT
Clerk of Court
, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of STEVEN DANIEL DENISON , presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted] , heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 10TH day

Day of the Month

of JUNE, 2013 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on JUNE 6, 2002 , that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONE time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE
JUN 17 2013
Clerk of the Court
Superior Court of California
County of Calaveras
By , Deputy

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 10TH day of JUNE, 2013

Day of the Month Month, Year

HONORABLE JUDGE JOHN E. MARTIN

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Joseph Angelo Destefano

Joseph Angelo Destefano, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 17, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served six years probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on November 17, 2001, having completed his sentence.

Joseph Angelo Destefano has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of El Dorado, an order dated March 9, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Joseph Angelo Destefano has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Joseph Angelo Destefano a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

JOSEPH ANGELO DESTEFANO
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 94F07734
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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BY (DEPUTY)

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of JOSEPH ANGELO DESTEFANO, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 9th day
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of March, 2016 and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on October 9,2001, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 9th day of March, 2016
Day of the Month — Month, Year

Nelson K. Brooks
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (*Revised 7/6/2005*)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18

NELSON KEITH BROOKS

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Richard Allen Deveau

Richard Allen Deveau, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 26, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Fresno for the crime of evading a peace officer with disregard to safety. He served four months prison, ten months parole, three years, ten months probation, and 240 days jail. He was discharged on May 9, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Richard Allen Deveau has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Fresno, an order dated June 10, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Deveau has obtained his certification as a substance abuse counselor. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Richard Allen Deveau has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Richard Allen Deveau a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF FRESNO

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

RICHARD ALLEN DEVEAU
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number 16CRRP683217

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) F97907984-9
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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FRESNO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
By [signature] DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of RICHARD ALLEN DEVEAU, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 10TH day
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on NOVEMBER, 2003, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 10TH day of JUNE, 2016
Day of the Month — Month, Year

WENT HAMLIN
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

[signature]
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF FRESNO

FORM 3 (Revised 6/10/16)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Bryan Keith Dobbs

Bryan Dobbs, a resident of Nevada, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 6, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and three days jail. He was discharged on April 6, 1998, having completed his sentence.

Bryan Dobbs has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Bryan Dobbs, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Bryan Dobbs a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: BRYAN KEITH DOBBS **Date of Birth** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
See attached Doc			
[redacted]	9/7/16		

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary): Please see attached

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary): See attached

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary): See attached

5 If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

See attached

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Governor Edmund G. Brown
Attention: Legal Affairs
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

Via Certified Mail
7009 2820 0001 4473 5561

Re: ***Application for Executive Clemency for Bryan Keith Dobbs***
Offense: *California Health & Safety Code section 11352(a),* Sale or Transportation of a Controlled Substance
Date of Offense: 7/8/1992
Date of Conviction: 2/7/1995
County: San Diego
Branch: Central
Case No.: CR140772

April 25, 2016

Dear Governor Brown:

I write this letter in support of my Application for Executive Clemency. Please see the following detailed responses to the Application:

1. Conviction Summary

On or about July 8, 1992, I was arrested for violating *California Health & Safety Code section 11352, subsection (a)*, Sale or Transportation a Controlled Substance. On or about February 7, 1995, I plead guilty, in the Superior Court of California, County of San Diego, of a single count of *Health & Safety Code section 11352, subsection (a)*, and was sentenced to three (3) days custody with credit for three (3) days served, and thirty-six months (3 years) formal probation in case no. CR140772.

I thereafter complied with all terms and conditions of probation and paid all required fines and fees. On or about December 13, 1996, my formal probation was converted to summary probation. My probation terminated on February 7, 1998. I have remained law abiding since this conviction. I have dramatically altered my lifestyle since this incident and truly feel rehabilitated.

On January 06, 2016, the Honorable David M. Szumowski of the San Diego County Superior Court, granted my request for an Expungement pursuant to *California Penal Code section 1203.4.* (Please see attached, **Exhibit A "Petition for Dismissal/Superior Court Minute Order."**

2. Circumstances of the Crime

At the time of this offense, I was in my 20's, young, and trying to transition from my part-time job to a full-time music career. My business partner at the time was [redacted] known professionally as [redacted]. [redacted] and I had been offered a brand new record contract with [redacted] and I was deciding whether to leave my job to embark on this new opportunity. At the time, it was crucial for us to attend a music convention in Atlanta, Georgia. While I had enough money to cover my expenses, [redacted] did not. In order to help my business partner and in hopes of furthering our music dreams, I agreed to accompany an acquaintance, [redacted], down to Oceanside to "watch his back" for $200.00. While we were in Oceanside, [redacted] introduced me to a girl named [redacted] and told me that she sold drugs for him. One evening, [redacted] asked me to take a bag to [redacted]e and offered to give me $500.00 for doing him this favor. Once again I agreed and completed the task asked of me.

Once I was apprehended by the police enforcement, I took full responsibility for my actions and pled guilty to the charge in an expeditious manner. There was absolutely no use of violence, and no weapons were used or found on me. I was forthright and readily confessed my wrongdoing in the early stages of the investigation and plead guilty to my crime. I take full responsibility for my actions and acknowledge my mistake.

3. The Purpose for my Request for a Pardon

I am ashamed of my past mistakes, and want to put them behind me and move forward. Since this incident, I have had three (3) beautiful children with my wife, and have opened two (2) successful community-based businesses. Two of my children are now in college and one will be starting soon. I want to show my family and my community that I am a better person than I was then, that I have learned from my mistakes, and that I am now a positive role model for all those around me. I want to show the world that I am a changed man.

Since 1995, I have continued to work diligently at my career and passion - producing music. I produced several platinum selling albums with [redacted], as well as toured all seven (7) continents performing and playing with some of the world's biggest bands.

I now own a recording studio in Las Vegas, Nevada, and started a company that refurbishes homes in low-income neighborhoods. It is vital for me as a business owner to have a clean record. Even with an expungement, I am still disappointed with myself that I have not done enough to put this behind me. I have lost a portion of my rights and I truly regret it. With a Governor's Pardon, I feel that not only will I know that I have explored every recourse, but I can also show to my business partners and my community that I am truly rehabilitated. It is just one more step I can take to show that I have changed for the better.

4. Why I Should be Granted a Pardon

Immediately after my conviction, I made it my goal to pursue my budding music career, to focus on my family, to give back to my community, and to dedicate myself to living a moral life. I feel that I have been successful in all these endeavors.

After my conviction, I professionally produced a platinum selling and grammy-award winning music artist, [redacted]. I then had the amazing opportunity to travel internationally with him on a world tour pursuing my passion in producing music. In 2013, I attended the Art Institute of Las Vegas to study sound recording technology. I now own my own recording studio in Las Vegas. I continue to pursue my passion in producing music while also focusing on new endeavors within my community.

I have also recently started a new community-based business, [redacted], which is committed to the beautification of low- income communities in Nevada. [redacted] refurbishes homes in neighborhoods that lack the economic resources to take care of the everyday upkeep necessary of personal property. Once every home has been inspected and completed, we offer subsidized housing rentals. We also offer incentive programs for special need patients and physically challenged individuals. My work with [redacted] is truly rewarding and a way for my to give back to my community.

I am also married with three children. Two of my children are now in college and the third will start soon. I always strive to be a positive role model and asset to my family and constantly preach to them that it is ones self-obligation to make good moral decisions and to maintain accountability. I am very proud of my children and my family and hope to continue inspiring them to achieve their goals.

I have several friends and co-workers who can speak of my excellent character and worthiness to be granted this final step in my rehabilitation. I have included for your review three (3) letters from individual I feel know me best, attached as **Exhibit B "Letter from [redacted]," Exhibit C "Letter from [redacted]," and Exhibit D "Letter from [redacted]**. Below please find excerpts of their kind words:

1. [redacted], a close friend for over thirty years and godfather to Mr. Dobb's first born child, writes: "*Over the years, Mr. Dobbs has demonstrated that family, loyalty, trustworthiness, hard work ethics, values and good morals are the foundation of his [Mr. Dobbs'] character.*" He further states: "*[Mr. Dobbs'] has demonstrated that he cares for not only his immediate family, but also his community. He works hard, he is a family man, and is a[n] asset to our community.*"

2 [redacted] and Mr. Dobbs first cousin writes: "*Bryan is someone I can definitely count on for business, personal, and creative ideas. Due to his positive mentorship and aggressive efforts, Mr. Dobbs contributed significantly in helping our organization establish itself on a national/international business level.*" He also adds, "*Bryan Dobbs is continuously helping others on any other type of personal matter that could possibly make a significant difference in a person's life.*"

3. [redacted] D., states: "*Despite [his] setback, Bryan consciously chose to make the best of his remaining opportunities and set course to pursue them without excuses. In the subsequent years, after his musical successes, (...) he has shown me personally, that he has persevered with his character intact and in many ways deserves respect, admiration, and repentance for an offense for which he certainly has had regret.*" [redacted] goes on to explain: "*Family, work, and leading a purpose driven lifestyle has consumed all of [Mr. Dobbs'] choices from that one bad moment in time.*"

I live with the shame of my conviction every day. I wish to place this incident behind me and move forward. I am sincerely remorseful for my actions and regret my behavior in the past. Since my arrest, I have rigorously worked toward my goals, and entered into a more positive lifestyle, surrounded by good friends and supportive family. I am a different person today than I was then. I take full responsibility for my poor decisions made as a younger man, and make it my goal every day to use my past life experiences to help others in the community. I feel truly rehabilitated, and as such, I respectfully request my Application for a Pardon to be granted.

5. Payment to Assist me in the Preparation of this Application

Law Offices of Michael A. Scafiddi,
Megan E. Scafiddi, Esq. SBN 287506
3111 Camino Del Rio North, Suite 400
San Diego, California 92108.
$3,000.00.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bryan Keith Dobbs

Bryan Keith Dobbs

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Robert Dodd

Robert Dodd, a resident of Michigan, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 22, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 180 days jail. He was discharged on April 22, 1996, having completed his sentence.

Robert Dodd has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Robert Dodd, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Robert Dodd a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.

APPLICANT I[redacted]

Name: Robert Mark Dodd **Date of Birth** [redacted] **Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Possession of a Controlled Substance	Sept 1, 1992	Orange	90 days, 3 yrs Probation (Not sure about 90 days,)

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I was in a house that was raided for drugs. and I had some on me.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I would like to legally own a firearm for 1) Home Protection 2) Hunting, and 3) Shooting sports. Please Call for any Questions

Thank you. .

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

I am a good Person convicted of a non violent felony. for the last 22 years, I have Still been a good Person, Same Job, and no trouble I believe that I Should have my rights restored. [redacted]

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mark Steven Dorton

Mark Steven Dorton, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 30, 1983, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo for the crime of grand theft from a person. He served six months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on July 15, 1985, having completed his sentence.

Mark Steven Dorton has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Francisco, an order dated January 30, 1997, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Mark Steven Dorton has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mark Steven Dorton a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

THE ANNEXED INSTRUMENT IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGIN. ON FILE IN MY OFFICE. ATTEST: CERTIFIED

ALAN CARLSON, Clerk
Superior Court
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ALAN CARLSON, Clerk
BY: ANTONIC L. NICOLAS
Deputy Clerk

Form 3 (Revised 7/96) FEB 3, 1997

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF

In the Matter of the Application of

MARK STEVEN DORTON
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO.: 165393

CII No.: _____

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of MARK STEVEN DORTON, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 30th day of JANUARY, 1997 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on JANUARY, 1986 that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice)(thrice) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said peitioner.

Done in open court this 30TH day of January, 1997

(Judge of said Superior Court)

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

James Wesley Dover

James Wesley Dover, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 17, 1986, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of receiving known stolen property. Specifically, Mr. Dover participated in the theft of jewelry from a jewelry store. He served nine months prison, and three years, eleven months parole. He was discharged on July 5, 1991, having completed his sentence.

James Wesley Dover has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated August 5, 2010, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Dover is active in a recovery program and in his church, and volunteers his time at a food bank and for the homeless. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, James Wesley Dover has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James Wesley Dover a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of	}	Case Number: 10F02842
JAMES WESLEY DOVER,	}	CII No: [redacted]
	}	Date of Birth: [redacted]
	}	CDC No.:
For a Certificate or Rehabilitation and Pardon	}	

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

JAMES WESLEY DOVER

The petition of ~~LEO CASTRO~~, presently residing at [redacted] heretofore filed. praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on this 5th day of August 2010, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to {his/her} completion of the term to which {he/she}was sentenced, or upon {his/her} release on parole or probation in 1990, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by {his/her} course of conduct {his/her} rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been convicted of one felony.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this August 5, 2010

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By _____, Deputy Clerk

JOHN P. WINN
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Adam Elonzo Downing

Adam Elonzo Downing, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 27, 2004, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino, for the crime of driving under the influence of alcohol causing bodily injury. He served ten months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on April 23, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Adam Elonzo Downing has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino, an order dated January 25, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Downing reports that he has been sober for over ten years. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Adam Elonzo Downing has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Adam Elonzo Downing a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-694-16

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MENDOCINO

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

ADAM ELONZO DOWNING

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) SCTM CRCR 04-58888

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of ADAM ELONZO DOWNING, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 25TH day

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of JANUARY 2016 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 04/23/06, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA EUREKA COUNTY OF MENDOCINO

Done in open court this 25TH day of JANUARY 2016.

Day of the Month

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CLAYTON L. BRENNAN

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/2001)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

John Stephen Dragoin

John Stephen Dragoin, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 6, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on September 6, 1993, having completed his sentence.

John Stephen Dragoin has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Lassen, an order dated May 4, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, John Stephen Dragoin has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to John Stephen Dragoin a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LASSEN

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

JOHN STEPHEN DRAGOIN

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

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CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) CR36454(RIVERSIDE COUNTY)

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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A. BARONE, COURT EXEC. OFFICER
LASSEN SUPERIOR COURT

By _____, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of JOHN STEPHEN DRAGOIN, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 4th day

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of MAY 2016 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 09/06/1993, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been one time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 4th day of May 2016.

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MICHELE VERDEROSA

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

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Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

James Leroy Duffey

James Leroy Duffey, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 9, 1984, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Yuba for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served three years probation, and 45 days jail. He was discharged on July 9, 1987, having completed his sentence.

James Leroy Duffey has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Yuba, an order dated October 24, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, James Leroy Duffey has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James Leroy Duffey a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Yuba

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of YCSCCVPT 16-001016

James Leroy Duffey
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) CRF-84-5051
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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COURT CLERK

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of James Leroy Duffey, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 24th day of October
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of 2016 and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced or upon the release on parole or probation on June 1984 Per Judgment Health & Safety Code § 11359, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been one
Total Number of Felony Convictions

time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 24 day of October 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

JULIA L. SCROGIN
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Julia L. Scrogin
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

JULIA L. SCROGIN

FORM 3 (Revised 7/6/2005) *The form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.16.*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Larry Lee Dwyer

Larry Lee Dwyer, a resident of Nevada, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 26, 1962, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Dwyer appears to have been involved in the theft of a lamp and other items from an unoccupied home. He served three years probation, and 30 days jail. He was discharged on January 26, 1965, having completed his sentence.

Larry Lee Dwyer has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Dwyer has participated in a local chamber of commerce and various realtor associations.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Larry Lee Dwyer, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Larry Lee Dwyer a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

Office of the Governor
State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

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This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

Please TYPE or PRINT in blue or black ink.

CII [redacted]

I.

APPLICANT INFORMATION
To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
Dwyer	Larry	Lee

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	

Current Residence

Address		Apartment, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
[redacted]		
City: [redacted]	State: NV	Zip code: [redacted]

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

- ☒ Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01
- ☐ Commutation of current sentence
- ☐ Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☐ Compassionate Release
- ☐ Other

Why are you requesting clemency?

Conviction Information

Commitment Offense
459-BURGLARY, Reduced to conviction of UNSPECIFIED CHARGE.Later conviction set aside & dismissed per 1203.4 PC

Date of offense	Date of conviction	Arresting agency	County of conviction
Arrested 12/1961	January 26, 1962	Riverside Co. Sheriff	Riverside, CA
Superior court case number **CR-1014** Indio Superior Court Riverside County CA	Your trial attorney's name and address No attorney	Sentence 30 Days County Jail $500 fine, 3yrs prob.	If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any? NO

Did you appeal your case? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, appellate case number and status of case

Dwyer

Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
NONE			

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.
First and last name:
Telephone number:
Address:

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.
First and last name:
Telephone number:
Address:

Dwyer

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE
Complete this section if you are presently in prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.

Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency:
Your current physician's name:
Physician's address:
Physician's telephone number:
Have you applied to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation or the Board of Parole Hearings for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? ❑ Yes ❑ No
What was the result?

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION
Complete this section if you have completed your sentence, you are requesting clemency based upon rehabilitation and you are not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Give a brief account of your offense. I had just turned 18 years old & arrived in California. My older cousin wanted to go to Palm Springs for a couple of days to stay in his Mother's mobile home.I went with him. The mobile home was kind of dark on the inside so he wanted to get a lamp. He said we would go to "midnight furniture" so I went. He broke into an unoccupied house, we went in. He took a lamp and a couple of nic-nacs then left. I took nothing. It was non-violent and no physical damage was done to the house other than the lock on the rear door.
Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration. I was in the jail for about 25 days. I was immediately selected to be a Trustee and did janitorial work throughout the jail area & sometimes going outside to the rear to help wash police cars.
Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you) I had no issues or actions against me while in jail or while on 3 years probation. I reported monthly to [redacted], my probation officer, timely and paid my fine off early.
When were you discharged from probation or parole? I was discharged from probation early March, 1965. Mr. [redacted] gave me a form to fill out and send in requesting expungement of my record. He said that I would then have a "clean slate" following that process.
Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release. 1962-1965 I framed houses for various Contractors.1966-1969 I worked at [redacted] as outside building materials salesman and promoted to assistant Division Manager. In 1969 I got my Calif. Real Estate Salesman license & sold real estate in the Whittier area. In 1971 I got my Calif. Real Estate Brokers license which I still maintain after 42 years. I built my real estate company from 1 man to 6 offices and over 100 salespeople. I sold the company and went back to a 1 man office & sold apartments & commercial property. At the same time I got my Calif. Certified Real Estate Appraiser license & operated an appraisal company for approximately 12 years. I elevated myself to a highly respected Review Appraiser for 20-25 of the top Banks & S&L's nationwide.In 1994 I moved my family to [redacted] NV & have had my Nevada Real Estate Brokers license since then. I was married once for 7 years with 1 child. Married a 2nd time for 40 years (still) with 2 more children. While my kids were young I was very active with them in [redacted] programs & also volunteered to coach, baseball, softball & soccer for youth sports and I volunteered to umpire Little League baseball, softball and referee soccer. This was my way of giving back to my local community and it was fun too.
Why you are requesting a pardon? Las Vegas Valley has 2-3 home invasions weekly, maybe more. I will be 70 years old in March, my wife will be 62. I am too old to fight & would be helpless if happened. In October, 2012 I wanted to purchase a small handgun from a local gun store. for protection in my home. It was from this that I learned that the 51 year old conviction was still on my record and my slate had NOT been wiped clean.I was stunned. I thought I had a "clean slate". In 51 years since my arrest it has never been an issue. That's why I am asking for a Pardon. I understand that a Pardon does not eliminate my conviction record & I must still disclose the arrest but I can add that I have been pardoned. After 51 years as a law abiding citizen, a successful, hard-working businessman, a good husband & father of 3 children, I think I've earned it. I would like to clean up my record with a Pardon and have my firearm rights restored.

Dwyer

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered **after** conviction and explain its importance.

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

Was this evidence presented at trial?

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this section if you are currently under sentence and requesting clemency for any reason not covered above.

Explain why you are requesting clemency.

Have you sought relief from the courts?

Dwyer

III
NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Penal Code section 4804 requires that you give the district attorney of the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon. You must complete the attached form and mail it to the district attorney **before** you submit this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each district attorney must be given notice.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the district attorney of the county of

Riverside ***with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon, as required by Penal Code section 4804.***
(Name of county)

_____ 1/30/2013
(Applicant's signature) (Date)

IV
DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This Application for Clemency may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code Section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the forgoing is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in denial of my application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

_____ 1/30/2013
(Applicant's signature) (Date signed)

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Matthew G. Eagan

Matthew G. Eagan, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 30, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served three years probation. He was discharged on April 30, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Matthew G. Eagan has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated June 21, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Matthew G. Eagan has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Matthew G. Eagan a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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JOHN A. CLARKE, EXECUTIVE OFFICER/CLERK
BY Blanca Perez, Deputy

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF EAGAN

Type Applicant's Full Name - First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable MATTHEW G. EAGAN

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number NA050471

Criminal Case Number(s) NA050471

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code §4852.13

The petition is presently residing at: [redacted]

Heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on 21 JUNE 2012

And proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 10 MAY 2007.

That, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code §1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code §4852.15); and that petitioner has been time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code §4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 21ST day of JUNE, 2012

Patricia M. Schnegg

Judge of the Superior Court – TYPED or Print

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Judge of the Superior Court - SIGNATURE

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Peter Melvin Engelman

Peter Melvin Engelman, a resident of Pennsylvania, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 29, 1996, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crimes of possession of controlled substance paraphernalia, manufacturing a controlled substance, possession of controlled substances, and possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on May 29, 1999, having completed his sentence.

Peter Melvin Engelman has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Peter Melvin Engelman, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Peter Melvin Engelman a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Peter M. Engelman **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
See attached copy of D.O.J. record			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

In 1995 When I Was just 19 years old, I Went Through a very Difficult period that culminated in an addiction to Methamphetamine and Drinking. Looking Back on it now I See I Was Depressed, and did not Have the tools or support system to deal with my emotions. My conviction Was a wake up call.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I Have Been out of Jail for More than 20 years. I Have Been a productive member of Society Since This incident. I Have Been Turned down from employement and other opportunities Due to This. I am seeking a pardon as relief So when future opportunities arise I can apply based on My qualification NOT my Past.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

I Have Been Married nearly 15 years, I Have raised 3 Wonderful Children. I am an active leader in my church. I am not currently serving any Sentence. I Completed a outpatient rehab and paid all fines & restitutions

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

None

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

William English III

William English III, a resident of Oklahoma, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 16, 1997, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of receiving known stolen property. Specifically, Mr. English appears to have participated in the theft of some house plants. He served three years probation, and 15 days jail. He was discharged on July 16, 2000, having completed his sentence.

William English III has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, William English III, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to William English III a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: William O. English III **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Email Address:** [redacted]

Mailing Address: Home: [redacted] **Phone Number** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
1. Received Stolen Property	3-19-1997	San Diego / Vista	3yrs Prob Fine $535.00
Court case # CN058565 - State offense code: 28025		Statute: 496(A)	
Disposition Date: 07-16-1997 - Court Agency: CA037033J			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary): I was at work with a friend. A man drove up with a Truck full of house plants. He asked if we wanted to buy any? I said "I wasn't interested", my friend however did buy a few. She asked if I could help her get them to her house with my Pick-up Truck, all the while I had no knowledge that those house plants were stolen. The next day the Police arrived and arrested me for the stolen house Plants in my Pick-up Truck.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Due to this Incident on my Historical Record, I was recently Denied access to my 2nd Amendment Rights of The Constitution of The United States.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

I, myself became a Victim of a Crime by helping my friend move some house plants that she had bought from a man who had stolen them. I am a Disabled Army Vietnam Veteran and Worked for 28 years for the Department of Defense. I have prided myself on being a Law Abiding Citizen, And was Disheartened when I was Informed that my 2nd Amendment Rights were Taken away Because Of This Incident

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Encl: Arrest Report
U.S. Department of Justice Letter

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Charles Anthony Fannan

Charles Anthony Fannan, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 21, 1997, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Solano for the crime of possession of substances to manufacture a controlled substance. He served eleven months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on March 24, 1999, having completed his sentence.

Charles Anthony Fannan has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Solano, an order dated September 11, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Charles Anthony Fannan has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Charles Anthony Fannan a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Solano
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Charles Anthony Fannan
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

ENDORSED FILED
Clerk of the Superior Court
SEP 14 2015
By A. Morris
DEPUTY CLERK

Certificate Number
Date of Birth [redacted]
Month
CII Number [redacted]
Criminal Case Number(s) VC40803
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Charles Anthony Fannan, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
[redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code
, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 11 day
Day of the Month
of September, 2015 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year
satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on March 1999, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1
Total Number of Felony Convictions
time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 11 day of September 2015
Day of the Month
Month, Year
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Daniel J. Healy
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Daniel J. Healy

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Norman Joseph Felix

Norman Joseph Felix, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 9, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo, for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served two years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on September 9, 1990, having completed his sentence.

Norman Joseph Felix has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo, an order dated February 26, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Norman Joseph Felix has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Norman Joseph Felix a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR 763-16

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Norman Joseph Felix
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SC020722
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Clerk of the Superior Court
By DEPUTY CLERK

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Norman Joseph Felix, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 26 day
Day of the Month

of February, 2016 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on December 9, 1990, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 26 day of February 2016.
Day of the Month Month, Year

Joseph E Bergeron
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Joseph E Bergeron
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 7/6/2005)*

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Richard Figueroa

Richard Figueroa, a resident of Nevada, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 10, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of grand theft. Specifically, Mr. Figueroa appears to have stolen money from an armored car company for which he worked. He served two years, seven months probation. He was discharged on April 23, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Richard Figueroa has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Figueroa reports that he volunteers with a church group that distributes food and clothing to the less fortunate.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Richard Figueroa, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Richard Figueroa a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Richard Harrison Figueroa **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Grand Theft 487(A)	September 1999	Los Angeles	3 years probation

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

My crime was a non-violent crime. There were no life threatening actions against anyone, nor any bodily harm towards anyone. In a nutshell, I stole some money from a company I used to work for. I felt very guilty about it. So I willingly came forward and confessed.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

My main hope is to have this conviction "expunged". I want to be able to have my constitutional rights restored. The right to vote aga and the right to purchase a firearm to protect my wife and 2 kids a home. The area I live in is unfortunatly increasing in violence.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

Well ever since this felony conviction, I have been a law-abiding citizen. I know that I made a bad decision, and I have learned fro it. So what I do now is contribute nothing but good thru

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

Figueroa

Question 3 continued.
I would also love the opportunity to seek a different career path. I am currently a driver for a waste/recycling company, and unfortunately it has taken a toll on my body. I would to take up a trade in either a helicopter pilot or a computer networker without fear of being judged by my past conviction.

Question 4 continued.
family, work, and church. Even though this felony conviction is old now, it still haunts me to this very day. Thats why I say that I have learned from it. Having a criminal record is definitly no good. I definitly fear prison. If I could go back in time, I would much rather serve my country in the military.

My personal statement.
I understand this application is for a pardon, and not for a seal or expungement. But my hope and prayer is to have this felony completely wiped off my record in the near future. I want to thank you in advance for taking the time in looking into my case and application for a pardon. I consider a Governor's Pardon a high honor in which I'm hoping to receive. Thank you Thank you

Sincerely,
Richard H. Figueroa

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Scott Fischer

Scott Fischer, a resident of Idaho, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 12, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Fischer stole a coat, suitcase, bowling balls, and other items from a storage unit. He served one year, eleven months prison, and one year eleven months parole. He was discharged on April 1, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Scott Fischer has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Scott Fischer, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Scott Fischer a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: SCOTT ALLAN FISCHER Date of Birth: [redacted] Email Address: [redacted]

Address [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. **Conviction Summary:**

List all prior convictions, including in any other states or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of Conviction(s):**	**Sentences(s):**
1ST DEGREE BURGLARY	12/10/92	RIVERSIDE	4 YRS.
2ND DEGREE BURGLARY	12/10/92	RIVERSIDE	RAN CONCURRENT
POSSESSION OF CON. SUBS.	12/10/92	RIVERSIDE	RAN CONCURRENT

2. **Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

REASONS WERE YOUTH AND ADDICTION; TAKING THINGS WAS JUST ANOTHER HIGH.

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

AFTER PRISON AND BEING RELEASE FROM PAROLE, I'VE BEEN A MODEL, TAXPAYING CITIZEN EVERY SINCE. I'VE NOT BEEN INVOLVED IN ANY CRIMINAL ACTIVITY; BUT HAVE HAD A COUPLE SPEEDING TICKETS. THAT'S BEEN NEARLY 20 YEARS

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

I'M THE REASON (~~ONE OF VERY FEW~~) THE PRISON SYSTEM WORKS; IF YOU DO YOUR DUE DILIGENCE; I'M REHABILATATED! ALSO WITH A GREAT SUPPORT GROUP (FAMILY)! THANKS FOR SAVING ME!

5. **If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):**

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Matthew Charles Fiske

Matthew Charles Fiske, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 4, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance, possession or purchase a controlled substance for sale, possession of a controlled substance, and use or under influence of a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on February 4, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Matthew Charles Fiske has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated May 19, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Matthew Charles Fiske has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Matthew Charles Fiske a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

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In the Matter of the Application of **Matthew Charles Fiske**

Certificate Number RIC1603391

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number:

Criminal Case Number(s) PEF007124 Riverside County

FILED
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
MAY 19 2016

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **Matthew Charles Fiske,** residence located at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **May 19, 2016**

Proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **February 4, 2005** that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, And that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil And political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a **felony**

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 05/19/16

Becky Dugan
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

List of Convictions: 11350 HS

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Eriq Dwayne Fitzpatrick

Eriq Dwayne Fitzpatrick, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 14, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of possession of material or device for arson. He served served seven months probation, 223 days jail, and three years parole. He was discharged on January 17, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Eriq Dwayne Fitzpatrick has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated January 14, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Eriq Dwayne Fitzpatrick has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Eriq Dwayne Fitzpatrick a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA CR-695-16

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:

FILED
LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT

JAN 14 2016

Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By B. Perez, Deputy

Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

ERIQ DWAYNE FITZPATRICK

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number: [redacted]

Certificate Case Number: SA035021

Criminal Case Number(s): SA035021

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition is presently residing at: [redacted]

Heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on 1-14-16.

And proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 1-18-00.

That, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 14 day of JANUARY 2016

JAMES R. BRANDLIN
Judge of the Superior Court – TYPED or Printed

Judge of the Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Andrew Franco

Andrew Franco, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 31, 1989, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, for the crime of driving under influence of alcohol or drugs with priors. He served seven months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on February 9, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Andrew Franco has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Placer, an order dated October 19, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Franco reports that he has been sober for fifteen years. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Andrew Franco has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Andrew Franco a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPE R COURT OF THE STATE OF C FORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PLACER

CR-532-16

In the Matter of the Application of

Andrew Franco

Type Applicant's Full Name - First, Middle Last and Suffix, If Applicable

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FILED
Superior Court of California
County of Placer
OCT 19 2015
Jake Chatters
Executive Officer & Clerk
By: , Deputy

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number(s)

Criminal Case Numbers(s) C8919870; 129617

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

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The petition of Andrew Franco presently residing at: Andrew Franco [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of rt 3 f the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for a hearing on 10/19/15.

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on: 2/9/1991

that, where appropriate, the petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code 1203.4, and that the petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, it is ordered, adjudged, and decreed, and this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon of said petitioner. If petitioner was required to register as a sex offender, petitioner is no longer required to register as a sex offender pursuant to Penal Code section 290.5.

Done in open court this 19 day of October, 2015

Jeffrey Penney

Judge of Said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
EUREKA
COUNTY OF PLACER

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Kenneth Frasier

Kenneth Frasier, a resident of Arkansas, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 23, 1973, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of grand theft. Specifically, Mr. Frasier stole a wallet. He served five years probation, and 150 days jail. He was discharged on July 23, 1978, having completed his sentence.

Kenneth Frasier has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Kenneth Frasier, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Kenneth Frasier a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: KENNETH FRASIER **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** N/A

Address [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

SEE ATTCHED - ALL IN L.A. COUNTY

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

APPLIED FOR CONCEALED TO CARRY PERMIT. ALSO I CAN RE APPLY FOR JOBS IVE DONE IN THE PAST - ARMED HOSPITAL SECURITY AND ARMORED TRUCK WHICH I DID IN CALIFORNIA BEFORE I RELOCATED.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

SEE ATTACHED PAPER WORK OF MY STEADY PASS WORK HISTORY.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

NONE

RESUME

Kenneth Frasier
[redacted]

Objective:
Seeking a position that will utilize my skills as well as allow me to work in areas I enjoy. I have extensive Supervisory and Driving experience.

Work History: past 10 years

[redacted] 2/08 to Present Position: **Charter Bus Driver**
[redacted]
Duties: Interstate tour bus driving. Ensure passenger safety.

[redacted] 10/07 to 2/08 Position: **School Bus Driver**
[redacted]
Duties: daily pick-up and drop of students of all grades with transport from home to school and return trip. Ensure passenger safety.

[redacted] 9/04 to 9/07 Position: **Bob Truck Driver**
[redacted]
Duties: Delivery and pick up of various cargos. Loading and unloading truck. Forklift operation for loading and unloading truck.

[redacted] 07/98 to 9/04 Position: **Ramp Supervisor**
[redacted]
Duties: Training and oversight of ramp employees to ensure operations are performed properly, safely and in a timely manner. Loading and unloading of aircraft and cabin service. Moving and de-icing aircraft and assisting Cargo department.

Summary: I am a serious hard worker with experience as a laborer as well as Supervisor so I know what it means to work hard as well as to lead and mentor. I look forward to meeting with you to discuss a possible future with your company.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Charles Z. Fuller

Charles Z. Fuller, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 10, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside for the crime of robbery with use of weapon. Specifically, Mr. Fuller participated in an armed robbery of a gas station, and used a stolen vehicle as the getaway car. He served one year, six months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on December 25, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Charles Z. Fuller has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated May 26, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody. he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Fuller is active in his church and reports that he is sober. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Charles Z. Fuller has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Charles Z. Fuller a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

In the Matter of the Application of **Charles Z. Fuller**

Certificate Number RIC1603496

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number:

Criminal Case Number(s) CR49269 Riverside County

FILED
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

MAY 26 2016

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **Charles Z. Fuller**, residence located at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **May 26, 2016**

Proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **December 25, 1997** that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, And that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil And political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been

1 time(s) convicted of a **felony**

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 05/26/16

Becky Dugan
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
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List of Convictions: 211 PC

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Katherine Gail Fultz-Lewis

Katherine Gail Fultz-Lewis, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about January 3, 1974, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of unlawfully causing a fire. She served two years probation. She was discharged on January 3, 1976, having completed her sentence.

She was sentenced on or about October 23, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. She served two years, ten months prison, and one year parole. She was discharged on August 10, 1994, having completed her sentence.

Katherine Gail Fultz-Lewis has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated September 12, 2002, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, MS. Fultz-Lewis has worked as a minister, chaplain, and caretaker at various entities that serve the homeless. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

The Board of Parole Hearings received and reviewed Ms. Fultz-Lewis's pardon application and related materials pursuant to California Penal Code section 4802, and recommended her for a pardon on February 22, 2017. Ms. Fultz-Lewis also received a recommendation for a pardon by a majority of the justices of the Supreme Court of California, received on July 26, 2017, as required by article V, section 8 subdivision (a) of the California Constitution.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Katherine Gail Fultz-Lewis has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Katherine Gail Fultz-Lewis a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Katherine Gail Fultz / Lewis

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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SEP 12 2002
LOS ANGELES
SUPERIOR COURT

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number BA004275

Criminal Case Number(s) BA004275 A297285

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of KatherineGailFultz / Lewis presently residing at [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on September 12, 2002

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled July 10, 1993

Granted Probation January 3, 1974

that, where appropriate, petitioner has btained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 2 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 12 day of September 2002

Day of the Month Month, Year

David S. Wesley

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court -

DAVID S. WESLEY

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

James Olin Gainer

James Olin Gainer, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 6, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Solano, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation. He was discharged on December 6, 1998, having completed his sentence.

James Olin Gainer has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Placer, an order dated April 13, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, James Olin Gainer has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James Olin Gainer a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-354-15

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Placer

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

JAMES OLIN GAINER

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) VC112294

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

Superior Court of California
County of Placer

APR 13 2015

Jake Chatters
Executive Officer & Clerk
By: S. Caldwell, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of JAMES OLIN GAINER, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 15th day

Day of the Month

of April, 2015 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on December 7, 1998, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

Month Day, Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been one time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 13 day of April 2015.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

PLACER

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 12/5/01)*

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Benjamin Harrison Galusha

Benjamin Harrison Galusha, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 7, 1984, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served four years, five months probation. He was discharged on October 27, 1988, having completed his sentence.

He was sentenced on or about March 22, 1989, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance. He served one year, five months prison, and one year jail. He was discharged on September 30, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Benjamin Harrison Galusha has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated July 19, 2007, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Galusha works in the auto service industry, having owned his own business since 2009. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

The Board of Parole Hearings received and reviewed Mr. Galusha's pardon application and related materials pursuant to California Penal Code section 4802, and recommended him for a pardon on February 22, 2017. Mr. Galusha also received a recommendation for a pardon by a majority of the justices of the Supreme Court of California, received on July 13, 2017, as required by article V, section 8 subdivision (a) of the California Constitution.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Benjamin Harrison Galusha has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Benjamin Harrison Galusha a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPER .R COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFOR .

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Benjamin Harrison Galusha

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Court use only

Los Superior Court

JUL 19 2007

By JP Deputy

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number A823786

Criminal Case Number(s) A823786 A806033

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of Benjamin Harrison Galusha presently residing at [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on July 19, 2007

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled August 31, 1990

Paroled August 31, 1990

that, where appropriate, petitioner has btained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 2 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 19th day of July 2007

Day of the Month Month, Year

David S. Wesley

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

David S. Wesley

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT LOS ANGELES COUNTY CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Elliot Nilsson Garcia

Elliot Nilsson Garcia, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 22, 1996, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served ten years, two months probation, and 360 days jail. He was discharged on April 06, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Elliot Nilsson Garcia has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, an order dated February 6, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Elliot Nilsson Garcia has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Elliot Nilsson Garcia a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

D-16211-12

In the Matter of the Application of

ELLIOT NILSSON GARCIA
Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number **21-19-37**

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month, Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) **96NF0091**
List Applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Chief Executive Officer/Clerk
Superior Court of CA/County of Santa Clara
BY J. DeHerrera DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **ELLIOT NILSSON GARCIA**, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix if applicable

[redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State and Zip Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **6TH** day
Day of the Month

of **FEBRUARY, 2012** and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **04/06/2006**, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
Month, Day and Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been **1**
Total Number of Felony Convictions

time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, and this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this **6TH** day of **FEBRUARY, 2012**
Day of the Month — Month, Year

ARTHUR BOCANEGRA
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 10/18/05) *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Manuel Dejesus Garcia

Manuel Dejesus Garcia, a resident of Arkansas, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 27, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs with priors. He served seven months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on September 8, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Manuel Dejesus Garcia has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, an order dated June 19, 2009, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Garcia reports that he has been sober for over fifteen years. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Manuel Dejesus Garcia has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Manuel Dejesus Garcia a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

MANUEL DEJESUS GARCIA AKA MANUEL GARCIA DEJESUS
Type Applicant's Full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number SRD09-009

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) BA195595
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Clerk of the Superior Court

JUN 19 2009

By: K. ATHANS, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of MANUEL DEJESUS GARCIA, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 19TH day
Day of the Month

of JUNE, 2009 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the
Month, Year

Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on OCTOBER 20, 2000, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provide in Penal Code Section 4852.15). and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 19th day of JUNE, 2009
Day of the Month — Month, Year

DAVID M. GILL
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 6/10/98) *This form was prepared by the Investigators Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

William Joseph Gaynor

William Joseph Gaynor, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 17, 1972, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance. He served three years, seven months prison, and one year, three months parole. He was discharged on October 19, 1977, having completed his sentence.

William Joseph Gaynor has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, an order dated November 6, 1992, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, William Joseph Gaynor has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to William Joseph Gaynor a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Form 3 (Revised 7/83)

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GRACE K. YAMAKAWA
County Clerk
Santa Clara County
BY _____ DEPUTY

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF

In the Matter of the Application of

WILLIAM JOSEPH GAYNOR
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO.: 158957

CII No.: [redacted]

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of WILLIAM JOSEPH GAYNOR, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 6th day of November, 1992, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on October 19, 1977, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice)(thrice) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said peitioner.

Done in open court this 6th day of November, 1992.

LAWRENCE F. TERRY
(Judge of said Superior Court)

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office
ATTEST
NOV 9 1992
STEPHEN V. LOVE
GRACE K. YAMAKAWA
COUNTY CLERK
Santa Clara County
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara
BY _____ DEPUTY

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Daniel Gipson

Daniel Gipson, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 7, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Gipson stole a purse, jewelry, coins, and a camera. He served eleven months probation, one year, seven months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on June 4, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Daniel Gipson has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated July 7, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Gipson is active in his church, where he has served as a deacon. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Daniel Gipson has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Daniel Gipson a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

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In the Matter of the Application of **Daniel Gipson (AKA Darrell Daniel Gipson)**

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
JUL - 7 2016

Certificate Number RIC1606925

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number: [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) A885690 Los Angeles County

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **Daniel Gipson,** residence located at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **July 7, 2016**

Proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **June 4, 1991** that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, And that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil And political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a **felony**

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 07/07/16

Becky Dugan
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA EUREKA COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

List of Convictions: 459 PC

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jerry Lee Glines

Jerry Lee Glines, a resident of Arizona, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 19, 1974, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Inyo, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Glines apparently destroyed a seismograph meter when he intentionally drove off the road while in the desert. He served three years probation. He was discharged on August 19, 1977, having completed his sentence.

Jerry Lee Glines has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jerry Lee Glines, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jerry Lee Glines a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Jerry Lee Glines **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
459 PC Burglary	4-20-1974	Inyo County	3yr Prob $250. Fine 1500. Restn.

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

At the age of 19. I was four wheel driving in the desert. I ran over a seismograph. It was dark and didn't even know it was there nor existed.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am 61 yrs of age. I would like my gun rights given back. I would love to take my grandson's hunting. I am also raising my 13 yr old granddaughter

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I've been an upstanding citizen all my life. This was the only time I was in trouble. This charge was 42 yrs ago. I am a licensed contractor with a family

5 If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Adrian Cosio Gonzalez

Adrian Cosio Gonzalez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 27, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Fresno, for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance. He served five years, four months probation. He was discharged on May 27, 2004, having completed his sentence.

Adrian Cosio Gonzalez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Fresno, an order dated January 22, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Adrian Cosio Gonzalez has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Adrian Cosio Gonzalez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-534-16

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF FRESNO

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

ADRIAN COSIO GONZALEZ
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number 15CRRP682886

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) F98903230-1
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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FRESNO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

By _____ DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of ADRIAN COSIO GONZALEZ, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 22ND day
Day of the Month

of JANUARY 2016 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on APRIL 7, 2005, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
Month Day, Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 22ND day of JANUARY 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

W. KENT HAMLIN
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF FRESNO

FORM 3 (*Revised 1/25/16*)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jose Guadalupe Gonzalez Toscano

Jose Guadalupe Gonzalez Toscano, a resident of Illinois, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 1, 2007, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Cruz, for the crime of assault with deadly weapon other than a firearm. Specifically, Mr. Gonzalez Toscano struck the victim with a bat. He served three years probation, and 107 days jail. He was discharged on November 1, 2010, having completed his sentence.

Jose Guadalupe Gonzalez Toscano has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Gonzalez Toscano is active in his church.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jose Guadalupe Gonzalez Toscano, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jose Guadalupe Gonzalez Toscano a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Jose Guadalupe Gonzalez Tosano **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Assault With Deadly Weapon	6/6/2007	Santa Cruz County	107 days County Jail (Attachment #1)

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

On 6/6/2007 I heard voices in my head telling me to go and hurt this person. I had met him for a real estat estimate. During this time I did not accept that I had a mental disease and I did not take medication. When I have an episode from my [redacted] I have no control and that is why I am medicated today. I am truly remorseful for causing harm to anyone.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am requesting a pardon because I was processing permission to be a legal Permanent Resident but due to the incident that occured back on 6/6/2007 and that I was convicted I now face deportation. (Attachment #2)
I never meant to hurt this person with the baseball bat. I am sorry.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

First & foremost I am sincerely sorry for any & all harm I caused to the individual. From that incident I realized that I was ill and began to see doctors & take medications for my mental illness. I ask for your mercy because I can not (CONTINUED Attachment #3)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Julie Contreras (LULAC of Lake County) (No Charge / Free)

Attachment #4 (Picture of my son + I)
Attachment #5 ([redacted] Gonzalez Birth Certificate)
Attachment #6 (Letters from Doctors)
Attachment #7 (Letter from my employer)
Attachment #8 (My Birth certificate)

Attachment #3

Gonzalez Toscano

return to Mexico. Mexico is not safe and also I would not be able to obtain appropriate Mental Health care nor my medications I need to help keep voices out of my mind.

Also I have my son [redacted] Gonzalez who is 14 yrs old and was born in the USA. My son also suffers from the same mental health issue as I do, [redacted]. This disease must be controlled by medications or incidents like the one I seek a pardon for today do not occur in our society. Had I been under a doctor's supervision and medicated properly then no one would have been hurt. That is why I beg for your mercy & forgiveness. I financially support my son whose like my medications are expensive. I must have my blood tested frequently to make sure meds are not harming my liver. But I take that risk of liver being harmed so that voices do not return and cause an episode that can cause harm.

I see my doctors monthly and take my medications. Mexico is full of violence and If returned there it would be a death sentence for me. My son needs me to support him financially and emotionally, especially since I understand his pain.

I am at your mercy and again am sorry for harm I caused but I am now medicated and would never hurt someone in my right mind, never. I pray to God each day to keep my mind strong and clear of voices and I do my part with doctors and medication.

I respectfully ask for a pardon so I can remain in USA safe with my family.

Thank you.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Lawrence Richard Gossman

Lawrence Richard Gossman, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 21, 2003, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance. He served five months probation. He was discharged on January 8, 2004, having completed his sentence.

Lawrence Richard Gossman has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, an order dated November 15, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Lawrence Richard Gossman has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Lawrence Richard Gossman a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Lawrence Richard Gossman aka Richard Gossman

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) LBNA057405-01

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
SAN BERNARDINO DISTRICT
NOV 15 2012
By STEVEN ROTH, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Lawrence Richard Gossman aka Richard Gossman, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 15th day

Day of the Month

of November 2012 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 01/08/2004, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has been 1 (one) time(s) convicted of a felony;

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 15th day of November 2012

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Hon. Annemarie G. Pace

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Dale Spencer Griner

Dale Spencer Griner, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 10, 2003, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served two years, seven months probation, one year eleven months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on April 7, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Dale Spencer Griner has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated July 21, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Dale Spencer Griner has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Dale Spencer Griner a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPI OR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFO IA

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Dale Spencer Griner

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number BA192077

Criminal Case Number(s) BA192077-02 BA188422 BA187639

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Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By _____, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of DaleSpencerGriner presently residing at [redacted]

tofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the of California, came on regularly for hearing on July 21, 2016

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled March 8, 2005

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 3 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 21 day of JULY 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

JAMES R. BRANDLIN
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court -

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Larry Herbert Grossman

Larry Herbert Grossman, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 29, 1982, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crime of arson of a structure on forest land. He served five years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on November 29, 1987, having completed his sentence.

Larry Herbert Grossman has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, an order dated October 22, 1990, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Larry Herbert Grossman has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Larry Herbert Grossman a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Form 3 (Revised 7/83)

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By _____ DEP

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF

In the Matter of the Application of

Larry Herbert Grossman
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO.: C-52091

CII No.: [redacted]

Date of Birth: _____

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of Larry Herbert Grossman, presently residing at _____, heretofore filed. praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 19th day of September, 19 90, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on _____, 19__, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice)(thrice) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said peitioner.

Done in open court this 22nd day of October, 19 90

Harold O. Carter
(Judge of said Superior Court)

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Raymond Johnny Guerrero

Raymond Johnny Guerrero, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 30, 1997, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crimes of carrying a concealed weapon in a vehicle while having a prior felony conviction, carrying a loaded firearm in public, and buying a handgun without an identification mark. He served two years, eleven months probation, seven months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on April 5, 2004, having completed his sentence.

Raymond Johnny Guerrero has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated June 9, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Raymond Johnny Guerrero has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Raymond Johnny Guerrero a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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In the Matter of the Application of

Raymond Johnny Guerrero

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number BA150822

Criminal Case Number(s) BA150822

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Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By D. Perez, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of RaymondJohnnyGuerrero presently residing at [redacted]

retofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the e of California, came on regularly for hearing on June 9, 2016

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled April 5, 2001

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Done in open court this 9 day of JUNE 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

JAMES R. BRANDLIN
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court - James R. Brandlin

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mario Alejandro Gutierrez

Mario Alejandro Gutierrez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 6, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside for the crime of assaulting persons with a firearm. He served one year, four months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on February 26, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Mario Alejandro Gutierrez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated April 9, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Gutierrez has served on the board of his homeowners' association, and is active in his church, where he has served as a youth pastor. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Mario Alejandro Gutierrez has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mario Alejandro Gutierrez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF **RIVERSIDE**

In the Matter of the Application of Mario Alejandro Gutierrez

Certificate Number **RIC1201870**

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) Riverside County Cases: RIF084556

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COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Mario Alejandro Gutierrez, last known address at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 9th day of April 2012, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on February 26, 2003, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been one time convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 09th day of April 2012.

Michele Levine
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

List of Convictions:
'/31/99 245(A)(2) PC & 12022(A)(1) PC

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

David L. Haase II

David L. Haase II, a resident of Kansas, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 7, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of driving under the influence with prior convictions. He served nine months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on August 15, 1997, having completed his sentence.

David L. Haase II has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Haase reports that he has been sober for more than twenty years.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, David L. Haase II, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to David L. Haase II a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: DAVID L. HAASE II **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** _____

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
VC 23152(A)	5-18-1995	LOS ANGELES	2 YRS.

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

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3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

HAVE 20 YR ANNIVERSARY ON May 18, 1995 OF ARREST AND SOBRIETY HAVE BEEN SOBER SENCE DATE OF ARREST

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

HAVE 20 YRS. OF SOBRIETY AND NO ADDITIONAL RUN INS WITH THE LAW.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2): N/A

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Edwin Maurice Hamilton

Edwin Maurice Hamilton, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 16, 1989, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Ventura for the crimes of transporting or selling a controlled substance, and for possessing, manufacturing, or selling a dangerous weapon. He served one year, seven months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on February 17, 1994, having completed his sentence.

Edwin Maurice Hamilton has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated April 20, 2000, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Edwin Maurice Hamilton has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Edwin Maurice Hamilton a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Edwin Maurice Hamilton

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT
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JOHN A. CLARKE, CLERK
BY ANTHONY MYATT, DEPUTY

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number BA189694

Criminal Case Number(s) CR24620 Ventura

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of Edwin Maurice Hamilton presently residing at [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on April 20, 2000

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled February 14, 1992

that, where appropriate, petitioner has btained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 20th day of April 2000

Day of the Month Month, Year

LARRY PAUL FIDLER

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

John Wesley Hankins

John Wesley Hankins, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 2, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Hankins stole a jewelry box from his neighbor. He served three years probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on May 2, 2005, having completed his sentence.

John Wesley Hankins has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated October 1, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, John Wesley Hankins has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to John Wesley Hankins a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-536-16

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

Applicant's County of Residence

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office
ATTEST: 12-22-15
Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Stanislaus
By: CINDY CRUZ, Deputy

In the Matter of the Application of

JOHN WESLEY HANKINS
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 1035880
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CLERK of the SUPERIOR COURT
BY: DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of JOHN WESLEY HANKINS, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this _____ day
Day of the Month

of October, 2015 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on May 2, 2005, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
Month Day, Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been Once time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 1 day of OCTOBER, 2015.
Day of the Month, Month, Year

THOMAS D. ZEFF
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

THOMAS D. ZEFF
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 8/12/08)

This form was prepared by the [illegible] Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Lynn Christine Hannon

Lynn Christine Hannon, a resident of Arizona, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about August 15, 1983, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, for the crimes of obtaining aid by fraud, perjury, and violation of the food stamp act. Specifically, Ms. Hannon failed to report income she received while on public assistance. She served three years probation, and 45 days jail. She was discharged on August 15, 1986, having completed her sentence.

Lynn Christine Hannon has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Hannon obtained a bachelor degree in business administration and is certified as a paralegal.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Lynn Christine Hannon, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Lynn Christine Hannon a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Lynn Christine Hannon **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
W&I Code 11483	7-18-1983	Nevada County, CA	45 days in jail, restitution, 3 yrs probation
Former CA PC 396	7-18-1983	Nevada County, CA	
CA PC 118	7-18-183	Nevada County, CA	

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached description of circumstances

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached explanation

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

See attached statement

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

I have not paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist me in the preparation of this application.

Application for Gubernatorial Pardon
Lynn C. Hannon
Date of Birth: [redacted]

I am a resident of Arizona and have a felony conviction in Nevada County, California; therefore, I am seeking a direct Governor pardon.

List of all major convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Welfare and Institutions Code Section 11483
Former Penal Code Section 396
California Penal Code Section 118

July 07, 1983 Nevada County, CA Restitution in the amount of $1,894; Forty-five days in the Nevada County Jail; and three (3) years of probation;

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon.

I am the forth of six children born in San Francisco, CA. I was raised in a middle-class family. I attending Catholic school my entire life. In the course of growing up, I was an average student. I was always complimented by the teachers for my good behavior/citizenship. In my sophomore year of high school, I met the co-defendant and we started dating. The co-defendant dropped out of high school two years prior to our relationship. However, I didn't know he dropped out of school until after we were married. His mother had even told me that he completed high school. After I graduated from high school I became pregnant with my first child. The co-defendant and I eloped to Reno and were married in 1976.

During the entire time of my marriage to co-defendant in the 1983 action, I was physically abused, mental abused and in constant fear of my life. However, I did make the choice to stay married and hide the abuse from friends and family. During the time of our marriage up until the time of our divorce in 1987, the co-defendant failed to contribute to the care of our minor children, he worked sporadically, he deceived me about his employment, he was addicted to drugs, and he would leave the household for weeks at a time. While I take responsibility for the choices I have made, during my marriage I was very naive and believed I could change the co-defendant and help him grow into a good person.

According to the complaint, on December 1, 1981, April 12, 1982, and August 9, 1982 I allegedly applied for aid and medical assistance for my three minor children, [redacted], [redacted] and [redacted]. According to the complaint, in 1981 I failed to disclose employment at [redacted] in Grass Valley CA. in both instances in 1982 the complaint indicates that I failed to report employment. I do not have any records nor do I remember if Nevada County had any evidence of that fact. My social security records indicate that in 1981 my total yearly income was $246.00 and in 1982 my total yearly income was zero.

In 1983 when I applied for aid and medical assistance for my three minor children, I was not working and the co-defendant had not been in the residence for quite some time. However, at

the time I applied, I was confronted by the District Attorney who read me my rights in front of my children. I immediately sought out counsel of the Public Defender. I remember to this day, that the Public Defender and the DA told me there was substantial evidence of my crimes and that my children would be taken away. I was taught from a young age to trust in authority; therefore, I believed that they were stating the truth and I must be guilty. Prior to this day, I had never been arrested, convicted of any crimes, or even violated a traffic law.

I would have never willfully intended to make false statements under oath or under penalty of perjury. There was no intent, impulse or plan to make false statements.

I was not experienced in the Court system and didn't understand that I could have challenged the allegations. However, I plead guilty based on the information provided to me by the District Attorney and the Public Defender. I took responsibility for the allegations and paid the price.

Explain why you are requesting a pardon:

I am respectfully requesting a Gubernatorial Pardon because I have completed my sentence for the 1983 felony conviction, have achieved rehabilitation, and I am not a threat to society. I have lived an honest and upright life for the last thirty-three years and have exhibited good moral character and conducted myself as a law abiding citizen.

In 1986, I completed my sentence for the conviction. I served forty-five days in county jail, paid restitution, and successfully completed the three year condition of probation.

In 1987 my divorce was finalized after the final instance of physical abuse where the co-defendant had put a gun to my head in front of my children and threatened to end my life.

In 1988 the trial court granted my motion under 1203.4 and ordered that the guilty/nolo contender plea/verdict finding of guilt be set aside and a plea of not guilty be entered. The complaint to be dismissed pursuant to provisions of Section 1203.4 of the Penal Code of the State of California. The public defender who assisted me with the defense of the conviction, helped me with the 1203.4 motion and said this would be the next step to set aside the verdict of guilty, be released from all penalties and disabilities resulting from the offence of which I was convicted and relieve me from the obligation of disclosing conviction in response to any direct question contained in any questionnaire or application.

In 2009, I applied to purchase a hand gun in Indianapolis, Indiana. Since I had been granted the 1203.4 Order, I believed that I could purchase a hand gun. My current husband traveled a lot with his employment and recommended that I get a small hand gun in case of a break in. At the gun store, I was denied the purchase and told to contact the US Department of Justice to get the details of the denial. I contacted the DOJ/FBI immediately because I thought someone had stolen my identity.

After receiving a response from the DOJ/FBI with my criminal record attached, I was surprised to find out that the 1203.4 had not released me from all penalties and disabilities resulting from

offences of which I was convicted. The conviction denied me the right to purchase a hand gun. I did not investigate further because purchasing a hand gun was not a high priority for me. I thought that I at least still had the conviction dismissed and would go on with my life.

In 2016, I retired from my career in Indianapolis, Indiana after twenty-two years with the same company and moved to San Tan Valley AZ with my current husband. I decided that since I had a successful career for over twenty-two years, I would give back to the community and become a civil servant. I applied for a position at [redacted] and was quickly offered the position. On my application for employment it indicated that it would do a criminal back ground check for the last seven years. I answered that I had not had any criminal convictions in the last seven years. It was several weeks into my employment before I found out from human resources that they also do a comprehensive lifetime criminal back ground check with the FBI. The human resource representative said that the county had not required an FBI background check for quite some time but the current administration put the rule back into force.

The [redacted] Human Resource director told me that I needed to explain the situation in writing and try to correct any mistakes in my record and then the review board would determine if I could continue employment.

In 2016, I applied for resentencing/sentence reduction pursuant to Penal Code Section 1170.18 for the convictions of (1) Welfare and Institutions Code Section 11783;(2) CA PC 118; and (3) Former CA PC 396. After review from the Nevada County District Attorney and Judge of the Superior Court, this petition was denied and the Order states that these counts are not eligible for relief under this section. It also notes that on 3/28/1988 1203.4 granted these counts.

I have been in contact with the Nevada County Superior Court and Nevada County Sheriff's Office trying to have my FBI record corrected. My FBI record does not indicate that I was granted relief under 1203.4. Nevada County Superior Court instructed me that they updated my FBI record in 1988 to reflect the 1203.4 relief and that I should get fingerprinted and obtain a copy of my RAP sheet from the California Department of Justice. I recently received this copy and found out that my CA DOJ RAP sheets shows that I was convicted of additional crimes that were unknown to me. I have contacted Nevada County and the CA DOJ to prove that their records are incorrect and requested correction that coincides with my documentation.

Since the 1983 conviction and completion of my sentence, I continue to suffer penalties and disabilities. I have taken responsibility, asked for forgiveness and showed tremendous remorse for my actions. However, my heart is heavy with remorse and my thirty-three year sentence is tolling.

Since my conviction in 1983 and despite any adversities brought on by my failed marriage, I have demonstrated exemplar behavior, lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character and have conducted myself as a law abiding citizen.

My accomplishments consist of the following:

1. First and foremost, raising my three wonderful children [redacted], [redacted] and [redacted] without financial or parental assistance of their father, co-defendant. I am very proud of the job I have done raising my children. [redacted] is accomplished in his career after serving serval years in the Marine Corps, several years in Iraq, and obtaining his degree in business. [redacted] is accomplished in her life as a parent of two wonderful teenage girls, going back to finish her college education, and working for the same employer for over 10 years. [redacted] is accomplished in her life as a parent of two wonderful boys, one of which has disabilities, and has worked since she was a teenager. My children have been raised to abide by the law, respect authority and serve their community.
2. I have been gainfully employed since 1983. I have supported my three children without financial assistance from their father. I have never failed to pay my State and Federal Income tax obligations. I went to business school at MTI Western Business College, attended junior college at Las Positas College in Livermore, CA, continued my education to obtain a bachelor's degree in business from Indiana Wesleyan University in Indiana and received my paralegal certificate from Indiana University all while I was worked full time and raising my three children. After completing my education, I received my paralegal certification from National Federation of Paralegal Associations.
3. Since 1982, I have never applied or received assistance such as food stamps, cash assistance for dependent children, or Medicaid assistance. I did receive education assistance through grants/loans and have paid all loans back in the allotted time. I am not delinquent or in default of any debt or financial obligations.
4. Prior to the 1983 conviction and subsequently thereafter, I have not had any offenses, been arrested, taken into custody, or been investigated for any other incident. I have had only one traffic citation in my lifetime. I do not use any drugs or smoke tobacco. I consume very minimal alcohol.
5. Since 1983, I have continually contributed to the community. I have participated in Habitat for Humanity activities, United Way functions, Feed the World food packet preparations, and charitable donations. I have been a mentor speaker at Marion College in Indianapolis, Indiana assisting future paralegals with their career choices. I have participated in school functions for my children and volunteered to assist with many school field trips. I have volunteered and participated in many school activity for my grandchildren. I have been active in the churches I have attended by teaching Sunday school lessons, working in the soup kitchens feeding the poor, and making financial contributions.

I could have shifted the blame for the 1983 conviction solely on the co-defendant or made excuses due to the adverse conditions the co-defendant subjected me to. However, I accepted the responsibility of my actions and fulfilled the consequences. I made the choice to take this opportunity make amends and get my life on track so that I could care for my children and improve our life going forward. I am proud of the improvements and accomplishments I have made for the past thirty-three years.

In the last thirty-three years, a day has not gone by in which I have not thought of the remorse I feel for allowing the incident to occur. My parents have always taught be to take responsibility for my actions. They taught me that by taking responsibility and not making excuses you receive respect. I have raised my children with this same philosophy and tried to lead them by example. We all make mistakes, we can't be perfect, and sometimes we can't alter influences in our lives. However, we can accept responsibility and by accepting blame of our actions we can make improvements in our lives. By accepting responsibility and fulfilling the consequences, we can measure our self-worth and be proud to have strength and courage to overcome adversities.

Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon.

As a result of my conviction, I have been denied some civil rights and have had challenges gaining employment. In my current situation, I may lose my job due to my past conviction. If [redacted] decides to keep me employed, I will still suffer hardships as a result of the conviction because my role requires me to obtain a notary commission. In the State of Arizona, a notary cannot have a "Conviction of a felony unless restored to civil rights, or of a lesser offense involving moral turpitude or of a nature that is incompatible with the duties of a notary public."

I have demonstrated exemplary behavior for thirty-three years. I have been rehabilitated and moved on with my life. I have had no subsequent convictions, arrests, or investigations regarding criminal activity. I have accepted responsibility for my actions, been remorsefully for my actions, and lived with the consequences for thirty-three years. Since I have not been released for all penalties and disabilities resulting from the offense of which I was convicted, I have been serving my sentence for those thirty-three years. Not only do I want to keep my job as a civil servant for [redacted], I want to be forgiven for my offenses. I have forgiven the co-defendant for his transgressions again me and our children. I have faith that God has forgiven me for any offense I have committed. However, I do not feel that society has forgiven me for my actions in regards to the 1983 conviction.

I respectfully submit for your review and consideration this Application for Gubernatorial Pardon under the Laws of the State of California. I respectfully request that the State of California grant me a full and unconditional pardon so that when I leave this world I will know that I have been forgiven for all my transgressions and that my children and grandchildren will know that I have done everything in my power to correct my mistakes.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Brian David Hartshorn

Brian David Hartshorn, a resident of Oklahoma, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 14, 1994, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crimes of manufacturing a controlled substance, possession of ephedrine with the intent to manufacture methamphetamine, and use or under the influence of a controlled substance. He served one year, one month prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on June 7, 1996, having completed his sentence.

Brian David Hartshorn has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Brian David Hartshorn, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Brian David Hartshorn a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: BRIAN DAVID HARTSHORN **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
HS11379.6(A)	3/14/94	LOS ANGELES	2 Years State Prison
HS11383(C)			
HS11550(A)			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I WAS HANGING AROUND PEOPLE WHO WERE INVOLVED IN THE MANUFACTURING OF METHAMPHETAMINE TO HELP SUPPORT MY HABIT. I WAS NOT MAKING, SELLING, OR THE OWNER OF THE PRODUCT, BUT I WAS THE PERSON WHO HAD THE ROOM BOOKED IN HIS NAME. I WAS ALSO AWARE OF AND PARTICIPATING IN THE STORAGE OF THE EQUIPMENT USED TO MANUFACTURE METHAMPHETAMINE.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

TO BETTER SUPPORT MYSELF, MY FAMILY, MY COMMUNITY, AND MY CURRENT ASSIGNMENT TO SUPPORT THE AIR FORCE MISSION AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO FURTHER SUPPORT MY COUNTRY. A PARDON WILL ALLOW ME TO SHOW OTHERS THAT THERE IS A WAY OUT OF THE DARKNESS OF DRUGS.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

FOR THE PAST 22 YEARS, I HAVE REMAINED CRIME FREE. I HAVE NOT HAD ANY RUN-INS WITH THE LAW. I HAVE LIVED AN HONEST, UPRIGHT LIFE, HAVE BEEN CLEAN AND SOBER FOR 15 YEARS AND AM INVOLVED DAILY WITH ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

BRIAN S. YIN, WALLIN & KLARICH, 17592 IRVINE BLVD., TUSTIN, CA 92780 TOTAL RETAINER: $4500

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Paul Howard Henthorn

Paul Howard Henthorn, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 9, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and five months jail. He was discharged on December 9, 1996, having completed his sentence.

Paul Howard Henthorn has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, an order dated May 27, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Paul Howard Henthorn has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Paul Howard Henthorn a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

In the Matter of the Application of

Paul Howard Henthorn
Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number **215291**

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month, Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) **C8147329, C8299250, D8649388**
List Applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Chief Executive Officer/Clerk
Superior Court of CA County of Santa Clara
BY _____ DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **Paul Howard Henthorn**, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix if applicable

at [redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State and Zip Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **27th** day
Day of the Month

of **May , 2016** and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **5-20-1999**, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
Month, Day and Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been **1**
Total Number of Felony Convictions

time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, and this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 27th day of May 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

David A. Cena
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

David A. Cena
Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 10/18/05) *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Steven Higgins

Steven Higgins, a resident of Idaho, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 10, 1985, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Merced, for the crime of forgery. He served two years probation, and 240 days jail. He was discharged on April 10, 1987, having completed his sentence.

Steven Higgins has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Steven Higgins, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Steven Higgins a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: STEVEN P HIGGINS Date of Birth: [redacted] Email Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including in any other states or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of Conviction(s):**	**Sentences(s):**
Forgery	April 1987 I think	Merced	3 Months Pay Back

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I WAS a Stupid Kid Messing with Drugs And ~~Alcohol~~ DRINKS,

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

That WAS The only Time I have Been in Trouble, My GRANDSONS are NOT AT the Age, That They WANT To go hunting, and I would Like To Teach Them what I know, Also where I Live Now MOST FRIGHT goes To Canada, and Unless I Change This I can NOT Run Canada,

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

This WAS The only Time I was in Trouble in The last 22 years I have had only 2 Jobs, I have Tryed to change My Life around. The Job I Have There is Fed RAMdom Drug and Achol Test, and Now I don't DRINK or All DRUGS. I would Really Love To Teach My GRANDSON'S To hunt and Stuff That Time I HAVE Tryed ~~to~~ To be on the STRIGHT and ~~[redacted]~~ True.

If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Terry L. Higgins

Terry L. Higgins, a resident of Idaho, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about August 1, 1973, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, for the crime of selling or transporting marijuana. She served three years probation. She was discharged on August 1, 1976, having completed her sentence.

Terry L. Higgins has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Terry L. Higgins, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Terry L. Higgins a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: TERRY L. HIGGINS **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
SELL MARIJUANA			3 YEARS
TRANSPORT MARIJUANA		SAN BERNARDINO	PROBATION -
		SAN BERNARDINO	

LATER DISMISSED - SET ASIDE PER 1203.4PC, 1203.3 1975

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

AT THE TIME OF THE OFFENSE I WAS JUST OVER 18 YEARS OF AGE. AN OLD BOYFRIEND STARTED COMING AROUND ASKING IF I COULD LOCATE SOME MARIJUANA FOR HIM. HE KNEW I WASN'T INVOLVED IN ANY (SEE ATTACHED)

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I'M REQUESTING A PARDON BECAUSE I WANT MY CIVIL RIGHTS AND RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS RESTORED. I'M ALMOST 62 YEARS OLD AND I DON'T WANT A MISTAKE I MADE WHEN I WAS 18 TO DEFINE THE (SEE ATTACHED)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

THE CRIME TOOK PLACE ALMOST 43 YEARS AGO. THE AMOUNT I WAS ACCUSED OF TRANSPORTING WAS LESS THAN AN OUNCE AND SOLD FOR TEN DOLLARS. (SEE ATTACHED)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

I HAVE NOT PAID ANYONE TO ASSIST ME WITH THIS.

Higgins

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Continuation of Item 2 –

type of narcotics, but continued to push me to find some for him. I don't know how many subsequent days and times he contacted me but he would not leave me alone. I continued to tell him I didn't know anyone or where he could get any. Finally [redacted] suggested we get some catnip and give that to him, so that is what we did and sold him less than an ounce passing it off as marijuana.

Then one night while [redacted] and I were driving around we were pulled over because of a faulty tail light. The office checked our driver's licenses and said there was a warrant for our arrest. [redacted] and I kept saying there must be a mistake and agreed to follow the officer to the Ontario jail. [redacted] step mother worked in Orange County as a probation officer and arranged to have [redacted] released the following day. I had to wait to have another attorney appointed to handle my case so I was booked and transported to the county jail in San Bernardino. I don't know how many days I was there but I still did not have a court appointed attorney. One of my friends told my brother I was pregnant and he needed to get me released and I couldn't wait any longer to get released on my own recognizance. My mom posted bond by putting up her house.

The codefendant took a plea bargain and agreed to testify against me. The case went to trial and the case against me was dismissed. Since my case was dismissed [redacted] went back to court and withdrew her plea agreement. After that we were both arrested again on the same charges. We chose a trial by jury. At the end of the trial the jurors were given instructions they could find us not guilty, or guilty of lessor charges of misdemeanors, or charge us with felonies. When the jury returned with their verdict they wanted to charge us with the misdemeanors and felonies. (Note you can see reference to this in the copy of the court minutes I provided. This is where the judge brought us into his chambers and explained). The judge instructed the jury again having them adjourn. This time when they returned they found us guilty of committing felony offenses. I was given 3 years' probation, which I served.

It seems that I wasn't required to serve the full 3 years but the charges were dismissed and set aside per PC 1203.3 and PC 1203.4. I was told at the time this would allow me to answer no if ever asked whether I was convicted of a felony. I'm still not sure if that is correct; however, the main reason I am requesting a pardon is to have my civil rights and the right to bear arms restored. I didn't realize until a couple weeks ago that I couldn't purchase a fire arm. My husband wanted to purchase a fire arm for me for Christmas. When they ran the background check they said I was not allowed to purchase a firearm.

Continuation of Item 3 –

Women I am today. I live in Idaho where hunting is one of the major past times. I would like to be able to join my community and get involved in hunting. I want to be able to vote regardless of which state I reside in so I want to be assured that right is also restored.

Continuation of Item 4 –

Higgins

I realize that selling catnip under the pretense it was marijuana was an illegal activity; however, I have led a responsible, law abiding life and have earned the right to be able to bear arms. I am not the person one would believe I am based off my record. Since at the time the jury could have charged me with a misdemeanor I believe this also supports allowing me to have my rights restored. I have not been arrested or taken into custody, held for investigation or questioning, or charged by any law enforcement authority or convicted in any court for any further incidents. I've never used any illegal drugs or abused prescription drugs or alcohol. I've never file bankruptcy. I have always been gainfully employed. I continued my education by earning two associate degrees and a bachelor degree. I've been married to the same man for over 30 years.

I just want to add that I appreciate your taking the time to review my request and feel confident that you will allow me to have the right to bear arms again and to vote no matter what state I reside in. I have provided copies of several documents that might assist you.

Thank you

Terry Higgins

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

David Michael Hill

David Michael Hill, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 20, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara for the crime of grand theft with excessive property loss. Specifically, Mr. Hill stole approximately $250,000 from the armored car service for which he worked. He served one year, seven months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on April 28, 2005, having completed his sentence.

David Michael Hill has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, an order dated September 9, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Hill paid his restitution in full and has the support of his former employer. Mr. Hill works as a traffic officer, is a volunteer firefighter, and assists his local Chamber of Commerce. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, David Michael Hill has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to David Michael Hill a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

In the Matter of the Application of

David Michael Hill
Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number **211441**

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month, Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) **C9948870**
List Applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Chief Executive Officer/Clerk
Superior Court of CA County of Santa Clara
BY _____ DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **David Michael Hill**, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix if applicable

[redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State and Zip Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **9th** day
Day of the Month

of **September, 2016** and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **2006**, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
Month, Day and Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been **1**
Total Number of Felony Convictions

time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, and this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this **09** day of **September, 2016**
Day of the Month — Month, Year

David A. Cena
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 10/18/05) *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Leslie Hoefs

Leslie Hoefs, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 31, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, for the crime of transporting a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on May 31, 1994, having completed his sentence.

Leslie Hoefs has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, an order dated August 21, 2014, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Leslie Hoefs has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Leslie Hoefs a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

CR-18728-14

FEL VS 1401661

In the Matter of the Application of

NO. #BCR2382F-74394

LESLIE HOEFS
(PRINT OR WRITE YOUR NAME LEGIBLY)

CII No. [redacted]

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

Date of Birth [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of LESLIE HOEFS, presently residing at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California,

came on regularly for hearing on this 28th day of August, 2014, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to this completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on , that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice) (thrice) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 28th day of August, 2014

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

JUDGE OF SAID SUPERIOR COURT
JOHN M TOMBERLIN

This form is prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Richard Howard

Richard Howard, a resident of Texas, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 20, 1989, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, for the crime of transporting a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on January 20, 1992, having completed his sentence.

Richard Howard has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Richard Howard, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Richard Howard a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Richard John Howard Date of Birth: [redacted] Social Security Number: [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:
List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s).	Date of offense(s).	County of conviction(s).	Sentence(s).
Transport Controlled Substance H&S 11379	05/28/1988	San Bernardino	90 Days CJ. 36 Mo Prob.

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):
I was camping at a campground where they were conducting a sting operation. I met a girl and brought her back to my trailer to do some drugs. Next thing I knew we were surrounded by officers from the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department and I was arrested along with my brother.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):
After the day of the incident, I made a decision to change my life once and for all. I have never looked back since. I have obtained my educational goals by obtaining my Degree in Culinary Arts, I have a beautiful family, I have a good job... The only thing missing is this pardon. If given the opportunity, I will do everything in my powers to exceed the threshold of where I stand today by making sure to share my story with others to help them not make the same mistakes I did. It would also allow me to share the fun of hunting with my son who is now 11 years old.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):
I know today that I am a different person. Not by words but by my actions. My actions indicate that I have been married for the past 15 years, I have a son who is proud to call me dad. I work hard every day, always seeking the american dream but falling slightly short causing me to try harder. I believe that a pardon for my actions will be the final step in my efforts to close that chapter in my life and start a new one... Regardless of your decision, thank you for taking the time to consider my request. Sincerely,

If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Rose Huerta

Rose Huerta, a resident of Georgia, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about July 11, 2003, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of grand theft by servant. Specifically, Ms. Huerta stole approximately $2,000 while employed at a gas station. She served three years probation. She was discharged on February 10, 2006, having completed her sentence.

Rose Huerta has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Rose Huerta, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Rose Huerta a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



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Edmund G. Brown Jr.

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Governor of California

ATTEST:

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Rose Huerta **Date of Birth** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s): theft	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Case # SCD171345	11/26/2002	San Diego	*Misdemeanor
			*(it's been a while but I'm pretty sure it was dropped to a mis. from a felony;

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

My manager at the place I use to work at refused to pay the overtime hours that I worked so I took their money. This and the fact I was facing homelessness enticed me to take their money.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am requesting a pardon because my conviction has made it hard for me to find a job. I have a child to support as a single mother and I get turned-down left and right from every job I apply for.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I should please be granted a pardon because I have not only stayed crime free for 13 years but because I am now pursuing a teaching career.

If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Derral Wayne Hunt

Derral Wayne Hunt, a resident of Oregon, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 28, 1987, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 100 days jail. He was discharged on August 28, 1990, having completed his sentence.

Derral Wayne Hunt has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Derral Wayne Hunt, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Derral Wayne Hunt a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Derral Wayne Hunt **Date of Birth** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. C[redacted]

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Possess Controled Substance	8/28/1997	Mendocino	100 days jail
Possess Controled Substance	5/1/2002	Mendocino	30 days jail

2. **Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**
I was a binge substance abuser during this time because of depression and anxiety disorder. I am 100% Service Connected disabled because of depression. I have been totally abstanent since Jan 2003.

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**
I am going to be attending college to become a counselor with emphesis on substance abuse. The felony on my record is preventing me from obtaining needed fimncial assistance, and counseling as a volunteer.

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):**
If I am granted a pardon and can finish college and become a substance abuse counselor with the goal of working for the VA helping other Vets

5. **If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):**
N/A

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Terry Joseph Hunt

Terry Joseph Hunt, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 7, 1983, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada for the crime of perjury. Specifically, Mr. Hunt cashed a stolen cashier's check. He served three years probation, and 30 days jail. He was discharged on November 7, 1986, having completed his sentence.

Terry Joseph Hunt has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, an order dated May 20, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Hunt reports that he served as treasurer for a youth organization and as a fund manager on the neighborhood road committee. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Terry Joseph Hunt has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Terry Joseph Hunt a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
Applicant's County of Residence

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In the Matter of the Application of

TERRY JOSEPH HUNT aka CHARLES ANDREW NULL
Type Applicant's Full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) NEVADA COUNTY NO. 30455
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By: K. CERSOSIMO, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of TERRY JOSEPH HUNT aka CHARLES ANDREW NULL, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 20TH day
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of MAY, 2016 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the
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Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on NOVEMBER 7, 1983, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1F time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provide in Penal Code Section 4852.15). and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 20th day of May, 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

DAVID M. GILL
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Simon Iniguez Jr.

Simon Iniguez Jr., a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 22, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Mr. Iniguez participated in the armed robbery of a taxi driver. He served two years, two months prison, and two years parole. He was discharged on August 25, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Simon Iniguez Jr. has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated July 22, 2010, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Iniguez is a self-employed business owner, who has provided day-to-day care for his ailing mother and donated time and money for Christmas baskets. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Simon Iniguez Jr. has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Simon Iniguez Jr. a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUP OR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIF IIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Simon Iniguez, Jr.

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Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number BA069171

Criminal Case Number(s) BA069171

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of SimonIniguez, Jr. presently residing at [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on July 22, 2010

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled July 26, 1996

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 22 day of July 2010

Day of the Month Month, Year

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

PATRICIA SCHNEGG

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

Pat Schnegg

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Georgetta Jemison-McAlpine

Georgetta Jemison-McAlpine, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about December 12, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of attempted voluntary manslaughter. She served three years probation, and six months jail. She was discharged on December 19, 1994, having completed her sentence.

Georgetta Jemison-McAlpine has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated April 19, 2013, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Jemison-McAlpine reports that she has served as a disaster volunteer and as a chaplain for inmates in jail. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Georgetta Jemison-McAlpine has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Georgetta Jemison-McAlpine a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Jemison-McAlpine, Georgetta

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of	}	
	}	Case No: **12F07038**
GEORGETTA JEMISON-MCALPINE	}	CII No:
	}	Date of Birth: [redacted]
For a Certificate of Rehabilitation and Pardon	}	Criminal Case No:
	}	**BA039661-01- Los Angeles County**

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
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The petition of **GEORGETTA JEMISON-MCALPINE.**, presently residing at, [redacted], heretofore filed. Praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on **APRIL 19, 2013**, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release of parole in **1994**, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been convicted of **1 FELONY**.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 19th day of April, 2013

HONORABLE CURTIS M. FIORINI
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Christopher Robert Jensen

Christopher Robert Jensen, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 14, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Yolo for the crime of escape jail with force or violence. He served six months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on April 10, 1992, having completed his sentence.

Christopher Robert Jensen has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Yolo, an order dated September 8, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Jensen owns and operates his own business and reports that he volunteers with a few local charities. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Christopher Robert Jensen has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Christopher Robert Jensen a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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COUNTY OF YOLO
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WOODLAND, CALIFORNIA 95695

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO

In the Matter of the Application of CHRISTOPHER ROBERT JENSEN Petitioner. Date of Birth: [redacted] CII Number: [redacted]	CERTIFICATE NUMBER: Court Case Number: 11618 Criminal Case Number: 2-39626 **CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION** **Pursuant to Penal Code § 4852.13**

The petition of CHRISTOPHER ROBERT JENSEN, presently residing at [redacted], requesting a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on September 8, 2016 in Department 1, Yolo Superior Court, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole, that, Petitioner has demonstrated by the course of his conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the petitioner has been one (1) time(s) convicted of a felony;

Jensen

The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15) , and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 9/6, 2016

J. KENT O'MARA
Yolo Superior Court

STATE OF CALIFORNIA }
COUNTY OF YOLO } §

I, DAWN C. LANDRY Clerk of the Superior Court of the above entitled county do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy original on file in my office, and that I have carefully compared the same with the original.

the 13TH day of September 79 2016

By W. galindo
Deputy

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Darin P. Jimenez

Darin P. Jimenez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 1, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years, one month probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on June 13, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Darin P. Jimenez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated January 5, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Darin P. Jimenez has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Darin P. Jimenez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-539-16

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

DARIN P. JIMENEZ

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

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CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 1006341

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of DARIN P. JIMENEZ, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 5th day of JANUARY, 2016 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on June 13, 2003, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONCE time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 5th day of January 2016

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Linda McFadden

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

L. McFADDEN

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 8/12/08)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jeffrey Allen Johnson

Jeffrey Allen Johnson, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 6, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served eight months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on April 25, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Jeffrey Allen Johnson has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated February 18, 2009, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jeffrey Allen Johnson has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jeffrey Allen Johnson a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of	}	Case Number: 08F09567
	}	
JEFFREY ALLEN JOHNSON	}	CII No: [redacted]
	}	Date of Birth: [redacted]
	}	CDC No.:
For a Certificate or Rehabilitation and Pardon	}	

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of JEFFREY ALLEN JOHNSON, presently residing at [redacted], heretofore filed. praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on this 18TH day of February, 2009, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on April 27, 2002, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been once convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 2-18-2009

Judy H. Hersher,
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

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This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Michael Burl Jordan

Michael Burl Jordan, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 27, 2001, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Butte for the crime of manufacturing a controlled substance. He served two years, nine months prison, and one year, seven months parole. He was discharged on September 12, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Michael Burl Jordan has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Glenn, an order dated August 5, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Michael Burl Jordan has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Michael Burl Jordan a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GLENN

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

MICHAEL BURL JORDAN
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number 16NCR11167

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) CM015047
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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of MICHAEL BURL JORDAN, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 5th day
Day of the Month

of August, 2016 and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on January 29, 2004, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 5th day of August 2016.
Day of the Month, Month, Year

Honorable Peter B. Twede
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (*Revised 7/6/2005*)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Clifford Vince Keith

Clifford Vince Keith, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 1, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Mr. Keith broke into gym lockers and punched a man who was trying to recover his property. He served one year, seven months prison, and four years, three months parole. He was discharged on July 10, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Clifford Vince Keith has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated July 28, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Keith works as an alcohol and drug abuse counselor and has earned an associate's degree in substance abuse counseling. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Clifford Vince Keith has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Clifford Vince Keith a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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In the Matter of the Application of

Clifford Vince Keith

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LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT
JUL 28 2016
Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By B. Perez Deputy

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number YA045172

Criminal Case Number(s) YA045172

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of CliffordVinceKeith presently residing at [redacted]

h- nfore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the s of California, came on regularly for hearing on July 28, 2016

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled October 13, 2004

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 28 day of JULY 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

JAMES R. BRANDLIN
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court -

SUPERIOR COURT LOS ANGELES COUNTY CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Christopher Thomas Koller

Christopher Thomas Koller, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 20, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino for the crime of inflicting corporal injury on a spouse or cohabitant. He served two months probation, one year, three months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on May 28, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Christopher Thomas Koller has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Shasta, an order dated October 28, 2013, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Koller has earned a bachelor's degree in psychology and a master's degree in counseling psychology. Mr. Koller reports that he is pursuing a career as a marriage and family therapist and has remained active with a narcotics recovery organization. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Christopher Thomas Koller has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Christopher Thomas Koller a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Shasta

Applicant's County of Residence

JAN 02 2014

In the Matter of the Application of

Christopher Thomas Koller

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Certificate Number

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CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 13F5059

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CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
BY: KAREN VICK, DEPUTY CLERK

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Christopher Thomas Koller, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

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Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 28 day of October 2013 Dept. 1 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on May 28 2003, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has been One time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 28th day of October 2013

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Daniel E Flynn

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

THIS INSTRUMENT IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE

ATTEST: DEC 24 2013

Melissa Fitch, Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Shasta

By: [redacted] Deputy

FORM 3 (Revised 4/506) This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mao Rottanak Kong

Mao Rottanak Kong, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 9, 2003, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crimes of evading a peace officer with disregard for safety and vehicle theft. He served four months probation. He was sentenced on or about April 14, 2004, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crime of possession of drugs in prison or jail. He served seven months prison, and two years parole. He was discharged on November 15, 2006, having completed his sentence for the above offenses.

Mao Rottanak Kong has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, several individuals wrote in support of Mr. Kong, describing him as kind and generous, and as a role model to those who face insurmountable challenges in their lives.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Mao Rottanak Kong, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mao Rottanak Kong a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 20th day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Rottanak Kong **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** none

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** none (detained)

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
P.C. §496	7/3/03	Contra Costa	30 days
V.C. §10851 V.C. §2800.2	11/5/03	Stanislaus	365 days
P.C. §4573.8	4/14/04	Stanislaus	16 months

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

(see attached)

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

(see attached)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

(see attached)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
KONG'S PAROLE APPLICATION

C. PARDON REQUEST

1. Explain why you want a pardon

I am requesting a pardon because my 2003 conviction for joyriding pursuant to Vehicle Code § 10851 lead to my deportation from the United States. I have lived in the United States since I was two years old, and came here legally as a refugee in 1981. My family is from Cambodia, and we fled our country during the Khmer Rouge's genocide. My father was targeted because of his participation in the pre-Khmer military. I was admitted to the United States as a refugee on June 23, 1981 and received my lawful permanent residence dating back to June 23, 1981. In my family's exodus from Cambodia, many of my siblings died from illnesses, starvation, and malnutrition. Both of my parents are now deceased, and they risked their lives to bring me to this great country, and I want to honor their lives by remaining in this country and giving back to its people.

In December of 2006, my father passed away. My father held my hand on his deathbed and asked me one thing: to take care of my siblings and mother. The next day he died. I took his words very seriously and have honored my father's dying wish. My brother, [redacted], is severely mentally ill, and I am one of the few people that can communicate with him. When he is having a schizophrenic episode, I am the only person who can calm him down and communicate with him. I visit him every week to make sure his home is clean and he is in good health. I also cared for my mother up and until the day she passed away. My mother suffered from chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, and in 2008 it became so severe she moved next door to me so I could monitor her condition. In 2011, she finally moved into my home so I could provide full-time care for her. On Christmas day, December 25, 2012, she passed away in my home, surrounded by family and love. After she passed, a giant hole was left in my heart because I loved her so much. My siblings and I were the only remaining family, and we have vowed to protect one another and are each other's rock.

Recently, however, my sister, [redacted] developed severe pneumonia and was placed on life support in October 2017. The doctors told us there was nothing they could do for her and we needed to decide her future. She fell into a coma around October 13, 2017 and on October 19, 2017, my family and I were going to meet to decide whether to keep my sister on life support. Instead of meeting my family on this day, I was arrested by Immigration Customs

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Enforcement. It was the worst day of my life. My sister was dying and I was in immigration detention. I need a pardon so I can continue to support my sister, and be the rock I have always been to my remaining family.

I also want to continue to support the woman I consider to be my wife (although we never legally married). [redacted] my partner, and I have been together since the seventh grade (since we were 12 years old). She has been my rock in every way. She has supported me through my incarceration and detention. She does not deserve to lose her life partner, and I need a pardon to pay her back for all that she has given me. A pardon will allow me to try and reopen my removal order and continue to provide a loving home for her.

My brother and sister, [redacted] are also suffering incredibly since I was detained. My sister works for the school district and is an advocate for Cambodian refugees. She has spent countless hours trying to save me from deportation. She has called legislators, called the media, found me a pro bono lawyer to assist me, and is suffering tremendous emotional distress over my imminent removal. My brother [redacted] is a U.S. Marine and cares for two severely disabled children. I would love to be able to support him and caring for his children, instead of draining my family's energy to stop my removal from the United States.

I also recently obtained my dream job [redacted]. They hired me to do maintenance on the machinery, gave me state of the art classes, and promotion possibilities. I was working and training 6 days a week and finished my probation with [redacted] on October 18, 2017—the day before I was arrested.

2. Explain why you think you should be granted a pardon

I should be granted a pardon, because I am fully rehabilitated and a productive worker. A pardon would also allow me to reopen my old removal order from 2005, and regain my lawful permanent resident status. If I am deported to Cambodia, I will be banished from the only country I have ever known and it will cause tremendous suffering to the people I love.

When I was young, I turned to crime and was very irresponsible. I was convicted of driving a stolen car and trying to escape arrest. I look at the man that did that and I don't even recognize him. In Folsom Prison in 2004, I promised myself that I would change my life and devote myself entirely to my family and work. I have been clean since 2004 and have had no new convictions since 2004. I realized my

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behavior was hurting my community and my family. I took back my life. At Folsom, I took a re-entry class, worked in the kitchen, and changed my life.

After my prison sentence, I was sent to immigration detention in Eloy, Arizona where I tried to fight my case, but the judge ultimately found I was deportable for my conviction for Vehicle Code § 10851 because the sentence was 365 days. Even though I was deported to Cambodia in 2005, I was not deported because Cambodia would not repatriate deportees. I was given a second chance to prove myself to this great country.

I have taken community college classes in maintenance, welding, and computer programming to improve my employment prospects. I care for my mentally ill brother, and provided a sanctuary for my mother in her dying years. I have dedicated myself entirely to my family, and will honor that commitment if I can stay here in the United States.

I also take solace in nature. I love to hike, camp, fish, and play sports like football and volleyball to de-stress. I love this country. It gave my family and I refuge during Cambodia's genocide. I want to repay my debt and honor my parents' sacrifice.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Lauro Martinez Lagunas (aka Roberto Martinez)

Lauro Martinez Lagunas, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 26, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crimes of assaulting persons with a firearm and shooting at aircraft. He served three years probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on April 26, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Lauro Martinez Lagunas has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated December 31, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, several residents wrote in support Mr. Lagunas' application, noting that he is trustworthy and reliable. Residents of the apartment complex where he is employed as a maintenance worker stated that he is dependable and exhibits an "exceptional work ethic." By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Lauro Martinez Lagunas has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Lauro Martinez Lagunas a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA CR-544-16

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

In the Matter of the Application of **Lauro Martines Lagunas** [redacted]

Certificate Number RIC1512981

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) C67167 Orange County

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **Lauro Martines Lagunas,** residence located at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **December 31, 2015** Proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **unknown** that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, And that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil And political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a **felony**

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 12/31/15

Becky L. Dugan
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA EUREKA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

List of Convictions: 245(a)(1) PC

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Steven Ronald Lascano

Steven Ronald Lascano, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 3, 2003, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crimes of grand theft of an automobile, and obtaining credit using others' identification. Specifically, Mr. Lascano financed a vehicle using false information. He served five months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on May 13, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Steven Ronald Lascano has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated June 30, 2011, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Lascano reports that he has earned an associate's degree in drug and alcohol counseling as well as his real estate license. Friends, supervisors, and a police detective noted Mr. Lascano's dedication to his family and the turnaround his life has taken. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Steven Ronald Lascano has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Steven Ronald Lascano a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPEI ‹ COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFOR

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Steven Ronald Lascano

D-15981-11

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Los Angeles Superior Court

JUN 30 2011

John A. Clarke, Executive Officer/Clerk

By B Perez Deputy

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number NA057541

Criminal Case Number(s) NA057541

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of Steven Ronald Lascano presently residing at

[redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on June 30, 2011

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled April 13, 2004

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 30 day of June 2011

Day of the Month Month, Year

SUPERIOR COURT: LOS ANGELES CALIFORNIA

Patricia M. Schnegg

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court -

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Tyaneka Lashawn Lawrence

Tyaneka Lashawn Lawrence, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about October 20, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of possession or purchase of a controlled substance for sale. She served five years, three months probation, one year, four months prison, and one year, one month parole. She was discharged on June 25, 2000, having completed her sentence.

Tyaneka Lashawn Lawrence has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated June 30, 2016, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Tyaneka Lashawn Lawrence has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Tyaneka Lashawn Lawrence a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPER COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFOR

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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In the Matter of the Application of

Tyaneka Lashawn Lawrence

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT

JUN 30 2016

Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By _____, Deputy

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number NA013029

Criminal Case Number(s) NA013029

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of TyanekaLashawnLawrence presently residing at [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the S f California, came on regularly for hearing on

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled May 25, 1999

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 30 day of JUNE 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

JAMES R. BRANDLIN
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court -

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Andre LeBlond

Andre LeBlond, a resident of Florida, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about May 12, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, for the crimes of possession, manufacturing, or selling a dangerous weapon, and robbery. He served three years probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on May 12, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Andre LeBlond has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Andre LeBlond, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Andre LeBlond a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: ANDRE LEBLOND **Date of Birth** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
SECOND DEGREE ROBBERY	3-16-00	ORANGE	365 DAYS IN JAIL
POSSESS/MANUFACTURE OF WEAPON	3-16-00	ORANGE	365 DAYS IN JAIL

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

SEE ATTACHED PAPER

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

SEE ATTACHED PAPER

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

SEE ATTACHED PAPER

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

NA

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATIONAL PARDON

2. BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CRIME(S) FOR WHICH YOU ARE REQUESTING A PARDON:

Back in March of 2000 (one month after my 18th bday) I had went to a friends house to spend some time with him and his family. At some point in time, him and I left the house to go to the store. On the way to the store, he had seen someone walking to their car and decided to rob them with his pocket knive. It happened so quick that the next thing I knew we were running home and then were stopped by the Garden Grove police department.

3. EXPLAIN WHY YOU ARE REQUESTNG A PARDON:

I am requesting a pardon for the simple fact that I am not that person who my record says that I am. I am a man who puts his family first and work second. I'm currently employed with the same company dating back to March of 2004. Also I was married one month later in April of 2004. I'm also blessed to be a daddy to two kids. My son is now 12 and my daughter will be 10 next month. I'm also raising two of my nephews as my sisters current situation dictates that I help her until she gets on her feet. I've been raising them since birth. As a matter of fact, my family came up with the following nicknames for me: Duncle (daddy uncle) and uncle daddy. What I'm trying to convey to you is that my family is my life. I strive to provide a well balanced life consisting of a healthy dose of love, God and more love. My family is everything to me and this is one reason why I am requesting a pardon. I am the father figure to many kids in the family and having these "restrictions" in my life is hindering me from reaching my full potential to be the best father figure I can be. I can give you a recent example. My son and I went to his boyscouts campout and few months ago and the troop decided that they were going to work on earning their rifle shooting badge. My son was able to shoot his first 22 rifle with the troop leader and eventually earned his rifle shooting badge but sadly I had to sit on the sidelines and not participate as I am required by law not to touch a firearm. I know this may sound a little silly but to me this was really devastating and heartbreaking. I am deeply involved in everything my kids do. From school to learning to ride bikes to swimming to fishing, my kids mean the world to me and I will be there for them everyday no matter how old they are.

The second reason I am requesting pardon is because of my line of work. I am employed with a retail establishment that sells firearms. As I don't currently work in a store that sells firearms, it is not uncommon for managers to be rotated to a different store to work for various reasons. Those reasons could include promotions, transfers and/or assisting with operations in different stores within the market. If I were to transfer to another neighboring store that sells firearms, this would be conflict and I would not be able to accept the transfer because of my record and not being able to come in contact with any firearms. This does put a hinder on my

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advancement opportunities with the company as I can only go to a few select stores that don't sell firearms.

4. PROVIDE A BRIEF STATEMENT EXPLAINING WHY YOU SHOULD BE GRANTED A PARDON:

As I've outlined above, the reasoning for my application for a Governor pardon is that I am fully rehabilitated and am not that person that my record says that I am. This one conviction is the only conviction (actually I pled guilty to avoid prison and only served 8 months in county jail) that I have ever had in my life. This includes as a juvenile to the present day. I have never been arrested other than that one time 16 years ago. I strive to provide for my family and to be the father figure that they deserve to have in their life. I acknowledge that I did make a mistake in my life over 16 years ago. I truly believe and have demonstrated that I have learned from my mistake and have learned my lesson. I am living an honest and upright life. I am requesting a full pardon to restore all of my civil rights including the right to vote in elections and the right to bear arms privileges.

I recently retained a lawyer to assist with the process of expungement and he was successful in expunging my record. However, that didn't restore my civil rights ie the right to vote and to bear arms privileges. I am including a copy of the expungement for your records. Thank you for your time.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Antoine Lewis

Antoine Lewis, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 20, 1996, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Alameda, for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served three years probation, and six months jail. He was discharged on August 20, 1999, having completed his sentence.

Antoine Lewis has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Alameda, an order dated April 27, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Lewis reports that he volunteers with a local youth group. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Antoine Lewis has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Antoine Lewis a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

ANTOINE LEWIS

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) 127803

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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ALAMEDA COUNTY
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By

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of ANTOINE LEWIS, presently residing at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 27 day of APRIL, 2016 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on AUGUST 20, 1996, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 27TH day of APRIL, 2016.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

PAUL DELUCCHI

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

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Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (*Revised 12/5/01*)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Scott B. Lewis

Scott B. Lewis, a resident of California has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 17, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Tulare, for the crime of assault with a firearm on person. He served four years, two months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on May 26, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Scott B. Lewis has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Tulare, an order dated August 8, 2014, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Scott B. Lewis has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Scott B. Lewis a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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TULARE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
VISALIA DIVISION

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LAFAYNE CREEK, CLERK
BY: [signature] DEPUTY

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TULARE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF SCOTT B. LEWIS, For a Certificate of Rehabilitation and Pardon	CR. NO. VCF039637-97 DOB: [redacted] CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of SCOTT B. LEWIS, presently residing at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing this 8th day of August, 2014, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of conviction, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civic and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code § 4852.15); and that petitioner has once been convicted of a felony:

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed. *And this Court does hereby order adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all civic and political rights of citizenship (except as provided for in Penal Code §4852.15), and by virtue thereof this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant full pardon to said petitioner.*

Done in open Court this 8 day of August 2014

[signature]
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mikkel Laurent Labourdette Libarle

Mikkel Libarle, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

Mr. Libarle has been convicted of two misdemeanors in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Butte. He was sentenced on or about July 13, 2004 for the crime of driving under the influence, for which he served one year, two months probation. He was discharged on October 11, 2005. He was again sentenced on or about October 11, 2005 for the crime of vandalism, for which he served three years probation, and 30 days jail. Specifically, Mr. Libarle damaged light poles along a bike path. He was discharged on October 11, 2008. Having completed his sentence.

Mikkel Libarle has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Mikkel Libarle, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mikkel Labourdette Libarle a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Mikkel Libarle **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Email Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Vandalism	04/27/05	Butte	Fine/Jail/Probation
DUI	05/10/04	Butte	Fine/Suspension
MIP	11/10/03	Butte	Fine/Suspension

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):
Requesting pardon for all, most importantly is the vandalism charge pardon. See Attached. All of these crimes occurred my freshman and sophmore year at Chico State University. I was intoxicated and knocked over light poles (vandalism). I drove after drinking (DUI). I had beer in my backpack (MIP).

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):
I have provided 7 years of community service: 2 years as school teacher and 5 years as a deputy sheriff. I can't get hired in government in California. I am trying to move back with my wife and I keep getting judged for these victimless crimes that happened 11-13 years ago. See attached. Also I am a peace officer.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):
I have a perfect "record" since 2005. No tickets/Arrests. I am a peace officer who has never been disciplined and never received a complaint.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):
N/A

Cover Letter

To: Whom It Concerns

From: Mikkel Laurent Labourdette Libarle

[redacted]

Date: February 14, 2017

I am requesting a pardon for my vandalism charge from 2005, this was a poor choice I made in college over 11 years ago. I took responsibility for my mistake and since then have led an extremely productive live. I have not had any law enforcement contacts (civil or criminal) since then.

Over the course of my adult life I have become versed in many different skills. I grew up in Sonoma County California (4th generation) managing our family vineyard; I have worked on a fish canary in Alaska, earned a bachelor's degree, substitute taught school in California and Nevada, and taught Hunter Education in California. I have also started my own business as a federally licensed firearms dealer, I speak French and Spanish, and have enforced county and state laws as a sworn deputy sheriff in both Nevada and Arizona.

I am currently a sworn deputy sheriff in Arizona, working in a career in Law Enforcement over the past 5 years. I have been gaining an invaluable amount of experience which grows each day. While working at the Coconino County Sheriff's Office I have been exposed to a full variety of tasks. This has included patrolling assigned areas, responding to all calls for service, and protecting property and life. Responses are sometimes over an hour away in very rural areas requiring a great deal of independence, creative thinking, and communication skills.

In 2005 I was intoxicated and knocked over several light poles my sophomore year at Chico State University. This was a huge lapse in judgement which I had to take responsibility for. I have done nothing but help people since that time. I finished my degree, became a substitute school teacher in California and in Nevada and a Hunter Education Instructor in California. I then became a deputy sheriff in Nevada, eventually moving to Arizona to work as a deputy sheriff. I am also currently enrolled and working towards obtaining a second educational degree.

I am constantly tasked with using good judgment and making sound decisions on my own while providing excellent service to the community and being a proactive officer. I am proud this has been recognized in my previous annual reviews, letters of recommendations, and letters from the public. I have experienced many things in life and have made mistakes from which I have learned from. In five years as a Deputy I have never received a single citizen complaint (founded or un-founded), nor have I received any department discipline in my personnel file.

My wife is a flight nurse on an emergency helicopter, we met in college and are trying to move back to Sonoma County, CA. I have been applying to different peace officer positions and have been ranking #1 in interviews, then being constantly turned down due to this vandalism charge. This is not only disappointing, but does not seem right. I work in an environment that revolves around totality of circumstances and rehabilitation. This arrest/conviction happened over 10 years ago, and was a victimless crime. Due to how the current Government Code Section 1029 is written I am being denied employment in a field that I have excelled in. It is ironic and sad that I can't get hired while our criminal justice system and communities demand rehabilitation and fairness.

My resume is enclosed with more detailed information regarding my work experience and additional skills. Thank you for your consideration, I hope you are able to help with the pardon and or any sealing of my record.

Mikkel Libarle

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Keith Alan Martin Lloyd

Keith Alan Martin Lloyd, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 8, 1977, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served two years probation, and three months jail. He was discharged on November 8, 1979, having completed his sentence.

Keith Alan Martin Lloyd has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated March 7, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Keith Alan Martin Lloyd has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Keith Alan Martin Lloyd a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Attorney for Defendant

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CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KEITH ALAN MARTIN LLOYD,	Case No.: 1499800 (Previous Case No. 146948)
For A Certificate of Rehabilitation and Pardon	**ORDER GRANTING CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION AND PARDON**
	Date: 03/07/2016
	Time: 8:30 a.m.
	Dept: 4

The petition of KEITH ALAN MARTIN LLOYD, presently residing at [redacted], [redacted] heretofore filed a petition praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation and Pardon pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on this 7th day of March, 2016, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on probation on November 8, 1979, that petition has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by

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his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15);

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, and this Court does hereby order adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: MAR 07 2016

JOSEPH RICHARD DIST. SC

Judge of the Superior Court

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Modesto, CA 95354

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Christina Beate Lockerby

Christina Beate Lockerby, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about January 21, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Ms. Lockerby robbed four liquor stores and a donut shop at gunpoint. She served four years, ten months prison, and three years parole. She was discharged on January 5, 2001, having completed her sentence.

Christina Beate Lockerby has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Merced, an order dated September 25, 2013, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Lockerby works in the mental health field and reports that she has participated in community-based drug prevention and youth leadership conferences for over fifteen years. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Christina Beate Lockerby has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Christina Beate Lockerby a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Box 44

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA [redacted]

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MERCED

CRM027832 Case

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

CR-093-15

CHRISTINA BEATE LOCKERBY

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) YA013384

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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MERCED SUPERIOR COURT

By: Rosie Hurado

Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Christina Beate Lockerby, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 12th day of July 2013 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on January 2001, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 5 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 25th day of September 2013.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

JEANNE SCHECHTER

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

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Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (*Revised 12/5/01*)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

David Loop

David Loop, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 25, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation, and 120 days jail. He was discharged on July 25, 1993, having completed his sentence.

He was sentenced on or about April 7, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, in separate cases, for the crimes of manufacturing a controlled substance. He served four years prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on May 31, 2003, having completed his sentence.

David Loop has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated May 20, 2013, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Loop owns his own business and is active in his community as part of his church's children's ministry and for donations and services for an equine organization that supports adults and children with developmental disabilities. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

The Board of Parole Hearings received and reviewed Mr. Loop's pardon application and related materials pursuant to California Penal Code section 4802, and recommended him for a pardon on February 22, 2017. Mr. Loop also received a recommendation for a pardon by a majority of the justices of the Supreme Court of California, received on July 13, 2017, as required by article V, section 8 subdivision (a) of the California Constitution.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, David Loop has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to David Loop a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Loop, David

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF **RIVERSIDE**

In the Matter of the Application of David Loop

Certificate Number IC **RIC1304343**

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) CR35703, RIF078776 & PEF00934
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COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of David Loop, last known address at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 16th May 2013, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on May 1, 2002, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been one time convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 5-20-13

Edward Webster
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Edward Webster
Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA EUREKA COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

List of Convictions: 11379.6 HS & 11378 HS

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Patrick Thomas Lowry

Patrick Thomas Lowry, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 31, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Placer for the crime of forgery. Specifically, Mr. Lowry cashed several forged checks he had stolen from a family member. He served one year, ten months probation, four months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on June 24, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Patrick Thomas Lowry has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sutter, an order dated June 20, 2014, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Lowry reports that he has been sober for twelve years. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Patrick Thomas Lowry has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Patrick Thomas Lowry a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

BPH-17019-12

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SUTTER

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

PATRIC THOMAS LOWRY
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) CRMS14-1043 Booking # Case# 622875
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COUNTY OF SUTTER
CLERK OF THE COURT
By Laura L. Zuniga Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of PATRICK THOMAS LOWRY, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 20th day
Day of the Month

of JUNE, 2014 and proof having been made to the
Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on JUNE 24, 2005, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been TWO ?
Total Number of Felony Convictions

time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 20th day of June, 2014
Day of the Month, Month, Year

BRIAN R. ARONSON
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 6/19/14)* *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jose Lozoya

Jose Lozoya, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 12, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 120 days jail. He was discharged on November 12, 1995, having completed his sentence.

Jose Lozoya has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jose Lozoya, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jose Lozoya a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE
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COUNTY OF ORANGE
CENTRAL JUSTICE CENTER
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ALAN CARLSON, Clerk of the Court
BY T. EBBERT DEPUTY

In the Matter of the Application of

JOSE LUIS ANDRADE LOZOYA

Petitioner's full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth: [redacted]
CII Number: [redacted]
Criminal Case Number(s): C97180

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
(Penal Code § 4852.13)

CERTIFICATE NUMBER:
M - 112045

The petition of JOSE LUIS ANDRADE LOZOYA, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], requesting a
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a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on 11/12/1992
Date

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 7-28-1993
Month Day, Year, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
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The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 5/15/15

Richard King
Judicial Officer - TYPED or PRINTED

Judicial Officer - SIGNATURE

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF ORANGE

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

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Form: L-410.2 [Rev. July 15, 2011]

Penal Code § 4852.13

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

John Holly Mackay

John Holly Mackay, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 17, 1980, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sonoma for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Mr. Mackay robbed a bank. He served three years probation, and seven months jail. He was discharged on March 17, 1983, having completed his sentence.

John Holly Mackay has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sonoma, an order dated April 19, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Mackay works as a vice president for business development and has provided mentorship to a number of individuals in the technology field. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, John Holly Mackay has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to John Holly Mackay a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Sonoma
Applicant's County of Residence

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In the Matter of the Application of

JOHN Holly Mackay
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 9933-C
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Clerk of the Superior Court of California
County of Sonoma
By
Deputy Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of JOHN HOLLY Mackay, presently residing [redacted] heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 19th day of April, 2016 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 9/29/1982, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has been One time(s) convicted of a felony;
Day of the Month / Month, Year / Month Day, Year / Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 19th day of April, 2016
Day of the Month / Month, Year

Robert LaForge
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 8/13/03)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Scott Marzahl

Scott Marzahl, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 8, 1985, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of transporting or selling a controlled substance. He served three years probation. He was discharged on March 8, 1988, having completed his sentence.

Scott Marzahl has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Scott Marzahl, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Scott Marzahl a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: SCOTT M. MARZAHL **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
COCAINE POSSESSION	3-MARCH-1983	LOS ANGELES	2 YEARS SUMMARY PROBATION +

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I WAS ARRESTED ON 3-MARCH-1983 IN MY HOME AFTER PROVIDING COCAINE TO AN AQUAINTANCE FROM ORANGE COUNTY. THE ARRESTING OFFICERS WERE FROM THE IRVINE POLICE DEPT [redacted]

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I AM REQUESTING A PARDON TO HAVE MY 2nd AMENDMENT RIGHTS REINSTATED. DUE to TODAYS CURRENT Political FOCUS ON RECENT GUN VIOLENCE IN THE COUNTRY I DO NOT MAKE THIS REQUEST WITHOUT GREAT CONSIDERATION AND THOUGHT WITH THIS SENSITIVE ISSUE.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

IT HAS BEEN OVER 30 YEARS SINCE COMPLETION OF MY TWO YEAS SUMMARY PROBATION WITHOUT INCIDENT AND MY RECORD EXPUNGED. I WAS MISTAKEN IN MY CRIME AND FALLING INTO THE WRONG GROUP OF PEOPLE AFTER

If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

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Marzahl

#3. I was an avid sporting clay shooter and hunter growing up in Wisconsin and throughout my service in the Marine Corps. Being over 30 years since handling a firearm and participating in those activities I would greatly like to return to these events and participate in hunting activities with my grown sons.

#4. an Honorable Discharge from the Marine Corps in 1981. Shortly after relocating to the Redondo Beach, Torrance area I was soon introduced to cocaine and became a very frequent user, finally resulting in my arrest in March 1983. That mistake has followed me ever since and it was a hard lesson to learn. I always tell my children to surround themselves with successful, intelligent people, avoid drugs, do not acquiesce to other people's standards and they will succeed in life.

I thought having an expunged record would allow me to purchase a firearm, however, recently I investigated the purchase of a firearm and was informed that this was not the case, and that a pardon was the only way to purchase/own a firearm. Since my arrest in 1983 I have never used drugs, associated with anyone who does, or committed a crime. Beginning in the fall of 1983 I began college at Cal Poly University-San Luis Obispo. I worked hard at two part time jobs, and combined with my Vietnam Era Veteran's Benefits from the Marine Corps I put myself through college, even earning a spot on the Dean's list several times. In addition to attending school, I married my wife and started a family, graduating in 1989 with a degree in Mechanical Engineering. Upon graduating I accepted a position with [redacted] in Seattle Washington where we have lived since. Today we have three grown wonderful and successful children which are all part of a loving family. I have had a successful and rewarding career with [redacted] and recently retired this past June 2015. Between raising a family with an emphasis on quality time together and the demands of work I have had little time for other activities. I would like to join a sportsman club for sporting clays, target shooting and the occasional hunting trip with my sons. However, that is not possible with the felony on my record. Therefore, I seek your consideration for a pardon.

Sincerely,
Scott Marzahl

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Guillermo Alberto Matus Salinas

Guillermo Alberto Matus Salinas, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 13, 2004, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of possession or purchase of a controlled substance for sale. He served six months probation, eight months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on August 17, 2006, having completed his sentence.

Guillermo Alberto Matus Salinas has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated July 14, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Guillermo Alberto Matus Salinas has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Guillermo Alberto Matus Salinas a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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In the Matter of the Application of

Guillermo Alberto Matussalinas

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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JUL 14 2016

Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By _____, Deputy
M. Seals

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number PA046802

Criminal Case Number(s) PA046802

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of GuillermcAlbertcMatussalinas presently residing at [redacted]

he ore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the St. f California, came on regularly for hearing on July 14, 2016

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled July 18, 2005

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Done in open court this 14 day of JULY 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

JAMES R. BRANDLIN
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court -

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Christina Marie Maunu (King)

Christina Marie Maunu, a resident of New Mexico, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about October 20, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of conspiracy to commit a crime. Specifically, Ms. Maunu participated in a conspiracy to sell methamphetamine. She served two years, eight months probation, and 120 days jail. She was discharged on July 11, 2002, having completed her sentence.

Christina Marie Maunu has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Maunu earned her bachelor's degree and two master's degrees, and was inducted into a business honor society. Ms. Maunu reports that she has been active with a cancer charity and donated to an animal rescue organization.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Christina Marie Maunu, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Christina Marie Maunu a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Christina Marie Navnu **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
182(a)(1) Conspiracy	4/8/99	Ventura	120 days
11550(A) under the influence	1/29/02	Ventura	Prop 36

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Both of these charges have been dismissed already. The 11550 was dismissed with completion of Prop 36 Probation. The 182 was expunged in 2006.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am seeking this, because I am requesting my gun rights to be restored.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

See Attached Document

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

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April 5, 2016

To Whom It May Concern

My name is Christina Marie Maunu. My maiden name and name on the proposed cases is Christina Marie King. I am 35 years old and soon to be 36 next month. I am a widowed single mother who works very hard to take care of my 16 year old son.

My charges were felony conspiracy at the age of 18, convicted at 19 and under the influence at 21 and convicted at the age of 22. These charges were both dismissed at different times. I was extremely young and stupid when I was caught up in this life style. I have been clean from all illegal substances since June 6 2002. I am very proud to say that.

I have since returned to school. I earned a Bachelor's of Science in Public Management from Northern Arizona University (NAU). In 2014, I earned a Masters of Business Administration (MBA) with a focus in Marketing from American Public University (APU). With this degree I graduated with honors. I also just finished the coursework for a second Master's degree. This one is a Masters in Science in Accounting. It will be conferred in May 2016. I guess you can say that I enjoy school and learning, because I do. If I could, I would get a PhD, but right now is not the right moment for that. Maybe later in life.

I currently work for [redacted]. I have been with the company for 9 years. I have held various positions throughout the time I have been with them. I started as a part-time sales associate and have worked my way up to the position that I currently hold as Assistant Store Manager. I have held this position for just about 4 years now. It is what brought me to where I currently reside as well, a small town in New Mexico. When my son graduates high school, I

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either plan to try to get into a position at [redacted] or earn another promotion to Co-Manager.

My 11550, under the influence charge, was dismissed with the completion of the Prop 36 program. The 182 conspiracy charge was expunged in 2006. I was having problems finding work with a felony conviction. I applied for it to be expunged and the judge granted it. I had assumed all my rights were restored when my record was expunged. It was not until a couple years ago that I had gone to purchase a firearm and was denied, that I had discovered that my gun rights were not restored with my expungement.

The town I live in is a small town but they are high hunting and gun enthusiasts. I wanted to learn how to shoot at the range here and the owner was going to teach me. Unfortunately, it makes it difficult without being able to purchase a firearm.

I am requesting that I have my gun rights restored. When they were taken, I was 19 years old. I did not understand the depth of what taking my rights away were and what that truly meant. I have my right to vote and I utilize that right as an American citizen to have my voice heard during election season. It would make me extremely happy to have my all rights back.

Thank you very much.

Christina Mauro

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Kim Jeanien McElroy

Kim Jeanien McElroy, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about January 11, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Solano for the crime of burglary. She served three years, one month parole. She was discharged on February 16, 1998, having completed her sentence.

Kim Jeanien McElroy has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Solano, an order dated February 15, 2005, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. McElroy is a certified nursing assistant. She reports that she was active in her daughters' extracurricular activities and donated to a homeless shelter. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Kim Jeanien McElroy has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Kim Jeanien McElroy a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Clerk of the Superior Court

FEB 16 2005

CHARLES D. RAMEY
MARINA DEWYNTER
DEPUTY CLERK

This instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office

ATTEST: FEB 16 2005

CHARLES D. RAMEY, Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Solano

By _____ DEPUTY CLERK

THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SOLANO

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, Plaintiff -vs- KIM JEANIEN MCELROY, DOB [redacted] CII No. [redacted] Defendant & Petitioner	No. FC38409 CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION (Penal Code §4852.13)

Following a regularly noticed hearing on January 20, 2005, and good cause appearing therefore, it is hereby ordered that Petitioner Kim Jeanien McElroy has been rehabilitated, and it is hereby recommended that the Governor of the State of California grant said Kim Jeanien McElroy a full pardon.

DATED: 2-15-05

RAMONA J. GARRETT
Judge of the Superior Court

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Sean William McGinnis

Sean William McGinnis, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 26, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino for the crime of giving away marijuana. He served three years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on January 26, 1998, having completed his sentence.

Sean William McGinnis has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated June 15, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Sean William McGinnis has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Sean William McGinnis a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPE[illegible]OR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:

Sean William McGinnis

Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

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By _____ Deputy
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CII Number: [redacted]

Certificate Case Number: BA435341

Criminal Case Number(s): FWV05845

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petitioner is presently residing at:

[redacted]

Heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California came on regularly for hearing on 6/15/16.

And proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 1/26/98.

That, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 15 day of JUNE, 2016

James R. Brandlin

Judge of the Superior Court – TYPED or Printed

Judge of the Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Emmanuel Reyes Medel

Emmanuel Reyes Medel, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 16, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of arson. Specifically, Mr. Medel apparently set two fires at the condominium complex where he was living. He served four months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on July 22, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Emmanuel Reyes Medel has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated February 6, 1997, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Medel reports that he helps care for his grandchild and supported his wife through her cancer treatment. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Emmanuel Reyes Medel has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Emmanuel Reyes Medel a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

EMMANUEL REYES MEDEL
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO.: BA108919 A983405

CII No.: [redacted]

Date of Birth: [redacted]

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of Emmanuel Reyes Medel, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 30th day of July, 1998, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole ~~or probation~~ on June 22, 1990 that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) ~~(twice)(thrice)~~ convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said peitioner.

Done in open court this 6th day of August, 1998.

SUPERIOR COURT LOS ANGELES

(Judge of said Superior Court)

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Miguel Angel Mendoza

Miguel Angel Mendoza, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 15, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crime of driving under the influence causing bodily injury. He served seven months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on November 24, 2000, having completed his sentence.

Miguel Angel Mendoza has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated September 14, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Lewis reports that he volunteers with a local school and a group helping wounded warriors. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Miguel Angel Mendoza has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Miguel Angel Mendoza a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

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COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
BY Teresa Jones DEPUTY

In The Matter of the Application of	Case No.: 203434
MIGUEL ANGEL MENDOZA	CII NO.:
For a Certificate of Rehabilitation and Pardon	DATE OF BIRTH: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of MIGUEL ANGEL MENDOZA, presently residing at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5. Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 14th day of September, 2015, and for proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law: and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on November 24, 2000, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has been (once) (twice)(thrice) convicted of a felony:

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 14th, day of September, 2015.

Superior Court Judge
Edward M. Lacy Jr.

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jeffery Glen Miles

Jeffery Glen Miles, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 19, 2001, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of bringing alcohol or drugs into a prison. Specifically, while working at a state prison, Mr. Miles brought alcohol disguised as water into the facility and sold it to inmates. He served three years probation. He was discharged on July 19, 2004, having completed his sentence.

Jeffery Glen Miles has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated October 20, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Miles reports that he volunteers at a church food ministry and was described as a family man who loves to serve people and the community. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jeffery Glen Miles has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jeffery Glen Miles a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Jeffery Glen Miles

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number BA216949

Criminal Case Number(s) BA216949

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By B. Perez, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of JefferyGlenMiles presently residing at [redacted]

he[illegible]fore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the S[illegible]f California, came on regularly for hearing on October 20, 2016

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Granted Probation July 19, 2001

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 20 day of OCTOBER 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

JAMES R. BRADLEY

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court -

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

James Michael Miller

James Michael Miller, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 24, 1978, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Shasta for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served three years probation, and 30 days jail. He was discharged on July 24, 1981, having completed his sentence.

James Michael Miller has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Shasta, an order dated January 18, 1991, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, James Michael Miller has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James Michael Miller a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF

In the Matter of the Application of

JAMES MICHAEL MILLER
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO.: 104727

CII No.: _____

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of JAMES MICHAEL MILLER, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed. praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 18th day of JANUARY, 1991, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on MARCH 24, 1981, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice)(thrice) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said peitioner.

Done in open court this 18th day of January, 1991.

(Judge of said Superior Court)

THIS INSTRUMENT IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE

ATTEST: JAN 24 1991

ANN REED
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Shasta.

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Michael Minotti

Michael Minotti, a resident of New York, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 13, 1989, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of mayhem. He served four years probation, and 60 days jail. He was discharged on July 13, 1993, having completed his sentence.

Michael Minotti has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Minotti owns a remodeling business and reports that he no longer drinks. He reports that he has donated to a children's hospital and a homeless shelter.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Michael Minotti, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Michael Minotti a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Michael Minotti Date of Birth: [redacted] E-mail Address: [redacted]

[redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. **Conviction Summary:**

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Mahem	5/09/89	LOSANGELES	Suspended

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

WAS 22 years OLD I WAS DRINKING IN THEM years A MAN got Jealous when I was TALKING TO His girl PUNCH Him AND His FRIENDS JUMPED ME, I WAS BEAT up BAD, I BIT THE MAN ON His EAR-

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

I AM A CHRISTIAN AND OWN A Construction Company I AM Trying TO CLEAN Up My Past I HAD NO FATHER And Chose BAD CHOICES IN My Life, I NO Longer Drink AND WOULD Like TO Be Allowed TO Have My Rights Back TO OWN Fire ARMS.

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):**

I AM A VERY KIND person, NO VIOLENCE ON my Record I Did Make many BAD choices, I DO Live A very Clean Life, I OWN A Construted Company [redacted]

5. **If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):**

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Louis Raul Mondragon-Tiznado

Louis Raul Mondragon-Tiznado, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 18, 1986, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of conspiracy to commit crime, transporting or selling a controlled substance, and possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served one year, nine months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on March 18, 1989, having completed his sentence.

Louis Raul Mondragon-Tiznado has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo, an order dated June 26, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Louis Raul Mondragon-Tiznado has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Louis Raul Mondragon-Tiznado a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

CR-134-15

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

CV 633084 (A)

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

LUIS RAUL MONDRAGON TIZNADO

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DEPUTY CLERK

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Luis Raul Mondragon Tiznado, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this _____ day

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of _____ and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on March 18, 1989, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 3 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 26TH day of June, 2015.

Day of the Month — Month, Year

Leland Davis, III

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 7/6/2005)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Amber Moore (Morgan)

Amber Moore, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about December 22, 1994, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Ms. Moore robbed an elderly woman of her purse. She served nine months prison, and one year, one month parole. She was discharged on December 14, 1996, having completed her sentence.

Amber Moore has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Humboldt, an order dated August 23, 2016, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Moore is employed as a nurse and reports that she has volunteered with senior citizens. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Amber Moore has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Amber Moore a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 421 I St Eureka, CA 95501-0559	*For Court Use Only*
In the Matter of the Application of Amber Moore (aka Morgan) *Petitioner's full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable* Date of Birth: [redacted] CII Number: [redacted] Criminal Case Number(s): GA021418-02	FILED AUG 23 2016 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION (Penal Code § 4852.13)	CERTIFICATE NUMBER: CR 1602682

The petition of Amber Moore (aka Morgan), presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], requesting a
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on ~~August 4, 2016~~ August 23 2016
Date

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on

December 12, 1994
Month Day, Year

, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been one (1) time(s) convicted of an eligible offense;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 08/23/2016

JOYCE D. HINRICHS
Judicial Officer - TYPED or PRINTED

Joyce D Hinrichs
Judicial Officer - SIGNATURE

JOYCE D. HINRICHS

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

This form was prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILIATION

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Penal Code § 4852.13

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Kelly Patrick Moriarty

Kelly Patrick Moriarty, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 13, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Cruz for the crime of manufacturing a controlled substance. He served two years, six months prison, and two years parole. He was discharged on June 23, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Kelly Patrick Moriarty has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Cruz, an order dated May 27, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Kelly Patrick Moriarty has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Kelly Patrick Moriarty a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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Secretary of State

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Phon[redacted]
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Attorney for Defendant,
Kelly Moriarty

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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,

Plaintiff/ respondent,

vs.

KELLY PATRICK MORIARTY,

Defendant/ Petitioner.

/

No. S8-08324

[Proposed] ORDER RE: PETITION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION; POINTS AND AUTHORITIES; [Proposed] ORDER [PENAL CODE SECTION 4852.01, et seq]

FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN AND IN THE INTERESTS OF JUSTICE, after a full hearing on the matter and based on all the evidence before it, this Court finds that Mr. Kelly Patrick Moriarty has been fully rehabilitated and, therefore, grants to him a certificate of rehabilitation in the above entitled matter pursuant to Penal Code section 4852.01, et seq.

So Ordered.

Dated: 5/27/16

Judge of the Superior Court

I hereby certify the foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.
DATE 5/31/16
ALEX CALVO, CLERK
By Cathy Trotter, Deputy

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Banjong Muninnopmas

Banjong Muninnopmas, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about May 13, 2011, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of disorderly conduct prostitution, a misdemeanor. She served two years probation. She was discharged on May 13, 2013, having completed her sentence.

Banjong Muninnopmas has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Muninnopmas reports that she is an active member of her temple and volunteers there by serving and feeding the less fortunate.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Banjong Muninnopmas, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Banjong Muninnopmas a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

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Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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Secretary of State

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Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Banjeng Muninnspmas **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Num** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
PC 647 (B)	5/13/2011	Los Angeles	Suspended, 24 mos probation + community service
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2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attachment

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attachment

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please see attatchment

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

None

Banjong Muninnopmas
[redacted]

February 13, 2017

[redacted]

Governor Jerry Brown
Attn: Office of Legal Affairs
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Governor Brown,

Please accept and decide favorably on this request for a pardon of a misdemeanor offense I committed in May 2011.

Question 2: Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon.

Reply, on 5/31/2011, , while working as a Professional Massage Therapist (CAMTC Lic #8402, valid 05/2010 – 05/2012) an undercover LAPD vice officer accused me of violating PC 647(B), Solicitation, which was charged as a misdemeanor offense.

At the time, despite the fact that I informed the Public Defender I had an immigration attorney working on my 'Adjustment of Status,' The PD never made any effort to contact my immigration attorney.

Despite the fact that I had no criminal record, not even one ticket for an infraction, and despite the fact that a criminal might jeopardize my application for an Adjustment of Status, the PD advised me to plead No Contest rather than ask for a trial with a judge and jury, not a commissioner.

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Question 3: Explain why you are requesting a pardon

It is my understanding that as a misdemeanor conviction, I can not apply to the Los Angeles City Prosecutor or Los Angeles Superior Court for a **Certificate of Rehabilitation,** COR's are only an option available to persons convicted of a felony or required to register as a sex offender per PC 290, which I was not to do.

Because of my arrest and conviction, since 2012, the California Massage Therapy Council ('CAMTC') has denied my applications to renew my license to be a Certified Massage Therapist. My last application to CAMTC was submitted November 2015, routed to CAMTC's Professional Standards Division, where it sat until December 2016, 11 months. In denying my application, CAMTC, CAMTC stated their decision was based on a determination that I had not proven that I had rehabilitated myself.

Question 4: Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon:

1) **Because I was charged with a misdemeanor and not a felony, there is no process under the statutes to petition the Superior Court for a Certificate of Rehabilitation My only option is a pardon from the governor.**
2) **I complied with all the conditions of my probation**: I performed 80 hours of community service, had a HIV blood test, completed an AIDS education class and satisfactorily completed 24 months of probation.
3) **I was not required to register as a sex offender** under any section of PC 290.
4) **I was not sentenced to any jail time.** I did spend two days in custody between the day of arrest and court hearing.
5) **I have acted responsibly and have never been arrested prior to or since** the one incident in 2011, six years ago.
6) **In November 2013, I filed a 1203.4 request** to have my no contest plea withdrawn and Not Guilty entered into the court record. **The Los Angeles District Attorney and Superior Court approved my 1203.4 petition.**
7) In the past 24 months, **I have completed 600 hours of additional massage therapy education**, well beyond the requirements of CAMTC
8) I **have provided CAMTC with a LiveScan report** showing other than the one arrest in 2011, I have no record of any other arrests.
9) **I have submitted letters of support for my good character** to CAMTC with my last application, to no avail.

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10) **CAMTC will not approve my application to act as a Certified Massage Therapist until I am able to provide evidence and prove to them I have rehabilitated myself. Since the Superior Court has no authority to issue a Certificate of Rehabilitation, only the Governor, thru his power to grant a pardon, can exonerate me and provide the proof that CAMTC demands.**

11) I have been a practicing massage therapist for more than 25 years, CAMTC is violating my civil rights to practice in the field I have studied and trained for. CAMTC demands Proof of Rehabilitation which does not exist for misdemeanor offenses. It's a Catch-22 situation.

12) Despite LAC Sheriff and LAPD policies to not cooperate with ICE, after the Court hearing in 2011, at ICE's request, I was transferred to the Los Angeles County jail for women in Lennox, CA and held for four days for possible deportation hearings.

13) My immigration attorney successfully defended me in Federal Court to prevent deportation and have me released.

14) Because of the statements and action of the Trump government and recent events in Phoenix, I am very scared ICE will try to deport me again because of this one incident.

I, Banjong Muninnopmas, declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatements of facts may result in a denial of the application and the filing of perjury against me.

February 13, 2017

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Banjong Muninnopmas

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Alice Joann Murdy (Mojarro)

Alice Joann Murdy, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about September 21, 1976, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Inyo, for the crime of embezzlement. Specifically, Ms. Murdy improperly obtained welfare benefits on behalf of her son. She served three years probation, and 90 days jail. She was discharged on September 21, 1979, having completed her sentence.

Alice Joann Murdy has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Inyo, an order dated April 6, 2015, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Murdy reports that she volunteers with a local youth sports team and gives generously to local charities. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Alice Joann Murdy has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Alice Joann Murdy a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF INYO

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of
ALICE JOANN MURDY, ALSO KNOWN AS
ALICE JOANN MOJARRO
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
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CII Number [redacted]

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of ALICE JOANN MURDY, ALSO known as ALICE JOANN MOJARRO, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 6th day of April, 2015 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on August 1, 1986, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been one time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

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Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 6th day of April, 2015.

Day of the Month

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BRIAN T. LAMB PT.
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT
INYO COUNTY CALIFORNIA

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

James Peron Murphy

James Peron Murphy, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 12, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served seven months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on January 23, 2004, having completed his sentence.

James Peron Murphy has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Placer, an order dated March 14, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, James Peron Murphy has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James Peron Murphy a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Placer

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

James Peron Murphy

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

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By S. Vidal, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of James Peron Murphy, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 14th. day of March 2012 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 03/01/2004, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has been One time(s) convicted of a felony;

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 14TH day of March 2012.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

LARRY D. GADDY

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 12/5/01)*

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mony Neth

Mony Neth, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 1, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, for the crimes of receiving known stolen property, possess, manufacture or sell a dangerous weapon and participation in a criminal street gang. He served one year, nine months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on May 10, 2000, having completed his sentence.

Mony Neth has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated July 28, 2017, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Mony Neth has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mony Neth a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 6th Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

CR-2248-17

MONY NETH

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number 291976

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 4419

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of MONY NETH, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 28th day of July 2017 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 5/10/1997, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONCE time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 28th day of July 2017

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Distaso, Joseph R.

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 8/12/08)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Robert David Nichols

Robert David Nichols, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 12, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo for the crime of possession or purchase of a controlled substance for sale. He served two years probation, and 45 days jail. He was discharged on September 12, 1992, having completed his sentence.

Robert David Nichols has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Stanislaus, an order dated May 18, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Robert David Nichols has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Robert David Nichols a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Stanislaus

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Robert David Nichols

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number SC-24883

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Robert David Nichols, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted]

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 20th day of April 2016 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 12/1992, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Month Day, Year

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 18th day of May 2016

Day of the Month

Month, Year

RICARDO CORDOVA

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Charles Roland Ogden

Charles Roland Ogden, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 10, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served three years probation, and 180 days jail. He was discharged on December 9, 2001, having completed his sentence.

Charles Roland Ogden has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, an order dated June 2, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Charles Roland Ogden has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Charles Roland Ogden a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

CHARLES ROLAND OGDEN
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
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CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) FCH03022
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CURRENT CASE NO.

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of CHARLES ROLAND OGDEN, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 2nd June day
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of June, 2015 and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 12/10/98, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total No. of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 2nd day of JUNE, 2015
Day of the Month, Month, Year

COLIN J BILASH
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Colin J Bilash
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

COLIN J. BILASH

FORM 3 (Revised 9/29/14)

This form was prepared by the Investigation Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

George Olivarez

George Olivarez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 27, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, for the crime of receiving known stolen property. Specifically, Mr. Olivarez appears to have been involved with the sale of stolen car parts. He served five years probation. He was discharged on April 27, 1997, having completed his sentence.

George Olivarez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated March 19, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Olivarez reports that he volunteers with a local youth sports team. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, George Olivarez has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to George Olivarez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-19099-15

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

In the Matter of the Application of **George Olivarez**

Certificate Number PSC1406461

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) ICR15429 Riverside County

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COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **George Olivarez,** residence located at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **March 19, 2015**

Proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **unknown** that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4,

And that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil And political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a **felony**

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 03/19/15

Becky L. Dugan
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

List of Convictions: 496 PC

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Daniel Patrick Olson

Daniel Patrick Olson, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 20, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Cruz for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served five years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on April 20, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Daniel Patrick Olson has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Cruz, an order dated March 29, 2002, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Daniel Patrick Olson has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Daniel Patrick Olson a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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DEPUTY, SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

Form 3 (Revised 7/83)

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ

In the Matter of the Application of

DANIEL PATRICK OLSON
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO.: CR-5369

CII No.: [redacted]

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of Daniel Patrick Olson, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 29th day of March, 2002, ~~19~~, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on January 26, 1995, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice)(thrice) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 29th day of March 2002, ~~19~~

(Judge of said Superior Court)
THOMAS E. KELLY

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Michelle Palmer

Michelle Palmer, a resident of Nevada, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about November 9, 1982, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. She served three years probation, and eight days jail. She was discharged on November 19, 1985, having completed her sentence.

Michelle Palmer has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Michelle Palmer, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Michelle Palmer a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

D-479-15

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: MICHELLE C. PALMER **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
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Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):
AT THE TIME I WAS YOUNG AND FOOLISH. HANGING AROUND THE WRONG CROWD. I KNEW BETTER BUT DID NOT DO WHAT WAS WRIGHT. PERSONS KNEW I WAS IN TOUCH WITH THE WRONG CROWD AND OFFERED ME MONEY TO INTRODUCE THEM TO THEM AND GIVE THEM A RIDE FROM POINT A TO POINT B AND PAY ME TO DO SO. I WAS COMING FROM A SOUR DOMESTIC VIOLENT ARGUMENT WITH A LITTLE GIRL AND NEEDED THE MONEY. ANY AMOUNT OF MONEY IS NOT WORTH DOING WHAT IS NOT RIGHT

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):
IT HAS BEEN ALMOST 40 YEARS SINCE I MADE THIS BAD CHOICE. I SERVED TIME, PAID RESTITUTION, PROBATION. I HAVE CONTINUED TO VOLUNTEER IN MY COMMUNITY. I DONATE MY TIME TO SCHOOLS AS A MENTOR AS WELL WORKING WITH KIDS TO MAKE BETTER CHOICES!

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):
I JUST RECEIVED MY STATE LICENCE TO BE A CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) INSTRUCTOR HOWEVER MY PAST CHOICES IS STOPPING ME FROM GETTING EMPLOYMENT. I LEARNED MY LESSON. I WANT TO HELP KIDS TO BE GOOD CITIZENS. I AM STILL A VOLENTEER A VARIOUS NON-PROFITS *

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):
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* THAT WERE PART OF MY PROBATION. [redacted] I HAVE BEEN WITH FOR 25 YEARS PRIOR T[redacted] I VOLENTEERED WITH LOCAL OFFICE OF [redacted]. THE SAME EXECUTIVE DIRECTER WAS WITH [redacted] NOW WITH [redacted]

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jarred Parker

Jarred Parker, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 12, 1996, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crime of selling or furnishing marijuana. He served three years probation, and 62 days jail. He was discharged on June 12, 1999, having completed his sentence.

Jarred Parker has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jarred Parker, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jarred Parker a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Jarred Parker Date of Birth: [redacted] Email Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including in any other states or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of Conviction(s):	Sentences(s):
	1996	1996 San Diego	
Giving Marijuana away			

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Gave marijuana away to a undercover officer

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Want to possess firearm

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached Letter

If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):

NO

Parker, Jarred

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I have been living in the state of Washington for 15 plus years now and in that time frame I have become a productive member of society. I am looking to be able to bare arms in Washington so that I may be able to teach my children fire arms safety as well as take them hunting. At this time I am currently in charge of running a faith based recovery program in the city in which I reside. I have maintained employment until my injury in 2012 which rendered me unable to work. During this time I have also stayed out of further trouble and attached y ou can find a copy of my Washington State Patrol background check. I fully plan to continue to stay on the path in life I am on and would greatly appreciate it if you would consider granting me a full governor's pardon so that I may enjoy recreational activities with my children that involve the safe use of fire arms. As well as allowing me the ability to teach my children proper and adequate fire arms safety.

Thank You,

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

David William Pate

David William Pate, a resident of Oregon, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 11, 1981, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of possession of marijuana for sale. He served three years, eleven months probation, and one year jail. He was discharged on January 26, 1985, having completed his sentence.

David William Pate has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, David William Pate, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to David William Pate a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: DAVID WILLIAM PATE **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

[redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of conviction(s):**	**Sentence(s):**
11359 FELONY	11/19/80	LOS ANGELES	4 YRS PROBATION
12025 MISDEMEANOR	11/04/85	LOS ANGELES	2 YRS PROBATION
12031 MISDEMEANOR	11/04/85	LOS ANGELES	2 YRS PROBATION
FISHING VIOLATION - MISDEMEANOR 1991		CLARK COUNTY WA.	400.00 FINE

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I WAS ARRESTED IN NOV. 1980 FOR POSSESSION AND SALES OF MARIJUANA AT MY RESIDENCE IN TORRANCE CA.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I HAVE BEEN GRANTED FIREARMS RESTORATION IN WA. STATE AND OREGON, SO I CAN OBTAIN A HUNTING LICENSE AND POSSESS A FIREARM IN ORDER TO ENGAGE IN HUNTING, I WOULD LIKE TO DO SO ELSEWHERE AND THIS WOULD ALSO OPEN UP NEW JOB OPPORTONITIES TO BETTER MY LIFE FOR MY FAMILY.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

SINCE MY CRIMES I'VE LIVED AN HONEST LIFE, I HAVE 6 CHILDREN, 8 GRAND KIDS AND HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED AT THE SAME JOB FOR 26 YRS, I'VE EXHIBITED GOOD MORAL CHARACTER AND CONDUCTED MYSELF AS A LAW ABIDING CITIZEN. FOR THE LAST 25 YRS I HAVE HAD NO CONVICTIONS

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Brian Patton

Brian Patton, a resident of Mississippi, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 18, 1981, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Joaquin, for the crime of grand theft, taking a vehicle without owner consent and receiving known stolen property. Specifically, Mr. Patton stole a handgun, several musical instruments, stereo equipment, and a van. He served one year, one month prison, and three years, six months parole. He was discharged on August 5, 1987, having completed his sentence.

Brian Patton has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Patton served in the United States Army for 27 years as a highly decorated test pilot.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Brian Patton, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Brian Patton a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

D-72516

Office of the Governor
State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

Please TYPE or PRINT in blue or black ink.

I.

APPLICANT INFORMATION
To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
Patton (aka Gregory)	Brian (aka Patrick)	None (aka Jay)

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

Current Residence

Address		Apartment, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
[redacted]		
City	State	Zip code
[redacted]	MS	[redacted]

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

- ☑ Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01
- ☐ Commutation of current sentence
- ☐ Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☐ Compassionate Release
- ☐ Other

Why are you requesting clemency?

Conviction Information

Commitment Offense

Penal Code, Sections 487.1, 496.1, and Vehicle Code, Section 10851

Date of offense	Date of conviction	Arresting agency	County of conviction
07/27/1981	11/18/1981	Merced Police Dept.	Merced
Superior court case number	**Your trial attorney's name and address**	**Sentence**	**If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any?**
Merced No. 10805	Do Not Recall	2 YEARS PRISON	NO

Did you appeal your case? ☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes, appellate case number and status of case

Patton

Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Misdemeanor Petty Theft	02/07/1980	Mariposa (No. 5368)	6 months probation.
Grand theft + Petty Theft w/ Prior	03/20/1980	Mariposa (No. 683)	2 years probation. Felony was reduced and dismissed on 07/16/2015.

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? ☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.

First and last name:
RICHARD GLEN BOIRE (SBN 148189)

Telephone number:
[redacted]

Address:
LAW FIRM OF RICHARD GLEN BOIRE, 216 F STREET, NO. 9 DAVIS/CA 95616

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? ☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.

First and last name:
MY ATTORNEY (SEE ABOVE)

Telephone number:

Address:

Patton

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE Complete this section if you are presently in prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.
Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency: N/A
Your current physician's name:
Physician's address:
Physician's telephone number:
Have you applied to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation or the Board of Parole Hearings for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? ❑ Yes ❑ No
What was the result?

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION Complete this section if you have completed your sentence, you are requesting clemency based upon rehabilitation, and you are not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.
Give a brief account of your offense.
PLEASE SEE ATTACHED DECLARATION OF PETITIONER AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, WHICH ARE INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE
Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration.
PLEASE SEE ATTACHED DECLARATION OF PETITIONER AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, WHICH ARE INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE
Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you)
No problems whatsoever on parole. Completed without incident. PLEASE SEE ATTACHED DECLARATION OF PETITIONER AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, WHICH ARE INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE
When were you discharged from probation or parole? Paroled from CDC on 01/11/1983
Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release.
Highly Decorated War Veteran. PLEASE SEE ATTACHED DECLARATION OF PETITIONER AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, WHICH ARE INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE.
Why you are requesting a pardon?
PLEASE SEE ATTACHED DECLARATION OF PETITIONER AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, WHICH ARE INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE.

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PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered **after** conviction and explain its importance.

N/A

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

N/A

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

N/A

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

N/A

Was this evidence presented at trial?

N/A

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

N/A

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this section if you are currently under sentence and requesting clemency for any reason not covered above.

Explain why you are requesting clemency.

N/A

Have you sought relief from the courts?

N/A

Patton

III
NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Penal Code section 4804 requires that you give the district attorney of the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon. You must complete the attached form and mail it to the district attorney **before** you submit this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each district attorney must be given notice.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the district attorney of the county of

Merced & Mariposa ***with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon, as required by Penal Code section 4804.***
(Name of county)

(Applicant's signature) 2/15/2016 (Date)

IV
DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This Application for Clemency may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code Section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the forgoing is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in denial of my application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

(Applicant's signature) 2/15/2016 (Date signed)

RICHARD GLEN BOIRE, #148189
Law Firm of Richard Glen Boire
216 F Street # 9
Davis, CA 95616
Telephone: [redacted]
FAX: [redacted]
Email: [redacted]

Attorney For: BRIAN PATTON (aka Patrick Jay Gregory)

DECLARATION OF BRIAN PATTON

IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR TRADITIONAL GOVERNOR'S PARDON

(Penal Code, §§ 4800-4813)

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Plaintiff,

v.

BRIAN PATTON
(aka Patrick Jay Gregory)

Defendant and Applicant.

I, BRIAN PATTON, hereby declare:

1. I was born on [redacted], and currently reside in Terry, Mississippi.

2. Approximately 35 years ago, on or about November 18, 1981, I was convicted of grand theft (Pen. Code, § 487.1), joyriding (Veh. Code, § 10851), and receiving stolen property (Pen. Code, § 496.1) in Merced County case number 10805. I was sentenced to two years prison.

Patton

3. I was just 19 years old at the time, immature, and reckless. My offense involved helping my roommate steal a van and remove the stereo equipment. I have matured a great deal on the intervening 35 years, and regret my actions as a young man.

4. While in prison, I resolved to get my life back on track. I did not have many options. In 1984, I lied about my name (in order to escape my felony record) and was able to join the US Army.

5. I served in the US Army for 27 years, before being honorably discharged in 2011. I was a test pilot and served in major deployments, including Iraq, Albania, and Haiti. During my service, I received 13 awards and handled assignments all across the globe. I am proud of my service and I believe that I earned the trust and respect of every person that I worked with in the Army. (See Attached Letters of Support.)

6. With the exception of my stupid behavior when I was 18 and 19, my life has been entirely stable and law abiding. I have been married for over 30 years, and my wife and I have three grown children and three grand children.

7. Having retired from the military, I have been seriously considering running for office here in Mississippi. I am very concerned that my offenses as a younger man will make it impossible to run for public office, and I am trying to do everything possible to lessen the negative impact of my convictions.

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8. I respectfully ask the Governor to grant my request for a full and unconditional pardon.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on 25 JAN, 2016, in [redacted] Mississippi.

BRIAN PATTON, Applicant

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Cynthia Pena

Cynthia Pena, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about October 3, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Ms. Pena attempted to shoplift and resisted arrest from security. She served two years, two months prison, and three years parole. She was discharged on January 7, 2006, having completed her sentence.

Cynthia Pena has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated April 7, 2016, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Pena reports that she has volunteered at a college and community organization for the past six years. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Cynthia Pena has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Cynthia Pena a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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In the Matter of the Application of

Cynthia Pena

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By _____, Deputy
E. Perez

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number PA036476

Criminal Case Number(s) PA036476 LA035992

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of CynthiaPena presently residing at

[redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the of California, came on regularly for hearing on April 7, 2016

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on

Paroled January 7, 2003

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 2 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 7 day of APRIL 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

SCOTT M. GORDON
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

Judge of said Superior Court

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Derek Perez

Derek Perez, a resident of Idaho, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 27, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of burglary Specifically, Mr. Perez stole a purse, a wristwatch, three cameras, and other miscellaneous items. He served two years, seven months probation, and 365 days jail. He was discharged on November 22, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Derek Perez has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Perez reports that he is active in his local church and volunteers at a foodbank.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Derek Perez, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Derek Perez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Derek Perez **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
459 PC Fel	12-24-1999	Los Angeles	3 Years Probation, 1 Year County Jail, and Restitution

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

The victim, [redacted] assaulted my brother with another man, stole my $800 racing bike, and hung me by my ankles with a garden hose from a tree until my nose bled. I broke into the victim's house to get my bike back, but he had sold it for marijuana. Out of foolish anger and pride; I stole from him and was arrested walking home.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I now live in Idaho, where hunting is a popular hobby, and I'd like to own a rifle for hunting deer and a handgun to protect my family and I from cougars, grizzlies, wolves, and black bears. I need my 2ND Amendment right restored for this. I'd also like to have them for home defense to protect my wife and 6 & 8 year old kids.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I completed my jail time, probation, and restitution payments early, with the Judge being so pleased; she tried to reduce the charge to a misdemeanor, but it wasn't reduceable. I have no additional convictions and have had no new convictions. I am also now a responsible small business owner of [redacted] LLC, out of Caldwell, ID. and the father of 2 beautiful children that are 6 and 8 years old. I am a member of Gideons International also.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

This occurred when I was 19 years old, I am now 34 years old,

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State of California

PARDON

Casey Martin Peters

Casey Martin Peters, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 16, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, for the crime of attempted carjacking, and assault with a stun gun. He served two months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on August 15, 2000, having completed his sentence.

Casey Martin Peters has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, an order dated April 27, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Casey Martin Peters has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Casey Martin Peters a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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In the Matter of the Application of
CASEY MARTIN PETERS
Petitioner's full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Date of Birth: [redacted]
CII Number: [redacted]
Criminal Case Number(s): 98NF1217

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
(Penal Code § 4852.13)

CERTIFICATE NUMBER:
M - 98NF1217

The petition of CASEY MARTIN PETERS
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

presently residing [redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

requesting a a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on April 4, 2012
Date

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on August 1999
Month Day, Year

, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been one time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 4-27-12

JUDGE ROBERT R. FITZGERALD
Judicial Officer - TYPED or PRINTED

JUDGE ROBERT R. FITZGERALD
Judicial Officer - SIGNATURE

This form was prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Donald Christian Peterson

Donald Christian Peterson, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 5, 1979, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crime of attempted robbery. Specifically, Mr. Peterson entered a fast food restaurant after hours. He served five years probation. He was discharged on January 5, 1984, having completed his sentence.

Donald Christian Peterson has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Shasta, an order dated March 21, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Peterson reports he served honorably in the United States Navy and is now self-employed. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Donald Christian Peterson has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Donald Christian Peterson a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SHASTA
[Petitioner's County of Residence]

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... the Matter of the Petition of:

DONALD CHRISTIAN PETERSON

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Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number: _____

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[Assigned by the Court]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

[Pursuant to Penal Code § 4852.13]

The petition of Donald Christian Peterson, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to Chapter 3.5 (commencing with Section 4852.01), of Title 6, of Part 3, of the Penal Code, came on regularly for hearing on 3/21/2016, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of this Court that all allegations in the petition are true, and that the mandatory period of rehabilitation, including any additional years required by Penal Code §4852.04, subdivision (a), has elapsed as required by law, and that, where required, the Petitioner applied for and received a dismissal pursuant to Penal Code §§ 1203.4 or 1203.4a, and that the Petitioner has demonstrated by a course of conduct that he or she has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as otherwise provided in Penal Code §4852.15),

***WHEREFORE*, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that:**

The Petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all of the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as otherwise provided in Penal Code §4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to the Petitioner.

Dated: 3/21/16

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form was created in part from a form prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code §4852.18 (2/1/07)

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Richard Darrington Pfeiffer

Richard Darrington Pfeiffer, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 8, 1989, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crimes of robbery, and attempted burglary with use of a weapon. Specifically, Mr. Pfeiffer robbed several cashiers while armed with a box cutter. He served one year, seven months prison, and three years probation. He was discharged on May 3, 1994, having completed his sentence.

Richard Darrington Pfeiffer has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, an order dated May 9, 1996, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Pfeiffer reports he has performed pro bono work with several criminal justice organizations. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Richard Darrington Pfeiffer has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Richard Darrington Pfeiffer a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Orange

In the Matter of the Application of

Richard Darington Pfeiffer
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO. CR 72370

CII No.:

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of Richard Darington Pfeiffer, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 3rd day of May, 1996, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on May 2, 1994, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice)(thrice) convicted of a felony.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this ~~3rd~~ 9th DOC day of May, 1996

Edward O. Carter
(Judge of said Superior Court)

DAVID O. CARTER

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Christopher Thomas Pumo

Christopher Thomas Pumo, a resident of Florida, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about December 19, 2001, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, for the crime of transporting controlled substances. He served three months probation, and 116 days jail. He was discharged on April 3, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Christopher Thomas Pumo has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Christopher Thomas Pumo, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Christopher Thomas Pumo a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Christopher Puno **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Section 11379(A) HS	12-19-2001	Santa Clara	Pled No Contest

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I pled no contest to the above felony drug offenses - two counts when I was 19 years old. I am 34 years old now. These felonies were expunged (Record Clearance) pursuant to Section 1203.4 P.C. Expungement paperwork attached.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

My girlfriend and I are going to get married and move in together soon. She goes shooting at the local gun range and stores a couple firearms at home in a safe. Although I don't plan to get a gun myself, it is her hobby and want her to continue to be able to store them at home. Please restore my gun rights.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

Since my conviction, I graduated from Stanford (engineering), UNLV (accounting), and VF (MBA). I currently work at [redacted] and have been a highly productive member of society with no issues since.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

NA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Duke Earl Quintana

Duke Earl Quintana, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 13, 1962, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Mr. Quintana stole a purse. He served five years probation. He was discharged on April 13, 1967, having completed his sentence.

Duke Earl Quintana has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated February 26, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Quintana is a deacon with his local church. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Duke Earl Quintana has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Duke Earl Quintana a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-19028-15

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

In the Matter of the Application of **Duke Earl Quintana aka Earl Duke Quintana**

Certificate Number RIC1500341

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) C11904 Orange County

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COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **Duke Earl Quintana,** residence located at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **February 26, 2015** Proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **April 13, 1967** that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, And that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil And political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been **1** time(s) convicted of a **felony**

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 2-26-15

Helios J. Hernandez
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

List of Convictions: 211PC

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Craig Ramazan

Craig Ramazan, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 3, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino for the crimes of possession of an assault weapon and possession of a controlled substance. He served eight months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on August 8, 2004, having completed his sentence.

Craig Ramazan has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated July 11, 2013, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Ramazan is a self-employed business owner, and reports that he volunteers at a local elementary school. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Craig Ramazan has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Craig Ramazan a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of the Application of

Craig Ramazan

Type Applicant's Full Name - First, Middle Last and Suffix, If Applicable

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BY D. Perez Deputy

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Criminal Case Numbers(s) FCH05035

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of Craig Ramazan presently residing at: Craig Ramazan [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 f the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for a hearing on 7-11-13.

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on: 8/8/2006

that, where appropriate, the petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code 1203.4, and that the petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, it is ordered, adjudged, and decreed, and this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon of said petitioner. If petitioner was required to register as a sex offender, petitioner is no longer required to register as a sex offender pursuant to Penal Code section 290.5.

Done in open court this 11th day of July, 2013.

Charlaine Olmedo

Judge of Said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

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State of California

PARDON

Aaron R. Ramirez

Aaron R. Ramirez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 8, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served five years probation, and 150 days jail. He was discharged on November 8, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Aaron R. Ramirez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sonoma, an order dated March 30, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Aaron R. Ramirez has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Aaron R. Ramirez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA
Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Aaron R. Ramirez
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
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CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 00F06534
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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COUNTY OF SONOMA
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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Aaron R. Ramirez, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and Zip Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 30th day
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of March 2016 and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on _____, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1
Total Number of Felony Convictions

time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 30th day of March 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

PATRICK M. BRODERICK
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 8/13/03)* *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Elizabeth Rose Ramos

Elizabeth Rose Ramos, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about June 3, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside for the crime of using fraud to obtain aid, resulting in excessive property loss. She served one year, six months prison, and two years, seven months parole. She was discharged on January 13, 1994, having completed her sentence.

Elizabeth Rose Ramos has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated December 31, 2015, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Elizabeth Rose Ramos has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Elizabeth Rose Ramos a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-563-16

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

In the Matter of the Application of **Elizabeth Rose Ramos**

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COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

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Certificate Number RIC1512914

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SCR54553 San Bernardino County

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **Elizabeth Rose Ramos,** residence located at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **December 31, 2015** Proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **01/13/1994** that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, And that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil And political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a **felony**

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 12/31/15

Becky L. Dugan
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA EUREKA COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

List of Convictions: 10980 WI

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

William L. Reinhart

William L. Reinhart, a resident of Virginia, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 9, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served two years, nine months probation, and 180 days jail. He was discharged on May 12, 1994, having completed his sentence.

William L. Reinhart has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, William L. Reinhart, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to William L. Reinhart a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: WILLIAM L. REINHART Date of Birth: [redacted] E-mail Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
POSS OF COCAINE	1991	LOS ANGELES	SEE ATTACH
LEWD CONDUCT (misd)	1987	LOS ANGELES	"

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

PLEASE SEE Attachment

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

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4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

PLEASE SEE Attachment

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

PLEASE SEE Attachment

Reinhart

Circumstances surrounding my felony arrest, conviction, and sentencing

After earning my Bachelor's Degree from East Carolina University School of Music in 1977, I became a professional musician on the road for many years performing on the East Coast and Midwest. The desire to move and perform in Hollywood, hoping to further my career, presented itself and I took advantage of it. I moved to Los Angeles in 1986

Like many in my field, I foolishly became involved in the use of cocaine. I make no excuses. I was an adult and I knew better. I had no reason to use drugs other than my own vanity and stupidity. I quickly became dependent and my using moved from recreational to habitual. My career suffered and disappeared. . . . a common tale in Hollywood.

I was arrested in Glendale California, November 1990 for a small amount of cocaine - - - -under three grams I think. I pleaded guilty in 1991. I paid a fine, and received three years' probation to be served in Virginia under the Interstate Compact Act, and 150 days in jail which I was allowed to serve in several rehabs in Los Angeles and Desert Hot Springs while awaiting final disposition of my case. I feel I was both fairly prosecuted and fairly represented in my case.

I completed several programs of narcotics rehabilitation in California in 1991.

I was released with probation (3 years) under the Interstate Compact Act and returned to Virginia to be supervised under the State of Virginia Department of Probation.

I retired from the music business when I returned to Virginia in 1991 and completed my probation requirements without violation, with early release in 1994. I have been drug free for over 25 years.

Circumstances surrounding my misdemeanor arrest and conviction.

I was an unmarried working musician in Los Angeles and picked up a girl on the street outside a Hollywood club I had been performing at, in my van and we parked a couple blocks down the street and proceeded to engage in sexual relations. A police officer looked in through the side window of my van and charged me with lewd conduct. I was released on my own recognizance and at trial, I was given two days in jail, a small fine and a year unsupervised probation. All completed without incident.

Sadly, I lived a selfish, self-indulgent rock musician lifestyle in Hollywood during this period in my life, a period I gladly put behind me, making the needed changes.

Why am I requesting a pardon from the Governor of the State of California

I have always regretted my choices and my actions in this matter as a citizen of the United States. I grew up in the best of circumstances. In the past decade, the Governor of the State of Virginia and the Circuit Court of Virginia have deemed me worthy of full restoration of the precious constitutional rights that we are fortunate to be born under and what I carelessly mislaid over 25 years ago.

For this reason, I am seeking the same generous restoration from the State of California as given to me by the State of Virginia so that the burden of my restriction is completely lifted. I am also asking the State and the good people of California to accept my sincere apologies for my actions and to demonstrate to them that I am a responsible, concerned United States citizen.

In addition, I am seeking to complete my restoration of my right of ownership of a firearm. I am to inherit a turn of the century, a Winchester slide action .22 caliber rifle Model 1906. It is a family heirloom dating back to when my great grandfather had a farm in Missouri from the late 1800's and it has been passed down over several generations. My father (88) is in possession currently. It is a somewhat rare, antique firearm now. I also wish to have the ability to do some skeet shooting as I am invited by friends to do this. They sympathize when I explain why I cannot and have urged me to seek restoration

Reinhart

Since my return to Virginia and my request for a pardon

I became involved in the restaurant industry cumulating in opening my own regionally popular [redacted] franchise in 1997. I sold my business in 2008 and retired from active food service due to health reasons and suffered a heart attack shortly after that, due to previous heart damage I incurred from my drug use in California. I then worked in the restaurant supply business for two years after selling my restaurant until that business was closed by the owner. I had a second replacement pacemaker implanted in October 2015.

I am retired now. I do stay active in community projects, and fundraising for organizations, nonprofits, my alma mater (East Carolina University) and also for the last fifteen years, as a director of The Reinhart Foundation, a family grant making foundation in the areas of education, human services and health care, historical preservation, environmental issues and addiction rehab services. I have included some letters regarding these organizations.

I am currently 62 years of age.
I am a home owner and have lived in the same home in Goochland County, Virginia for the last 17 years; previous to that I lived in Henrico County for 8 years.
I had no parole violations and was awarded an early release.
I have had no criminal charges or arrests since my return to Virginia other than minor traffic summons. No reckless driving or DUI convictions.

I believe my previous twenty-five years of good citizenship, efforts to improve and assist my community, the restoration of all privileges by Governor Tim Kaine and the State of Virginia and that I present no danger to the community or have never been involved in an act of violence demonstrates I am worthy of consideration of a pardon with all Constitutional privileges from the Governor of California and such a pardon might be granted.

Application Procedure and Assistance

As I am a resident of the State of Virginia and as this process must take place in the state of California, I have sought help with our family attorney in Virginia. All above statements are my own words.

Michael Terry
Hirschler - Fleischer, Attorneys at Law
2100 East Cary Street
Richmond VA 23223
Compensation Assistance Approximately 5,000.00

William L. Reinhart Date 8-15-16

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Rodney Roberts

Rodney Roberts, a resident of Missouri, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 14, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Shasta, for the crime of giving a false or fraudulent insurance claim. Specifically, Mr. Roberts falsely claimed that his car stereo was stolen. He served two years probation, and 30 days jail. He was discharged on October 14, 1990, having completed his sentence.

Rodney Roberts has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Rodney Roberts, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Rodney Roberts a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Rodney Roberts **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
55G (A) (1) PC	Oct 14 1988	Shasta	I Remember Right 30 Day and 2 Years Probation

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I was young and stupid And was caught with a car Stereo that was Reported stolen And was charged with possession OF stolen Property

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I have a Ten year old Deaughter that wants to go hunting with her dad and I lost my Gun rights For something stupid and regret Ever doing this childish thing

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

I have not been in any Kind of trouble since 1988 when i chose To Do this childish crime and i have regretted it Ever since

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mara Elia Rodriguez

Mara Elia Rodriguez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about August 13, 2001, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of making criminal threats. She served five months prison, and three years parole. She was discharged on February 16, 2005, having completed her sentence.

Mara Elia Rodriguez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, an order dated June 5, 2014, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Mara Elia Rodriguez has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mara Elia Rodriguez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-18463-IV

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

Applicant's County of Residence

JUL 18 2014

In the Matter of the Application of

MARA ELIA RODRIGUEZ

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) KA04242501

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

JUN 05 2014

By — Deputy

CURRENT CASE NO.

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of MARA ELIA RODRIGUEZ, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 5th day

Day of the Month

of June 2014 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 2001, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONE time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total No. of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 5th day of June 2014.

Day of the Month — Month, Year

J. David Mazurek

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA — COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO — EUREKA

FORM 3 (Revised 4/26/12)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Court of San Bernardino Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.16.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Sarah Jane Romero

Sarah Jane Romero, a resident of Oregon, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about August 28, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Ms. Romero stole a car, guns, and electronics from her employer while working as his housekeeper. She served eleven months prison, and one year, one month parole. She was discharged on October 1, 1994, having completed her sentence.

Sarah Jane Romero has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Romero volunteers at an adult assisted living facility.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Sarah Jane Romero, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Sarah Jane Romero a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

@yahoo

Name: Sarah Jane Romero Date of Birth: [redacted] Email Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] one Number: [redacted]

1. Conv[redacted]

List all prior convictions, including in any other states or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of Conviction(s):**	**Sentences(s):**
1st Degree Burglary	July-1992	L.A.	3 yrs
mistameanors	1986-1992	L.A.	6 months
" were Different Sentences ~~L.A~~ S.I.R.			

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I was forced in to doing Herion & Cocaine in 1985 AND I became Homeless in Long Beach, Ca. for 7yrs. I wanted to get off The Streets get clean and get my Kids back so I did the burglary at my friends House on purpose

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

I have been clean and sober since my 3yr Sentence I have raised my KIDS. I moved to Salem, OR 1997 after my Last son was born. He is 19yrs. AND Has finished High School and Enrolled in College, OREgon will Not Allow me to work for the State of OREGON because of my burgla

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

I AM hoping you will Seal OR do the Pardon so ALL my records No one can Ever See Again Please. I have NOT been In Trouble since 1992 I Paroled IN 1994 Had A job AND got married (my case # VA015687)

If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mell L. Rosandich

Mell L. Rosandich, a resident of Virginia, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 25, 1993, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Barbara, for the crime of forgery. Specifically, Mr. Rosandich participated in the forging of checks. He served three years probation, and 81 days jail. He was discharged on August 25, 1996, having completed his sentence.

Mell L. Rosandich has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Rosandich reported that he earned his master's degree in information technology.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Mell L. Rosandich, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mell L. Rosandich a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Mell L. Rosandich Date of Birth: [redacted] E-mail Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
470 - Forgery	4-13-1993	Santa Barbara,	45 Day County Jail

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I helped a person print checks which were cashed. The total of all checks were under $6000 Dollars but over $5,000 which resulted in a felony. However I didn't recieve any money.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I have had the felony expunged but I would like my gun Rights restored

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

The crime was 22 years ago and non-violent. I haven't committed any crimes since and will never go down that Road. I have raised four amazing kids. I have earned my BAchelors Degree in Information Technology & a Master Degree in Information Technology and been gainfully employed. For my Being able to carry a firearm will help with my career goals in Law enforcement.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

None

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Stephan Scott Rose

Stephan Scott Rose, a resident of Virginia, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 23, 1981, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, for the crimes of criminal conspiracy, and transporting a controlled substance. He served one year, ten months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on July 6, 1984, having completed his sentence.

Stephan Scott Rose has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Stephan Scott Rose, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Stephan Scott Rose a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: STEPHAN SCOTT ROSE **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** (c/o RGB LAW GROUP) [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Health & Saf. Sec 11379 + Penal, Sec 182.	1981.	San Bernardino SCR37804.	3 Yrs Prison
NO OTHER CONVICTIONS, BEFORE or AFTER THE 1981 CASE			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached declaration of applicant, incorporated herein by reference.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached declaration of applicant, incorporated herein by reference.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

See attached declaration of applicant, incorporated herein by reference. Also, see attached letters of support and other supporting documents, incorporated herein by reference.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Attorney: Richard Glen Boire

Rose

3. A few years prior to my offenses, I had been honorably discharged from the US Army, after serving for 8 years. I was adjusting to civilian life, and without fully understanding the gravity of my actions, I served as a middleman in several drug transactions. I received very little money for my actions in these "deals" and I have never used drugs. When arrested, I realized that I was indeed serving an essential role in a criminal offense. I deeply regret my behavior.

4. **My offenses in San Bernardino case number SCR37804 are my only convictions in an otherwise completely law-abiding life.**

5. My life is stable and productive. I was paroled from prison in June 1983, and made the National Deans List in my first semester after being released from prison. Soon thereafter, I was released from parole entirely.

6. Since my release in 1983, I have obtained a degree in computer science and have had an extremely successful career in the computer industry. (See attached resume of petitioner.) I am currently President and Senior System Engineer for [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]., which provides electronic security system installation, programming and support. We provide security systems for the federal courts (including the United States Supreme Court) as well as other government agencies. Prior to founding [redacted], I served, for over 12 years, as a Network Architect for the [redacted]

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[redacted], and worked with [redacted] to design a highly classified and secure data center.

7. I am married and we have an adult son who is currently a Sergeant in the U.S. Army, as well as a stepdaughter, who is also a healthy productive adult.

8. In my spare time, I do volunteer work with the [redacted], were I help with special events involving disabled children, scout troops, and other groups.

9. I am seeking this direct pardon because my company's growth and service is limited because of my conviction from 30+ years ago. I would like to expand the company into Virginia, but this requires a Virginia Department of Criminal Justice Services License for my company, and a Department of Criminal Justice Service license for myself. Without a pardon, it will be difficult if not impossible, to expand my company or to otherwise overcome this mistake from my past.

10. I respectfully ask the Governor to grant my request for a full and unconditional pardon.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on 4 April, 2016, in Alexandria, Virginia.

Stephan Scott Rose

STEPHAN SCOTT ROSE, Applicant

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Anthony Raymond Saldana

Anthony Raymond Saldana, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about January 5, 1984, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino for the crime of driving under the influence. He served two years, five months probation, eleven months prison, and two years, one month parole. He was discharged on March 2, 1987, having completed his sentence.

Anthony Raymond Saldana has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, an order dated June 4, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Saldana reports that he received his master's degree in psychology and now works as a social worker. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Anthony Raymond Saldana has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Anthony Raymond Saldana a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-29-15

Ø IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA CR-029-15

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

In the Matter of the Application of **Anthony Raymond Saldana**

FILED
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

JUN - 4 2015

Certificate Number RIC1504955

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) RCR14188 W-80473-S San Bernardino County

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **Anthony Raymond Saldana,** residence located at [redacted]

Herefore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **June 4, 2015**

Proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **July 1, 1992** that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, And that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil And political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been **2** time(s) convicted of a **felony**

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise al the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 06/04/15

Becky L. Dugan
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA EUREKA COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

List of Convictions: 11350(a) HS

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Genaro Erick Saldana

Genaro Erick Saldana, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 29, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kern for the crimes of robbery, grand theft from a person, and receiving stolen property. Specifically, Mr. Saldana stole a gold chain necklace off a man's neck. He served one year, five months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on December 5, 2004, having completed his sentence.

Genaro Erick Saldana has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kern, an order dated February 9, 2011, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Genaro Erick Saldana has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Genaro Erick Saldana a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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BY _____ DEPUTY

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF KERN

Bakersfield, California

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In the Matter of the Application of
GENARO ERICK SALDANA

DOB: [redacted]

CIV#: FP003737A
CR#: SF009621B/SC080005B
CII#: [redacted]
CDC#: P085132

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of GENARO ERICK SALDANA, presently residing at [redacted] heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 9th day of February, **2011**, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on June 6th, **2002**, that where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code ' 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code ' 4852.15); and that petitioner has been convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, it is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code ' 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 9th day of February, **2011**.

MICHAEL G. BUSH
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

Signed Pursuant to
C.C.P. §635

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Hester Sanders (Daniels)

Hester Sanders, a resident of Alaska, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about April 23, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, for the crime of arson of inhabited structure or property, arson of structure or forest land, and arson of property. She served one year, six months prison, and three years parole. She was discharged on November 23, 2003, having completed her sentence.

Hester Sanders has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen Indeed, Ms. Sanders reports that she is active with her local church, and that she volunteers at a hospital and with a local veterans' group.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Hester Sanders, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Hester Sanders a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Hester Sanders (Daniels) **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Arson 451(a,c,d)	Spring 1999 (4/23/99)	Orange	3 years

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

In 1998 I committed Arson on a home. In 1999 (Spring) I pleaded guilty. I was sentenced to 3 years in Chowchilla Women's Prison and was released early for good behavior in November of 2000.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am requesting a direct pardon because I'd like for my past to be my past. I'm not who I was 17 years ago. I am now a wife, a mom of 3 kids, a school teacher and a much better person. Our past should not define us and I have shown

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

Since being released from prison in November of 2000, I moved to Colorado where I served parole (3 years). By January of 2001, I had a job with Focus on the Family, a Christian non-profi

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

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Question 3 (Continued pg. 2/3)

that people can change.

I was blessed to get a teaching job at a Christian School. I know that many schools won't hire me as a teacher, but I enjoy teaching and I'd like to pursue higher education without my past affecting a state teaching license or where I apply.

Here in Alaska, hunting is not just a sport, but a need. My husband is teaching our kids how to hunt, but I don't go to the shooting range and when we go out on hunts, I can not carry a weapon to hunt or for protection. This year, I became a certified bow hunter in the State of Alaska. I feel that in a small way, I can now participate as well as protect myself and my children on our hunts. Our kids are still young enough, where I haven't explained to them why I can't shoot or carry a gun on our trips. But one day, I'd like to shoot a bear or a moose and be more involved in our family hunting trips.

I'd also like to be able to travel out of country without first checking which countries I can enter as a felon. Recently, my husband and I took our son to Israel. I was so worried that we'd get there and they wouldn't let me in. I don't want to have to stress the "what if's". We'd like to drive through Canada with our kids, but

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again, as a felon, I must first fill out an application.

I'm not who I was 16 years ago and what I did in the past, I don't want it to affect my pursuits or what I can and can't do with my children and family.

Question 4 (continued pg. 2/3)

organization and became active with our Church. I began to show my parole officer that my life was changing and he was impressed. I became a leader in the Church with their 20's ministry, got promoted multiple times at work, got married, bought a home and began a new chapter in my life.

I worked for Focus on the Family for 5 years before I quit so I could stay at home with our growing family. I continued to lead Bible studies and get involved with MOPS (mother of Pre-schoolers).

In 2007, we moved to Alaska where I got a teaching job at Anchorage Christian School in 2009. I have taught Kindergarten, 4th grade and currently I'm a 2nd/3rd grade combo teacher. I'd like to pursue higher education, but some schools will not let me continue due to my felony.

We are active in our church where my husband and I are group leaders, I sing in the choir, help with vacation Bible school, Operation Christmas Child and volunteer for the Governor's Picnic and speak at times at City Council meetings. I'd like to start volunteering for the junior high department as my son will be more active, but they do background checks and I worry that my felony will affect that.

As my kids get older, I'm trying

Sanders

Question 4 (continued 3/3)

to teach them that mistakes are a part of life. We all make and will make bad choices, but you learn from them and you make better choices. We ask for forgiveness and we move on. Don't let past mistakes define who you are. Having kids and raising them can be a challenge, but it is so much more rewarding. They are always reminding me that the future is bright, look ahead and make your life better each step of the way. Kids do listen and watch. I've made bad choices 17 years ago, but I've showed myself and others that you can succeed. I'm proud to be a wife of almost 14 years, a mom to 3 amazing kids, a school teacher, an archery hunter, a leader in our church and a traveler. Life throws you curve balls but you take it one pitch at a time.

I do pray that you grant my request for a pardon. It would open up so many more doors for my education, travels and for what I can do for my children.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Edwyn Franco Santos

Edwyn Franco Santos, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 9, 1989, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crimes of transporting or selling controlled substances and possession or purchase of a controlled substance for sale. He served nine months prison, and eleven months parole. He was discharged on July 20, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Edwyn Franco Santos has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, an order dated October 6, 1995, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Edwyn Franco Santos has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Edwyn Franco Santos a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Form 3 (Revised 7/83)

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF

In the Matter of the Application of

EDWYN FRANCO SANTOS
(Print or write your name legibly)

For a Certification of Rehabilitation and Pardon

NO.: C-72229

CII No.: _____

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

The petition of EDWYN FRANCO SANTOS, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 6th day of OCTOBER, 1995, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release on parole or probation on JULY 20, 1991, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been (once) (twice)(thrice) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 6 day of October, 1995

David O. Carter
(Judge of said Superior Court)

DAVID O. CARTER

This form prepared under the direction of the office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Winston Jehu Sappington

Winston Jehu Sappington, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 16, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on November 16, 2002, having completed his sentence.

Winston Jehu Sappington has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Winston Jehu Sappington, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Winston Jehu Sappington a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

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This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN BLUE OR BLACK INK.

I.
APPLICANT INFORMATION
To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
SAPPINGTON	Winston	Jehu

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	N/A

Current Residence

Address	Apt, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
[redacted]	#20

City	State	Zip Code
[redacted]	WASHINGTON	[redacted]

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

X Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01	☐ Commutation of current sentence	☐ Pardon based upon innocence
☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome	☐ Compassionate Release	☐ Other

Why are you requesting clemency? Twelve years since discharge from incarceration for vidatory H&S 11350(A); the conviction set aside pursuant to 1203.4(PC) in May 2003. I have pleaded guilty to two misdemeanors which were expunged in July 2008. I have remained clean and sober since 2000 and now I am a person of honor and consider myself rehabilitated. I have attained full time employment in the federal service in the [redacted] and the [redacted] have been granted a secret security clearance by the Navy that I earned. I humbly request a pardon to move forward in my career and life to further succes Although my convictions have been expunged pursuant to section 1203.4 of Penal code, I continue to have many difficulties when seeking higher levels of security clearances while employed as a federal employee.

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Conviction Information

Commitment Offense CT. 1: 422 PC MISD - Making a criminal threat CT 2: 417 (A)(1) PC MISD - Exhibit Deadly Weapon OTHER THAN FIREARM			
of offense Aug. 26, 2004	Date of conviction Sept. 14, 2004	Arresting agency Santa Monic Police Dept.	County of conviction Los Angeles
Superior court case number 4SM04036	Your trial attorney's name and address Robert Rubinstein, Deputy Public Defender Airport Courthouse DIV. 147	Sentence - Imposition of sentence Suspended Probation for 36 months serve 90 days in jail	If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any?

Did you appeal your case? (N/A) Yes X No

If yes, appellate case number and status of case:

Misdemeanor Conviction in case 4SM04036 ~~set aside~~ EXPUNGEMENT under Penal Code 1203.4 on ~~March 6,~~ Sept 23, 2008 in Los Angeles Superior Court, Ralph Amado, Commissioner.

Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
H&S 11350(A)	MAY 14, 1998	Los Angeles	Formal probation-36mo. 90 days in Jail
case # YA036984	L.A. Superior Court Inglewood, CA	L.A. County Sheriff	case YA036984 Expunged L.A. Superior Court Dept. 104
			Judge Deboran Christian Southwest
			1 Regent St. Inglewood, CA 90301

Sappington

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number:	
First and last name:	Telephone number:
Address:	

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number:	
First and last name:	Telephone number:
Address:	

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE
Complete this section if you are presently in prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.

Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency:	
Your current physician's name:	Physician's telephone number:
Physician's address:	
Have you applied to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation or the Board of Parole Hearings for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
If yes, what was the result?	

Sappington

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION

Complete this section if you have completed your sentence, you are requesting clemency based upon rehabilitation and you are not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01

e a brief account of your offense. I was associated with the wrong group of persons. One of these persons left in my care after a traffic stop a controlled substance, for which I was arrested for being in my vehicle.

Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration. I participated in all classes and instruction that would increase my understanding of my problems. Received counselling in drug rehabilitation.

Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you). I maintained a good record while incarcerated. I attended instructional courses to follow-up on acceptable behavior when released.

When were you discharged from probation or parole?

March 6, 2002 for the felony and Oct. 2007 for misdemeanors

Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release. I have attended and participated in drug alcohol counseling, AA meetings, CA meetings, anger management meetings, sought and participated in psychological counseling, lived in the Portals - Rampart part of Portals transitional dual diagnosis residential program, Community of Friends: Fox-Normandie (Independent Living) Program (both programs lasted 3 yrs in total). I began working or returned to work for [redacted] which led to a job @ [redacted] CA which led to a job at the [redacted] in LA. I took a new job in Washington state with the [redacted] in Sept. 2009.

Why you are requesting a pardon? I would like to restore my full citizenship status to where I was in 1998 prior to my arrest. I would like to use my pardoned legal record to gain better capabilities to get higher earning employment without the hinderance in my legal standing to clear for a top secret clearance. I am only allowed to get so far in federal service with a secret clearance. Once my legal status is been restored I will be able to take on new positions of responsibility. I had brought myself down to places I never knew prior to 1998 and worked very hard since then to rehabilitate myself, my career self esteem and now I humbly request to rehabilitate my legal status.

Sappington

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered **after** conviction and explain its importance.

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

Was this evidence presented at trial?

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

Sappington

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this section if you are currently under sentence and requesting clemency for any reason not covered above. Explain why you are requesting clemency.

Have you sought relief from the courts?

III
NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Penal Code section 4804 requires that you give the district attorney of the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon. You must complete the attached form and mail it to the district attorney **before** you submit this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each district attorney must be given notice.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the district attorney of the county of Los Angeles ***with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon, as required by Penal Code section 4804***

(Name of county)

(Applicant's signature) May 21, 2012 (Date signed)

IV
DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This Application for Clemency may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code Section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the forgoing is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in denial of my application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

(Applicant's signature) May 21, 2012 (Date signed)

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Thomas Michael Scheel

Thomas Michael Scheel, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 30, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, for the crime of robbery and attempted robbery. He served three years probation, and 12 months jail. He was discharged on April 30, 1994, having completed his sentence.

Thomas Michael Scheel has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Monterey, an order dated June 1, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Scheel reports that he is involved with his local church and volunteers for a service organization related to homelessness. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Thomas Michael Scheel has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Thomas Michael Scheel a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Monterey

Applicant's County of Residence

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In the Matter of the Application of

Thomas Michael ~~Sheel~~ Scheel

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

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Criminal Case Number(s) 147054

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CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT,
LISA DALIA DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Thomas Micahel ~~Sheel~~ Scheel

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

, presently residing at [redacted]

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 1st day

Day of the Month

of June, 2012 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on October 21, 1994 , that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 1st day of June 2012

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Lydia M. Villarreal

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 7/6/2005)*

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Sandra Lee Schuelke

Sandra Lee Schuelke, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about June 1, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of grand theft of access card. She served two years, four months probation, one year prison, and one year parole. She was discharged on November 20, 2004, having completed her sentence.

Sandra Lee Schuelke has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated March 24, 2011, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Schuelke has been sober for fourteen years, and since prison has earned a master's degree and a bachelor's degree. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Sandra Lee Schuelke has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Sandra Lee Schuelke a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPE OR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFO A D-157752-11

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES SR

In the Matter of the Application of

Sandra Lee Schuelke

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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Los Angeles Superior Court

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John A. [redacted] Officer/Clerk

By BPUG Deputy

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number GA040860

Criminal Case Number(s) GA040860

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of Sandra Lee Schuelke presently residing at [redacted]

heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the of California, came on regularly for hearing on March 24, 2011

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Paroled November 20, 2003

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 24TH day of March 2011

Day of the Month Month, Year

P. Schuelke

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE PATRICIA SCHUEGG

Judge of said Superior Court -

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

John Robert Shackelford

John Robert Shackelford, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 17, 1972, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Joaquin, for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Mr. Shackelford participated in the robbery of a fast food restaurant. He served three years probation, and 21 days jail. He was discharged on July 17, 1975, having completed his sentence.

John Robert Shackelford has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Joaquin, an order dated March 24, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, John Robert Shackelford has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to John Robert Shackelford a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF San Joaquin

Applicant's County of Residence

880

In the Matter of the Application of

John Robert Shackelford

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 23691 (7-17-1972)

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

CR-2016-107

Court use only

Filed MAR 24 2016

ROSA JUNQUEIRO, CLERK

By Alice Castillo DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of John Robert Shackelford, presently residing [redacted] heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 24 day

Day of the Month

of March, 2016 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from ~~custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or~~ probation on 09/05/1975, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 24 day of March, 2016

Day of the Month Month, Year

Richard Vlavianos

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 4/21/11)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

THE ANNEXED INSTRUMENT IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN MY OFFICE.
CAUTION: SEAL MUST BE IN PURPLE

ATTEST April 28, 2016
ROSA JUNQUEIRO
Clerk of the Superior Court
In and for the County of
San Joaquin State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Magnus Simkins

Magnus Simkins, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 8, 1991, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of possession of a machine gun. Specifically, Mr. Simkins appears to have possessed a carbine rifle. He served three years probation. He was discharged on November 8, 1994, having completed his sentence.

Magnus Simkins has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Simkins is a self-employed business owner and reports that he volunteered with a veteran's organization.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Magnus Simkins, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Magnus Simkins a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Magnus Simkins **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
PC12220(a)	11/8/1991	LA County	Fine, 36 mos Probation

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I was in the Angeles National Forest in April 1991 filming an amatuer action movie with my girlfriend while holding a firearm when a Forest Ranger drove up and asked to see the firearm. I showed it to the officer and was arrested for possession of a machine gun.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am a Canadian Citizen and US Permanent Resident Alien This conviction makes me unable to Naturalize or even renew my green card which leaves me in a limbo state where I could be deported at any time and would not be able to return to the US

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

I have lived in the US since childhood and have not been arrested or gotten into any trouble since this one incident in 1991. I served 8 years honorably in the US Military, have my own business, a wife and 3 beautiful childred that depend on me financially.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

None

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Gregory Lee Sims

Gregory Lee Sims, a resident of Oklahoma, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 30, 1990, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of kidnapping with use of a deadly weapon. Specifically, Mr. Sims brandished a pocket knife at the manager of a check cashing store, drove him back to store in the victim's car, and ordered him to open a vault in the store. He served seven years, three months prison, and three years parole. He was discharged on November 3, 2000, having completed his sentence.

Gregory Lee Sims has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Sims reports that he was a mentor at a Christian center for boys.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Gregory Lee Sims, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Gregory Lee Sims a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Gregory Lee Sims **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of conviction(s):**	**Sentence(s):**
Kidnapping for robbery	on or about November 9, 1989	Los Angeles	14 years
Attempted 2nd degree robbery	Case No. YA001752-01		
Use of deadly and dangerous force			
ALSO: Misdemeanor robbery	on or about 11/04/1985	Clark County, Nevada	Probation

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

See attached

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

No money has been paid and no gift has been given to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application.

Gregory Lee Sims
D.O.B. [redacted]
Application for Executive Clemency
Attachments to Form

Introduction

I am seeking your pardon of my criminal conviction in order to be able to accept full-time employment in law enforcement offered by my county sheriff to work in counselling at-risk youth. I believe I have come so far, and I now have a chance to help other young men avoid the bad decisions I made that led to my conviction in 1989.

I had a terrible childhood in Watts and struggled to find my footing as a young adult. My anger and resentment at my own circumstances helped lead to the conditions for me to be lured into assisting in a theft operation planned and organized by a dishonest L.A. police officer (who himself was later convicted for his role in the crime). When I was arrested for this crime, I felt a sense of relief and loudly praised God, because I knew I was escaping the control of that police officer, and that I could turn my life around after I served the sentence for my crime. I have done that in full. I have been married to my second wife for 25 years, my two sons have graduated from college, and now, if I am pardoned, I have an opportunity to give back to society in a job where I will counsel youthful offenders on how they can turn their lives around like I did. I respectfully ask Governor Brown to give me that chance. I must be pardoned to be eligible for this job, which would give so much more meaning to my life, and, hopefully, provide meaning for others.

Attachment to Question 2

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

My conviction in 1989, at age 27, was for kidnapping the manager of a check cashing store and attempting to rob the store in South Central L.A. with use of a deadly and dangerous weapon. See **Tab 5**. The "dangerous weapon" was a pocket knife I didn't use. I had a record for stealing a purse in Las Vegas in 1985, while I was in college at University of Nevada, Las Vegas. That was classified as a serious felony in the information for my L.A. crime, but it was prosecuted as a non-violent misdemeanor in Clark County, Nevada.[1] Nevertheless, I pleaded guilty to all charges in the L.A. case, was sentenced to 14 years, and served 8. I take full responsibility for what I did in L.A. I knew what I was going to do was a crime, I knew it was wrong at the time, but I did it anyway.

But this record does not reflect the most important circumstance of the crime: I was led to do it by a dishonest police officer, [redacted]. A twelve-year veteran of the

[1] I was placed on probation for one year and served 300 hours of community service at a hospice. The letter from the Clark County, Nevada, Court Clerk at **Tab 6** states that I do not have a felony record there.

L.A.P.D. and active duty patrolman, [redacted] thought up this crime and recruited me to commit it with him. [redacted] knew that I was vulnerable to his enticements. He worked on me, pressured me, told me there was no risk to the crime because he had arranged everything, and made me afraid to turn him down. He was, after all, a uniformed policeman. Significantly, a couple of years later, [redacted] was convicted for his role in the same crime, and I cooperated in his prosecution – even though I received no reduction in my prison sentence, as the case investigators told me would be the case at the outset of the police officer's investigation.[2]

There's more about [redacted] below, but here I want to explain how I came under his influence in 1989.

I grew up in Watts in the 1960s and 1970s when it was a very dangerous area, riddled with gang activity. Both of my parents were heroin addicts. They neglected me and showed me no love. By the time I was 9 years old, I had been placed in 7 different foster homes (some of which were abusive). I was sent to 7 different schools as a youth. Once I tried to run away from a foster home in Long Beach by walking all the way to Los Angeles. As was true for so many kids growing up in Watts, I was a "lost" child who had no parenting and no one looking out for me. My grandmother was the only person who tried to help me. She taught me to keep away from gang activity, but it was hard. I think it was because I stayed away from gangs that I was the only member of my senior class at Manual Arts High School in 1981to receive an achievement award from long-time L. A. County Supervisor Kenneth Hahn. I was so proud to go to City Hall to have my picture taken with him.

I thought my way out of Watts was through football, because I was so big (I got to be 6' 5" and weigh 270 pounds). I played as an offensive tackle at Manual Arts High School which was not at that time a feeder school for football players to major colleges. But I made football my life – and my defense to the gangs. I was at school from 7in the morning to 7 at night. I'd run 3 miles before school started and work out after school every day, whether it was football season or not. As a result, I was the first Manual Arts graduate to be heavily recruited by Division I colleges in a long time, including by U.S.C. – right in my back yard. When Coach [redacted] from the University of Oklahoma came to see me and my grandmother in my senior year of high school, I told him I wanted to come to Oklahoma even before he said a word to recruit me. That's how badly I wanted out of Watts. Several of my high school teammates had been killed in gang violence, and I knew I needed to escape. I jumped at the chance to go to Oklahoma in the fall of 1981.

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[2] Officer [redacted] ultimately served a much shorter state prison sentence than I did (2 years and 9 months for him, versus 8 years for me).

Unfortunately, my poor schooling growing up left me unprepared academically for college. In 1983, I was flunking out and unable to maintain my athletic eligibility at Oklahoma. Because Coach [redacted] cared about me as a person (see his letter at **Tab 7**), he helped me transfer to the football program at University of Nevada, Las Vegas, where I was able to continue my football career. This later led to a chance at playing for the Los Angeles Rams. After I got to U.N.L.V., I persuaded my girlfriend from the University of Oklahoma basketball team to transfer to U.N.L.V. Soo n after she transferred, we got married in Las Vegas. I was playing football and she was playing basketball for U.N.L.V., and then she got pregnant.

We both decided that she should have an abortion. But it had to be secret. We didn't want her parents to know, and we didn't want her basketball career at U.N.L.V. to be ruined. We didn't have the money necessary for the abortion. This was in 1985. I went to see a U.N.L.V. football booster to ask for the money. He was the owner of the [redacted] in Las Vegas, but he refused to help me because he was opposed to abortion. I left his office feeling desperate. As I was walking to my car (that my wife's father had bought for us), I walked by a cottage on the casino property that had an open door. When I saw a purse in plain view, I rushed in and grabbed it and ran away. It had enough money in it to pay for the abortion, but my license tag had been taken as I was leaving the property and I was arrested.

I want to be clear that I knew taking that purse was wrong, and I take full responsibility for it. But at the time it was the act of a desperate 22-year old with no support structure who was trying in the wrong way to take care of his wife and hold his marriage together. I was not equipped to deal with this real life situation then, just as I was not equipped to deal with the real life decision [redacted] put to me a few years later in Los Angeles.

After the Nevada incident I moved with my wife to L.A. I had a chance to try out for the Los Angeles Rams, but I didn't make it. My wife's uncle put me to work doing construction in one of the businesses he controlled in the L.A. area. But my wife divorced me in 1988 and took custody of our two sons. In September of 1989, my grandmother died. She was the only member of my family who ever cared about me. I was lost completely. My father had died of a heroin overdose by this point, and my mother had had several close calls with fatal heroin overdoses. I started drinking and got into some drugs.

I didn't know him at the time, but [redacted], the dishonest police officer who lured me into the crime for which I was convicted in Los Angeles, often hung out at my uncle's office. I'm not sure what he was doing there, but I do know that one of my uncle's business associates was later convicted on over 50 counts of fraud. [redacted] had observed that I was a large man and that I would do whatever my then ex-wife's uncle told me to do, because I had nothing else

besides my job – no money, no family to rely on, nothing. I didn't know what he was talking about at the time, but he once said to me, "I could use someone like you." About that time, I stopped working for my wife's uncle.

When [redacted] learned from the people at my ex-wife's uncle's office that my grandmother had died and that I was having difficulty making it, he started in on me. At first he talked like he was concerned for me and said he'd like to help me out. Then, it turned out that the way he offered to help me was to bring me in on the criminal plans he had in mind. I was really confused that these ideas were coming from a police officer, but over a 2-month period he got more and more persistent in urging me to join his criminal activities. At first, he said he wanted me to manage a "record store" that he was going to set up as a front for selling drugs. He said he could get me all the drugs I could sell. I told him I didn't want to have anything to do with selling drugs, but he kept pressuring me. Finally, he confronted me after a football practice at Manual Arts where I was helping out coaching after school. He told me about his new plans to rob a chain of check cashing stores in circumstances that his girlfriend, who worked in one of the branches, was helping him set up. I really didn't feel like I could tell him no. I actually felt threatened. He knew that I had been drinking and into some drugs. I didn't know what he would do if I didn't go along. It was sort of like an "offer that I couldn't refuse." He also assured me that no violence would be involved and that he knew how to make sure that the crimes would not be solved. Eventually I went against my better judgment and agreed to participate in the robbery of the check cashing store that he set up.

And so, on November 9, 1989, I followed [redacted] instructions to rob the check cashing store on [redacted]. Because everything had been arranged by [redacted] and his girlfriend, no violence took place. As instructed by [redacted], I met the manager of the check cashing store (where [redacted] girlfriend was assistant manager) when he drove up to a nearby convenience store after closing the business for the day. I walked up to his driver's side door as [redacted] had told me to do, and said, "[redacted] sent me." Then, the manager slid over to the passenger seat and allowed me to drive him back to the check cashing store. When the manager and I got back to the store, the manager went inside while I waited in his car outside. He put the money in a sack and prepared to bring it out to me. An employee of the store (who was not in on the set-up and who [redacted] expected to be gone at the time of the robbery) saw what was happening from a convenience store across the street from the check cashing store, where he had stopped before leaving the neighborhood. That employee called the police and I was arrested.

Before the attempted robbery, [redacted] had told me that the manager was in on the scheme, but to this day I don't know whether he was or not. I do know that it was the employee across the street who called the police, not the manager. However, as instructed by [redacted], I threatened the manager by telling him that I knew where he lived and that he had better do what I told him. [redacted] had given me the manager's address. Later, during [redacted] trial, the Deputy D.A. showed me print-outs from Officer [redacted] computer showing the manager's home address and personal details, explaining that [redacted] access to the L.A.P.D. computer had provided the information [redacted] gave me to threaten the store manager. According to the prosecution, these computer records provided the essential corroboration to my testimony in order to convince the jury to convict.

All I can say now is that [redacted] was corrupt and I was naïve. Officer [redacted] made it seem like crime was almost a way of life in the areas he and his shift-mates were in control of. I thought I could use the cash that he would give me from the robbery to help my mother recover from her heroin addiction, but I wanted money for myself, too. In addition , really, I was afraid of what would happen to me if I didn't go along.

Once I was arrested, fear kept me from immediately blowing the whistle on [redacted]. He and I talked on the phone a lot while I was in jail. He did not want me to plead guilty. He told me he would get me a good attorney. But that never came through. Nevertheless, I did not turn on [redacted] until months later, when investigators from L.A.P.D. Internal Affairs came to see me in prison.

The rest of the story was reported in the newspaper articles attached at **Tab 8**. Officer [redacted] was charged with multiple felonies, and it took my testimony in three different trials to secure his criminal conviction. The Deputy D.A. who led the prosecution of [redacted] through all three trials was [redacted]. His letter at **Tab 9** describes my role in the successful prosecution of the police officer.

Attachment to Question 3

Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I was released from prison on November 2, 1997, almost twenty years ago. I left prison determined to live a productive life and to redeem myself, and I believe that I have tried to do so.

I am proud of the life I have built. I hope my response to **Question 4** below shows that I am fully rehabilitated and now worthy of consideration for clemency.

My status as a convicted felon prevents me from fully serving my community in a way that takes advantage of what I have learned as a felon and as a prisoner. I would like to be able to accept the job that the local county sheriff has offered to me, working in the criminal justice system with "at risk" youth. This is a job where I can try to keep other young men and women from making the same bad choices I did.

As you can see from the letter at **Tab 10**, [redacted] Sheriff [redacted] has offered me the chance to counsel young offenders in his county jail. My former football coach at the University of Oklahoma, [redacted], introduced me to Sheriff [redacted] a few years ago when I was considering moving from California to Oklahoma. Sheriff [redacted] has gotten to know me and my life story, and he believes I can help save some of these young persons from spending their entire lives as offenders, in and out of the criminal justice system. Sheriff [redacted] sees this service as saving his county and state potentially millions of dollars, but I know that he also sees this as an opportunity to motivate kids like the one I once was to become productive citizens.

I've had experience with this kind of work. As noted below, after my release from prison, I volunteered to be a counselor to young people in the L.A. area. So I believe I can do what Sheriff [redacted] wants me to do. **But Sheriff [redacted]r can't hire me to do this unless I receive a pardon.**

With all my heart, this is a job I want to have. It would be so fulfilling for me to be able to contribute to society by accepting the job offered by Sheriff [redacted]. It would also help give me more of the sense of the self-respect I have worked so hard to get back. It will also allow my wife allow us to live a more normal family life, and to be an influence for good.

Attachment to Question 4

Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

Clemency, by definition, is not something someone deserves. It is an act of discretion and grace, the grant of mercy. I simply hope that Governor Brown will agree that a pardon is justified in my case, because I have served my sentence and actively tried to atone for my actions

long ago. Despite everything that has happened to me, I think I am – and I try every day to be – a constructive member of society. I have struggled to overcome my poor upbringing, my poor education, and the bad choices that I made when I came under the influence of Officer [redacted]. I am asking Governor Brown to extend the grace of a pardon to me so that I can move forward with the important work that Sheriff [redacted] believes I can do, as described in his letter at **Tab 10.**

The crime I committed was an aberration. Despite the difficult circumstances of my early life in Watts, I knew right from wrong – thanks to my grandmother. I had the inner strength to refuse to get involved in gangs when I was growing up in Watts. I had the inner drive to escape from Watts by choosing to play college football, and to do so for the University of Oklahoma rather than USC, where I would remain close to the bad influences I knew I had to escape. But the poor education and upbringing I received in my youth proved to be obstacles to my "escape." When my football career ended, I didn't have anything to fall back on. In 1989, I was vulnerable and, of all people, a *uniformed police officer* urged me to participate in a crime he orchestrated.

My arrest and conviction have ultimately saved me. When I was arrested and handcuffed, I verbally praised God. I realized where [redacted] was leading me. I resolved then and there to behave and serve my time without objection, and to be a good person when I completed my sentence. When I got the chance to help bring [redacted] to justice, I did so without any reservation.

I think it was in 1991 when I was first contacted in prison by L.A.P.D. Internal Affairs officers [redacted]. Although I was not the first one to had not "blow the whistle" on [redacted], I decided to cooperate with the I.A. investigators when they came to see me. [redacted] was a crooked cop, and I finally realized that he had just used me and led me down a criminal path that I wanted to leave behind after I served my sentence. By this point, the prison chaplain was helping me arrange to get married to a childhood friend who had supported me when I got arrested. (We were married in 1991, while I was in prison, and we recently celebrated our 25th anniversary.) I was planning on turning my life around after prison, and I realized that I owed nothing to [redacted].

Especially at that time, it was rare for a police officer to be prosecuted. It took three trials before [redacted] was convicted, and I testified in all three. The prosecutor told me I was the crucial witness for the prosecution in all three trials. I testified at great risk to myself and my then-new wife [redacted], and *without any reduction in my sentence*. During the trials, I was being housed in the L.A. county jail for the convenience of the prosecution. But I faced trouble in the

jail. Between the first two trials, a gang of inmates attacked me and I was stabbed. After that, the prosecution agreed to have me moved to state custody between the trials for safety reasons. I believe the prosecutors came to accept that [redacted] was likely responsible for attacks on me while I was being held in the county jail. Also between the trials, my wife's car was firebombed in her garage. The L.A.P.D. Internal Affairs unit assisted my wife make an emergency move to protect her.

The newspaper articles I enclose at **Tab 8** contain some press coverage of the [redacted] trials to corroborate my explanation that Officer [redacted] was the mastermind of the crime for which I am now seeking a pardon. I hope it speaks to the assistance I provided back then that [redacted], the prosecutor in charge of the prosecution of [redacted], was willing to write the letter, at **Tab 9**, now nearly thirty years later, vouching for my cooperation (and my motivation for cooperating) in that difficult, but ultimately successful, prosecution .

Before I was released from prison on November 2, 1997, I had prepared myself to hit the ground running to seek employment and start my new life as a productive citizen. I was able to find work and earn the confidence of my employer. I was given steadily increasing responsibility. On January 5, 1998, I started at [redacted], which was later acquired by [redacted]. I was laid off in 2003 as part of a company-wide reduction in the work force, but I was rehired by [redacted] in 2006 and worked there until 2008. I never would have been hired back after three years if I didn't have a good employment record with [redacted]l. In fact, in all seven years I was at [redacted], I *never* missed a day of work.

Between my two stints at [redacted], I found employment wherever I could. I worked at [redacted] for a while, where I injured my back doing heavy lifting. The back injury continued to affect me when I started back at [redacted]. The doctors said my injury was made worse from the accumulation of injuries from my time in football. Finally, in 2008, I had to leave [redacted] and apply for Social Security Disability. It was finally approved in 2010, and I continued receiving it until 2015, when I moved to Oklahoma and got the jobs described below.

My wife [redacted] and I have now been married for 25 years. [redacted]'s letter at **Tab 11** describes our relationship that began when I was arrested in 1989 and continues to this day. I have maintained a close relationship with my two sons from my first marriage. Starting from when they came to visit me in prison, I have sought to be the father for them that I never had. I encouraged them both to go to college. I am so proud that [redacted]n graduated from UCLA, where he is now employed, and [redacted] graduated from Midwestern University in Wichita Falls, Texas. He is employed in the Texas prison system. I have three grandchildren and I am

very close to each of them. I recently attended the Kindergarten "graduation" of my twin grandsons, [redacted].

In the years after my release from prison, I became a mentor at Father Abraham Christian Center for boys in Los Angeles. I tried to provide a positive influence in their lives that my father never gave me. As a result of my mentoring activities, I was invited in 2005 by the vice principal of Centennial High School to be a speaker for Youth Career Day at the school. I am particularly proud of one of these young men, [redacted] who recently graduated from Tuskegee University. We still speak almost weekly. He was nice enough to write a letter of support that is included as an attachment at **Tab 12**.

Between my back injury and my felony record, employment opportunities in LA were diminished. I was not satisfied being on disability. So I reached out to Coach [redacted] in Oklahoma, who had rescued me from Watts when I graduated from high school. Coach [redacted] always cared about me, as his attached letter at **Tab 7** shows. He always challenged me to strive to improve myself. I told him I never felt more at home than I had been during my years in Oklahoma.

In March 2015, [redacted]' and I moved to Norman, Oklahoma. [redacted]' has been employed by [redacted] since 1994, and she was able to transfer to [redacted] operations in Oklahoma City. Through an introduction from Coach [redacted], I got a job as Security Monitor at the [redacted] in Oklahoma City. I was promoted as high as I could go in that organization – reaching the position of Security Supervisor. Because she trusted me so much, the director of [redacted] asked me to work the more difficult night shifts and weekends, resulting in 60 hour weeks. I never missed a day of work at [redacted]. By working overnight and all weekends, I hardly ever got to see [redacted]'. We passed each other coming and going in the morning. I recently resigned from [redacted] to become a personal assistant for Coach [redacted]. I hope this is just a temporary job until I can, hopefully, accept the position that [redacted] Sheriff [redacted] is holding for me, as described in his letter at **Tab 10.**

The position Sheriff [redacted] would hire me for is at decent salary and on a regular day shift. But more important, this job would allow me to do meaningful work for the State of Oklahoma and to give back to the community by helping troubled youth in a way that I was never helped myself. Under Oklahoma law, Sheriff [redacted] can't hire me for this position unless I receive a pardon for my felony conviction back in 1990.

Conclusion

I have been out of prison for nineteen years. I have not re-offended. I have not gotten as much as a parking ticket. I have been married to my second wife [redacted]' for twenty-five years. I have maintained close relationships with my two sons and their children, and both of my sons graduated from college and lead productive lives.

I hope I am an example of how a kid from Watts lost his way, paid a steep price for a crime, and then worked for nineteen years to rehabilitate his good name. Unlike so many people with my Watts background, I have not continued down the road of crime and anti-social behavior. I believe that I have turned my life around. I believe that I have been a good influence on my sons, and on the young people I have tried to counsel and mentor in order to dissuade them from taking the "wrong" path. I have tried to be a good husband and father, and I think my wife [redacted]' staying with me for twenty-five years shows that. She supported me when I was arrested, and we were married soon after I went to prison. She's stood by me ever since, including during the three trials of [redacted]. I believe I have earned the respect of everyone I've ever worked for. I don't want to be a statistic. I want to be an example of someone who learned from his mistakes and bad decisions and became a productive member of society. Most of all, I want to help young people who are at risk of going down the same wrong road I did.

I humbly request this pardon. I won't let you down.

Gregory Lee Sims — 3/19/2017

Gregory Lee Sims — Date

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Robert Smith

Robert Smith, a resident of Nevada, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about March 3, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, for the crime of battery with serious bodily injury. He served four years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on March 2, 2003, having completed his sentence.

Robert Smith has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Robert Smith, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Robert Smith a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: ROBERT W. SMITH Date of Birth: [redacted] Email Address: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Phone Number: [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including in any other states or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of Conviction(s):	Sentences(s):
273 (d) PC	07/31/1998	SACRAMENTO, CA.	PROBATION/RESTITUTION

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

CO-WORKERS TEASING; EACH GOT RUFF. EACH HURT EACH OTHER.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

FAILED TO UNDERSTAND DECISIONS WHILE UNDER PRESSURE FROM PUBLIC DEFENDER, [redacted], TO PLEAD 'NO CONTEST.' VERY YOUNG AND CONFUSED. DID NOT KNOW HOW TO DEFEND MYSELF.

MOST IMPORTANT, MY MOTHER IS FIGHTING BREAST CANCER AND STAGE 4 KIDNEY FAILURE, I WANT HER TO KNOW I DIDN'T GIVE UP.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

UPSTANDING CITIZEN, NO CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES. DESIRE TO HAVE TANKER/CLASS A DRIVER ENDORSEMENT. STEADY EMPLOYMENT. WOULD ENJOY RETURNING TO FAMILY HUNTING TRIPS AND TEACH FIANCÉE SON TO HUNT & CAMP & FISH.

If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):

N/A

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Rick Allen Snook

Rick Allen Snook, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 18, 1994, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation, and 120 days jail. He was discharged on November 18, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Rick Allen Snook has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo, an order dated October 10, 2014, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Rick Allen Snook has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Rick Allen Snook a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

CR-18719-14 OCT 24 2014

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

RICK ALLEN SNOOK

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

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CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SC035202A

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Clerk of the Superior Court

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Rick Allen Snook, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 10th day

Day of the Month

of October, 2014 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on February 19, 1995, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 10th day of October, 2014.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

JONATHAN E. KARESH

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Jonathan E. Karesh

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 7/6/2005)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Ayla I. Soto

Ayla I. Soto, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

Ms. Soto has been convicted of four misdemeanors in the Superior Courts of the State of California in and for the Counties of Los Angeles, Santa Clara and San Bernardino. In 2003, in Los Angeles County, Ms. Soto was convicted of the crime of possessing a controlled substance, for which she served three years probation, and 30 days jail. In 2004, in Los Angeles County, she was convicted of possessing controlled substance paraphernalia, for which she served one year probation. Ms. Soto was again convicted in Santa Clara County in 2004 for the crime of use or under the influence of a controlled substance and possession of a controlled substance, for which she served one year probation. Ms. Soto was once again convicted in San Bernardino County in 2004 for the crime of reckless driving, for which she served three years probation. She was discharged on July 22, 2007, having completed her sentence for the above offenses.

Ayla I. Soto has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has shown that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Ayla I. Soto, has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Ayla I. Soto a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22th day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: AYLA I. SOTO **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. [redacted]

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
H&S - 11377(A) MISD	9-10-98	LOS ANGELES	DEJ
H&S - 11364 MISD	11-25-03	LOS ANGELES	12 MOS. PROBATION
H&S - 11377(A) MISD	12-9-03	LOS ANGELES	3 YRS. PROBATION

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached letter
Thank you.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached letter
Thank you.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please see attached letter.
Thank you.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

- N/A -

Ayla I. Soto

[redacted]

January 30th, 2017

Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr.
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Request for Pardon

Dear Governor Brown:

I am a 47 year old female muslim Pakistani legal permanent resident who's terrified of being deported, in need of your mercy and pleading to you for a Gubernatorial Pardon. Almost thirteen years ago, because of some very poor decisions which led to a drug addiction, I was convicted of several misdemeanors. In 2010, I applied for and was granted expungements for my convictions.

In 1998, my marriage to my college sweetheart had turned into an abusive relationship, which eventually led to divorce. During this difficult time, I met someone who introduced me to a world I knew nothing about - a world where people got high. I was completely naive - I had only known drugs as medicinal. My fall into addiction was quick. The memory of how many years it took for me to set myself free from this horrible disease still brings me to my knees in shame. I realized the the enormity of the immigration consequences only after I got sober.

I take full ownership of my past. I have lived with the remorse and shame every day since. And since 2004, I have lived a sober life. I have worked hard to become a contributing member of society so that someday, I might be able to forgive myself for breaking the law and bringing dishonor on my family.

For my last possession conviction, I was fortunate enough to end up in the courtroom of Judge Cole, who gave me the chance to enter a year long recovery program - a move that literally gave me my life back. I have been able to turn my life around because of a promise that I made to this amazing Judge. I am also enclosing a copy of a letter of recommendation from Judge Cole (attached).

After getting sober, I worked full time for several years and then went back to school to complete my B.Sc. degree in Accounting from California State University Dominguez Hills in 2008. I also completed a 6 month Project Management Certificate evening program. Next, I

enrolled in an 18 month self study CPA course and passed all four parts of the CPA exam on the first attempt. In 2011, I was certified as a CPA in the state of Washington. I am also a member of both the AICPA and the Washington Society of CPAs.

In 2015, I started my MBA at Washington State University, where I hold a 4.0 GPA (expected grad date: Mar '18). I have worked my way up over the years to the position of Financial Controller at a tech company in Renton, WA. [redacted]

I graduated from San Pedro High School in San Pedro, CA. in 1986. I have been a permanent resident since 1994. I've spent all my adult life in America and have known no other way of life since I was 15.

I am now married to a US citizen, [redacted] who is a Carnegie Medal of Heroism recipient, also a professional in the tech industry. Both my elderly parents, who I take care of and financially support, are legal permanent residents. Furthermore, my 78 year old father suffers from severe heart disease and lives on borrowed time. I am a home-owner in the city of Issaquah, WA.

Ever since the election and since the issuance of recent Executive Orders by the new administration, I live in absolute fear everyday - fear of being torn apart from my beloved parents and my beloved husband and everything that I hold dear. It is awful to live in fear of that knock on my door. All my effort, my work, my education seems to counts for nothing after all - and my heart breaks. If I could take my past back I could. I wish I had know the consequences. I am so sorry and I beg you for your mercy. All I can do is continue to make amends every day.

This is my beloved country because it this country and its beloved people who forgave me and uplifted me when I fell. It is my fellow Americans who held open their doors instead of shunning me. If ever deported to Pakistan, my past and my marriage to a christian man would be considered shameful and dishonorable and I fear everything that I hear and read in the news about what happens to women like me there. I have not visited Pakistan since 1987 and have no ties there. I have nowhere to go - the only life I know is here; all the family that I have is here.

I have consulted with several immigration attorneys and they have told me that I meet the requirements for the cancellation of removal relief waiver. I was planning on filing but under this new administration, I dare not.

Dear Governor, I have lived a decent, honest, sober life since 2004. I don't even have a speeding ticket since that time. I have tried to do my best every day. A pardon from you would greatly help my situation. Please help me. I am begging you to forgive me. With your

pardon, I can at least have a better chance to stand up and fight when the time comes and not be torn apart from my family. This fear is debilitating.

Sincerely,



Ayla I. Soto

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Stephanie Lynn Stella

Stephanie Lynn Stella, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about November 9, 1999, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Contra Costa for the crime of manufacturing a controlled substance. She served one year, five months prison, and three years parole. She was discharged on May 4, 2004, having completed her sentence.

Stephanie Lynn Stella has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Contra Costa, an order dated October 11, 2013, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Stephanie Lynn Stella has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Stephanie Lynn Stella a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-18011-14

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

5-131703-1

Stephanie Lynn Stella

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

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CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) 04-117316-0 (02)

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K. TORRE, CLERK OF THE COURT
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA

By _____, Deputy Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Stephanie Lynn Stella, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 11th day

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of October 2013 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on October 1, 2004, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

SUPERIOR COURT
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Done in open court this 11th day of October 2013

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CLARE M. MAIER

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 7/6/2005)*

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Laurence Dean Stiles

Laurence Dean Stiles, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 14, 1989, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of selling or furnishing marijuana. He served three years probation. He was discharged on February 14, 1992, having completed his sentence.

Laurence Dean Stiles has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Inyo, an order dated August 1, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Laurence Dean Stiles has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Laurence Dean Stiles a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF INYO

Applicant's County of Residence

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In the Matter of the Application of

Laurence Dean Stiles

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Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

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Criminal Case Number(s) POMA 889451-01 / SICRF16-59515

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Laurence Dean Stiles, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 25th day

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of July, 2016 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on January 30, 1989, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONE time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 1st day of August 2016

Day of the Month

Month, Year

DEAN T. STOUT

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Dean T. Stout

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (*Revised 12/5/01*)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

George Douglas Stricker

George Douglas Stricker, a resident of Oregon, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about October 4, 2000, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, for the crimes of failure to collect, account for, or pay taxes, and fraud to get reduced rates of insurance. Specifically, Mr. Stricker falsely claimed that a number of his employees were independent contractors. He served one year, six months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on June 2, 2003, having completed his sentence.

George Douglas Stricker has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, George Douglas Stricker, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to George Douglas Stricker a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: GEORGE DOUGLAS STUCKEY **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Co[redacted]

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of conviction(s):**	**Sentence(s):**
INS. CODE 11580	1993-1994	SAN DIEGO	3 YEARS
TAX CODE 7118.5			

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

MISSCRIPTION OF A FACT (NOT REPORTING ACCURATELY) INSURANCE SECTION 11580(a) AND FAILURE TO PAY TAX CODE SECTION 7118.5

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):**

I PAID MY DEBT TO SOCIETY, PAID FULL RESTITUTION. I AM 72 YEARS OF AGE AT IT WOULD MEAN A GREAT DEAL TO ME

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):**

THIS IS THE ONLY PUBLISHED I HAVE HAD. I HAVE WORKED HARD ALL MY LIFE, I HAVE LIVE A GOOD HARD WORKING EXISTENCE. I WORKED 7 DAYS A WEEK TO PAY FULL RESTITUTION

5. **If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):**

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Ishmael Piankhi Tarikh

Ishmael Piankhi Tarikh, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 22, 1982, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of grand theft of property. Specifically, Mr. Tarikh appears to have stolen merchandise from a department store. He served one year, six months probation. He was discharged on January 23, 1984, having completed his sentence.

Ishmael Piankhi Tarikh has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Alameda, an order dated October 10, 2014, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Tarikh reports that he earned a juris doctor degree and volunteers as a judge for an annual advocacy competition. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Ishmael Piankhi Tarikh has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Ishmael Piankhi Tarikh a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

C 2-18694-14

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Ishmael Piankhi Tarikh

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) A589172 174470

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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ALAMEDA COUNTY
OCT 16 2014
CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
By Karen L. Jose
Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Ishmael Piankhi Tarikh , presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted] , heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 10TH day

Day of the Month

of OCTOBER 2014 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 9-23-1983 , that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 10TH day of OCTOBER, 2014.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Paul Bacci

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 (Revised 12/5/01)

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Francois Adel Tiab

Francois Adel Tiab, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 4, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange for the crimes of manufacturing a controlled substance, possession of ephedrine with the intent to manufacture methamphetamine, and planting or cultivating marijuana. He served three years probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on June 4, 2005, having completed his sentence.

Francois Adel Tiab has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, an order dated October 20, 2017, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Francois Adel Tiab has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Francois Adel Tiab a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-2344-17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE CENTRAL JUSTICE CENTER 700 CIVIC CENTER DRIVE WEST POST OFFICE BOX 22024 SANTA ANA, CA 92702-2024 RECEIVED SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA CENTRAL JUSTICE CENTER	*For Court Use Only* FILED ORANGE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT OCT 20 2017 DAVID H. YAMASAKI, Clerk of the Court C. LANGE
In the Matter of the Application of AUG 25 2017 Francois Adel Tiab *Petitioner's full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable* Date of Birth: [redacted] CII Number: [redacted] Criminal Case Number(s): 02WF1027	
CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION (Penal Code § 4852.13)	CERTIFICATE NUMBER: M - 17170

The petition of Francois Adel Tiab, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

at [redacted], requesting a
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on October 20, 2017
Date

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on late 2002 (exact date unknown)
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, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been three time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 10/20/17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF ORANGE

CHERI PHAM
Judicial Officer -TYPED or PRINTED

Judicial Officer -SIGNATURE

CHERI PHAM

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Lowell Richard Tilton

Lowell Richard Tilton, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 15, 1994, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Placer, for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Mr. Tilton stole firearms from his uncle. He served five years probation, and 300 days jail. He was discharged on July 15, 1999, having completed his sentence.

Lowell Richard Tilton has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated August 13, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Lowell Richard Tilton has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Lowell Richard Tilton a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-209-15

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of	Case No:	15F02591
LOWELL RICHARD TILTON	CII No:	[redacted]
	Date of Birth:	
For a Certificate of Rehabilitation and Pardon	Criminal Case No:	
	A29119C	

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LEGAL AFFAIRS

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
PURSUANT TO PENAL CODE SECTION 4852.13

The petition of **LOWELL RICHARD TILTON**, presently residing at, [redacted] heretofore filed. Praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on **August 13, 2015**, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release of parole on **7/15/1999**, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been convicted of **ONE FELONY**

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 13TH day of AUGUST 2015

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
JOSEPH ORR

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Fermin Toscano Garcia

Fermin Toscano Garcia, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 16, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara for the crime of possession of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation. He was discharged on September 16, 1995, having completed his sentence.

Fermin Toscano Garcia has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino, an order dated May 15, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Fermin Toscano Garcia has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Fermin Toscano Garcia a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Mendocino

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Fermin Toscano Garcia

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number SCTM-CVPT-16-67228

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number

Criminal Case Number(s) 156952

List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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CLERK OF MENDOCINO COUNTY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Fermin Toscano Garcia, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 9th day

Day of the Month

of May, 2016 and proof having been made to the

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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on March 31, 1998, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been one time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 15th day of May 2016.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

CLAYTON BRENNAN

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 12/5/01)*

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Leslie Gilmore Triebold

Leslie Gilmore Triebold, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about October 22, 1997, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara for the crime of burglary. Specifically, Ms. Triebold entered a house and stole several items. She served three years probation. She was discharged on October 22, 2000, having completed her sentence.

Leslie Gilmore Triebold has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sutter, an order dated July 8, 2016, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Triebold reports that she volunteered at local schools. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Leslie Gilmore Triebold has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Leslie Gilmore Triebold a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SUTTER

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

LESLIE ANN GILMORE
(aka: Leslie Gilmore Triebold)
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
Month Day Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) 197512 (SANTA CLARA COUNTY)
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SUTTER
CLERK OF THE COURT
By [signature] Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of LESLIE ANN GILMORE (aka: Leslie Gilmore Triebold), presently residing [redacted], if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code
, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 8th day
Day of the Month
of July, 2016 and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on October 22, 2000, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been ONE (1) time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this JULY day of 08, 2016
Day of the Month Month, Year

BRIAN R. ARONSON
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

[signature]
Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 7/7/16)* *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mark William Turner

Mark William Turner, a resident of Idaho, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about April 30, 1982, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kern, for the crime of possession of a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 90 days jail. He was discharged on April 30, 1985, having completed his sentence.

Mark William Turner has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Mark William Turner, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mark William Turner a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Mark William Turner **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Violation of Section 11377 health code	2/8/1982	Kern	90 days

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

A search my house, found and took four small brown bags with suspected "crank"; Three bottles with miscellaneous pills and capsules; Carboard box with paraphermalia for cutting and packaging; Two sets of scales; Miscellaneous paper, bank statments, cash book, price sheet, customer list; wooden box with smoking paraphernalia and onehand-rolled cigarette.
I was selling crank and plead guilty of possession on 11/1/1983

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am a husband, father to one, grandfather to two. I am a respected bussiness owner, and I am also a convicted fellon. After 34 years this fellony still haunts me. I am certainly not deserving or owed a pardon for this crime but am asking so my wife, son and grandchildren can feel a little better about me.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

As stated above, I am not deserving or owed a pardon for this crime. I at this stage of life am not compassionate of those who commit crimes and am against the use of drugs and am passionately against the sales of them. I am only asking for this pardon to get behind me so I can be a worthy member of the community I live in.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jose Valdes Moreno

Jose Valdes Moreno, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 21, 1997, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of inflict corporal injury on spouse or cohabitant. He served three years probation. He was discharged on February 21, 2000, having completed his sentence.

Jose Valdes Moreno has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jose Valdes Moreno, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jose Valdes Moreno a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

D-1561-17

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Jose Enrique Valdes Moreno **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Please see attached "Conviction Summary".			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached "Circumstances of Offense".

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached "Why I am Requesting a Pardon".

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please see attached "Why I Should Be Granted a Pardon".

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Anthony J. Pullara, Law Offices of Anthony J. Pullara, 1108 Sartori Avenue, Suite 320, Torrance, California 90501 $5,000.00.

Jose Enrique Valdes Moreno
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Application for Gubernatorial Pardon

Question #1
Conviction Summary

I am requesting a Gubernatorial Pardon for the following conviction:

Misdemeanor violation of Penal Code section 273.5.

Los Angeles Superior Court, Van Nuys Courthouse, Case No. 6CR24249.

The offense occurred on October 4, 1996.

I pleaded guilty on February 21, 1997.

I was placed on summary probation for a period of three years, among the terms and conditions of probation, I was ordered to pay $100, perform 350 hours of community service and complete a 12 month batterer's counseling program. I completed the terms and conditions of my probation and the case was expunged pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4 on January 9, 2017.

This is my only conviction.

To assist in the review of my criminal history, attached is a copy of my California criminal history summary.

Jose Enrique Valdes Moreno
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Application for Gubernatorial Pardon

Question #2
Circumstances of Offense

On October 4, 1996, I was arrested for domestic battery/resisting arrest. The circumstances involved an argument I had with my wife of 11 years, [redacted]. This argument was related to our son's errant behavior and habitual suspensions from school. It escalated into physical violence my wife. Prior to this, I was also arrested in another incident on May 12, 1996 where I pushed my wife.

Following this attachment is the docket from this case, and police reports that I have regarding this incident and a related incident for which I was not charged. The police reports are all of the reports that I have, and I only have these reports because they were attached to an opposition filed by the Los Angeles City Attorney, when I unsuccessfully requested to withdraw my guilty plea in 2012.

My actions on both occasions were inexcusable. I have had many years to replay and examine this incident and try to understand my behavior with the intent that this should never happen again. Not to justify my conduct, here is what I now understand about myself: During mid to late 1996, I was operating under an unusual amount of stress, I was unemployed due to a seizure disorder that was not effectively managed by medication, I was taking several seizure medications, and was a stay at home dad experiencing significant problems raising our

adolescent son coupled with raising his baby brother. The stress, frustration and likely depression was damaging our marriage, and I have come to understand this. My behavior in the past, is not reflective of who I am today. I have worked hard for the last 20+ years to rebuild trust with [redacted]

Jose Enrique Valdes Moreno
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Pardon Applicant Questionnaire

Question #2a
Why I Should be Granted a Pardon

I should be granted a pardon, not to protect me from the consequences of my past conduct but because if I am deported it will have devastate my 5 year old grandson, [redacted] and wife of 32 years, [redacted]

If I am deported [redacted] will lose the only stable male role model in his life. [redacted] mother has disappeared from his life and is living on the streets. His father (my oldest son) is incarcerated. [redacted] and I have an unusually close relationship. I have been heavily involved in his life since he was born and he lives with me every Friday afternoon through Sunday evening. Mid-week he lives with his maternal grandmother. I provide [redacted] with food, clothing and other essentials. I am his father figure and provide a sense of stability for a young child who has already experienced a very disrupted life. If deported my abandonment of [redacted] would be yet another blow to an already fragile child. I do not want to simply be another person who vanishes from his life.

Additionally, I have been married to [redacted] for 32 years, and I do not want her to suffer the loss of emotional bond and support we have shared for the past three decades. I don't believe [redacted] or [redacted] should suffer the consequences for the mistakes I made 21 years ago.

With the help of daily medication, I have not experienced a seizure since 1999. I am in a stable, happy place in my life. Time and introspection have helped me to understand my triggers. The anger management class, that I was required to take as part of my probation, imparted useful tools that I still use today for handling my emotions and controlling my behaviors. My wife and I have a strong bond and are the source of emotional support for each other.

I have demonstrated my rehabilitation over the past 21 years. This is the only conviction I have ever had. Since this incident, I have re-established a positive relationship with my wife, sought and maintained gainful employment, purchased a duplex and rental property, raised two sons and am integrally involved in the life of my grandson.

I don't have a right to a pardon, and I accept that my conduct was wrong and inexcusable. I humbly request this pardon for the sake of my grandson and wife. If the Governor were to take this extraordinary action on my behalf, it would allow me to continue my life as a loving, supportive husband, father, grandfather and productive citizen of California.

Jose Enrique Valdes Moreno
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Application for Gubernatorial Pardon

Question #3
Why I Am Requesting a Pardon

I am requesting a pardon so that I will not be deported. I have been ordered deported even though I have lived continuously in the United States since 1993. During the proceedings in Immigration Court, I was found ineligible for relief from deportation because of the domestic violence conviction for which I am requesting a pardon.

I am informed that if I am granted a Gubernatorial Pardon it may delay my immediate removal from the United States and would assist in my request for a Private Bill to avoid deportation.

Following this attachment is a letter from my immigration attorney, [redacted] which details my immigration status, imminent removal and the immigration benefits of a pardon.

Jose Enrique Valdes Moreno
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Application for Gubernatorial Pardon

Question #4
Why I Should be Granted a Pardon

I should be granted a pardon, not to protect me from the consequences of my past conduct but because if I am deported it will have devastate my 5 year old grandson, [redacted] and wife of 32 years, [redacted]

If I am deported [redacted] will lose the only stable male role model in his life. [redacted] mother has disappeared from his life and is living on the streets. His father (my oldest son) is incarcerated. [redacted] and I have an unusually close relationship. I have been heavily involved in his life since he was born and he lives with me every Friday afternoon through Sunday evening. Mid-week he lives with his maternal grandmother. I provide [redacted] with food, clothing and other essentials. I am his father figure and provide a sense of stability for a young child who has already experienced a very disrupted life. If deported my abandonment of [redacted] would be yet another blow to an already fragile child. I do not want to simply be another person who vanishes from his life.

Additionally, I have been married to [redacted] for 32 years, and I do not want her to suffer the loss of emotional bond and support we have shared for the past three decades. I don't believe [redacted] or [redacted] should suffer the consequences for the mistakes I made 21 years ago.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Raquel Maria Vazquez

Raquel Maria Vazquez, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

She was sentenced on or about September 3, 1997, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego for the crimes of assault with deadly weapon that is not a firearm, and driving under the influence. She served one year, six months prison, and three years parole. She was discharged on May 7, 2002, having completed her sentence.

Raquel Maria Vazquez has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. She has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Diego, an order dated December 11, 2015, evidencing that since her release from custody, she has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted herself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Ms. Vazquez earned special recognition from her employer, a women's center. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that she be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community of her residence since her release, Raquel Maria Vazquez has paid her debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Raquel Maria Vazquez a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
Applicant's County of Residence

CR-565-16

In the Matter of the Application of

RAQUEL MARIA VAZQUEZ aka RACHEL MARIA SCHMUCHER
Type Applicant's Full name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

SRD1524
Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]
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CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) SF115972
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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Clerk of the Superior Court
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By: K. CERSOSIMO, Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of RAQUEL MARIA VAZQUEZ, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name – First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
[redacted], heretofore filed, praying
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code
for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 11TH day
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of DECEMBER, 2015 and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the
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Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on JANUARY 12, 2000, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1F time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provide in Penal Code Section 4852.15). and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 11th day of December, 2015
Day of the Month — Month, Year

DAVID M. GILL
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Victor Matthew Vitartas III

Victor Matthew Vitartas III, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 29, 1994, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of burglary. He served three years probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on September 29, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Victor Matthew Vitartas III has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated October 1, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Victor Matthew Vitartas III has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Victor Matthew Vitartas III a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

CR-391-15

IN THE SUPER[illegible]R COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFOR[illegible]

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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In the Matter of the Application of

Victor Matthew Vitartas, III

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

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Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By: [signature] Deputy
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CII Number [redacted]

Certificate Case Number LA018457

Criminal Case Number(s) LA018457

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petition of VictorMatthewVitartas, III presently residing at [redacted]

[illegible]tofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the [illegible] of California, came on regularly for hearing on October 1, 2015

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on Granted Probation September 29, 1994

that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 1 day of October 2015
Day of the Month Month, Year

James Bradbury
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED SIGNATURE

[signature]
Judge of said Superior Court -

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jared A. Wadkins

Jared A. Wadkins, a resident of South Dakota, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 14, 1994, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Contra Costa, for the crime of transporting a controlled substance. He served three years probation, and 270 days jail. He was discharged on November 14, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Jared A. Wadkins has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jared A. Wadkins, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jared A. Wadkins a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INF[redacted]

Name: Jared A. Wadkins **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Possesion for Sale of a narcotic	7/94	Contra Costa	270days

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please see attached

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Wadkins

In July of 1994, I was convicted of a felony, Possession for sale of a narcotic. The circumstances leading up to my crime consisted of my poor decision to use illegal drugs. With the use of illegal drugs, Meth, my addiction escalated to more poor decisions, such as, possessing meth to sale to support my habit. One night at a bar, I had a small amount on my person and decided to sell it to a man, who would be an undercover officer for the Antioch Police Department. I was later arrested and served time in the county jail. In the summer of 1994 I stood trial and was found guilty and sentenced to 270 days in jail and a year of felony probation. The judge allowed me to serve 90 days in an in house treatment facility. I successfully completed the treatment program and my probation period.

Watkins

I am requesting a pardon because I feel my crime is no longer relevant to society. I believe that I deserve a clean slate and the opportunity to live out my life without self-resentment. Every day for that last 22 years I have lived my life knowing and hiding the fact that I am a convicted felon. Now that I am 43 years old, I would graciously appreciate a 2nd chance.

Wadkins

I should be granted a pardon because I have been a model citizen for the last 22 years. I no longer want to live my life with a felony on my record. Since my conviction I 1994, I have learned an enormous amount about drug and alcohol addiction. My crime has not only burdened my record, but has helped me grow into an upstanding citizen. Clean and sober, I am now married and we have a 16 year old daughter. I have owned three homes and have an excellent credit score. I have been employed for 18 years at a very reputable business, where I have been promoted twice into management over the last 3 years. With or without a pardon, I will continue to grow as a citizen, a father, a husband and a colleague, but I feel the state of California would be willing to accept my plea and forgive me for crime.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Jesse Albert Ward

Jesse Albert Ward, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 3, 1998, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Yolo for the crime of receiving known stolen property. Specifically, Mr. Ward participated in burglarizing two businesses. He served three years probation, and 140 days jail. He was discharged on February 3, 2001, having completed his sentence.

Jesse Albert Ward has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, an order dated November 5, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Ward reports that he was a volunteer firefighter. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Jesse Albert Ward has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jesse Albert Ward a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Ward, J.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

In the Matter of the Application of

JESSE ALBERT WARD
Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number **212581**

Date of Birth [redacted]
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CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) **CR97-7446B (YOLO COUNTY)**
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Superior Court of CA County of Santa Clara
BY KATHLEEN FOSTER DEPUTY

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of **JESSE ALBERT WARD**, presently residing
Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix if applicable

[redacted]
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State and Zip Code

, heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this **FIFTH** day
Day of the Month

of **NOVEMBER 2012** and proof having been made to the
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satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on **MARCH 26, 2001**, that, where appropriate, petitioner has
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obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been **ONE** time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, and this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this **FIFTH** Day of the Month **NOVEMBER 2012** Month, Year

HON. ARTHUR BOCANEGRA
Judge of said Superior Court – TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court – SIGNATURE

Arthur Bocanegra, Judge

FORM 3 (Revised 10/18/05) *This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Parole Hearings pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.*

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Mervyn Henry Washington

Mervyn Henry Washington, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about August 21, 1995, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles for the crime of robbery. Specifically, Mr. Washington participated in an armed robbery of an arcade. He served ten months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on August 8, 1997, having completed his sentence.

Mervyn Henry Washington has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino, an order dated November 3, 2008, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Washington reports that he owns and operates a trucking company. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Mervyn Henry Washington has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mervyn Henry Washington a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.



Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

D-9804-09

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF San Bernardino

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

Mervyn Henry Washington

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number FVAFS801119

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) GA024289

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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of Mervyn Henry Washington, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 3rd day of the Month day of November, 2008 Month, Year and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on September, 1997 Month, Day, Year, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 Total Number of Felony Convictions time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 3rd Day of the Month day of November, 2008 Month, Year

Ingrid A. Uhler

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Ingrid A. Uhler

Judge of said Superior Court

INGRID A. UHLER, JUDGE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

FORM 3 (Revised 7/2/98)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

James Richard Webster

James Richard Webster, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 28, 1986, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Shasta, for the crime of failure to provide after adjudication. He served three months prison, and one year parole. He was discharged on August 3, 1987, having completed his sentence.

James Richard Webster has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Placer, an order dated July 28, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, James Richard Webster has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James Richard Webster a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Placer

Applicant's County of Residence

In the Matter of the Application of

James Richard Webster

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number 72-009366

Date of Birth [redacted]

Month Day, Year

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) [redacted]

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COUNTY OF PLACER
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By: M. Patton Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of James Richard Webster, presently residing

Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

[redacted], heretofore filed, praying for

Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 28th day

Day of the Month

of July, 2015 and proof having been made to the

Month, Year

satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 08/03/1987, that, where appropriate, petitioner has

Month Day, Year

obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been One time(s) convicted of a felony;

Total Number of Felony Convictions

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 28th day of July 2015.

Day of the Month

Month, Year

Trilla Bahrke

Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

FORM 3 *(Revised 12/5/01)*

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Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

David Michael Wendt

David Michael Wendt, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about September 30, 2003, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Kings, for the crime of burglary with street gang enhancement. Specifically, Mr. Wendt was implicated in the theft of CDs, stereo equipment, cash, kitchen items, and other miscellaneous items from a rival motorcycle gang's clubhouse. He served one year, four months prison, and one year, one month parole. He was discharged on March 28, 2006, having completed his sentence.

David Michael Wendt has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Tulare, an order dated July 10, 2012, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, David Michael Wendt has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to David Michael Wendt a full and unconditional pardon for the above offenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Tulare

Applicant's County of Residence

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
LEGAL AFFAIRS

In the Matter of the Application of

David Michael Wendt
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable

Certificate Number

Date of Birth [redacted]

CII Number [redacted]

Criminal Case Number(s) 01CM2044, County of Kings
List applicable Criminal Case Number(s)

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TULARE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
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CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.13

The petition of David Michael Wendt, presently residing [redacted], heretofore filed, praying for
Type Applicant's Full Name - First Middle Last and Suffix, if applicable
Type Applicant's Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code

a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came on regularly for hearing on this 10th day of the Month day of July, 2012 Month, Year and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on March 28, 2006 Month Day, Year; that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 3 Total Number of Felony Convictions time(s) convicted of a felony;

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 10th Day of the Month day of July, 2012 Month, Year

Valeriano Saucedo
Judge of said Superior Court - TYPED or PRINTED

Judge of said Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT ★ COUNTY OF TULARE CALIFORNIA

FORM 3 (Revised 4/29/05)

This form was prepared by the Investigations Division of the Board of Prison Terms pursuant to Penal Code Section 4852.18.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Todd Mark West

Todd Mark West, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about February 18, 1988, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Riverside, for the crime of possession or purchase of a controlled substance for sale. He served three years probation, and 180 days jail. He was discharged on February 18, 1991, having completed his sentence.

Todd Mark West has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Orange, an order dated May 15, 2015, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Todd Mark West has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Todd Mark West a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE
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COUNTY OF ORANGE
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MAY 15 2015
ALAN CARLSON, Clerk of the Court
BY T. EBBERT DEPUTY

In the Matter of the Application of
TODD MARK WEST
Petitioner's full [redacted]
Date of Birth: [redacted]
CII Number: [redacted]
Criminal Case Number(s): CR 20404

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
(Penal Code § 4852.13)

CERTIFICATE NUMBER:
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The petition of TODD MARK WEST, presently residing [redacted], requesting a

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a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, was heard on 5-15-15
Date

and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 02/18/1988
Month Day, Year, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that the that petitioner has been once (1) time(s) convicted of a felony;
Total Number of Felony Convictions

The Certificate of Rehabilitation is granted. This Court declares the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Dated: 5/15/15

Richard King
Judicial Officer - TYPED or PRINTED

R. M. KING
Judicial Officer - SIGNATURE

This form was prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF ORANGE

Optional Use
Form: L-410.2 [Rev. July 15, 2011]

Penal Code § 4852.13

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Richard Worley Jr

Richard Worley Jr, a resident of Washington, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about November 15, 1979, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the crime of taking a vehicle without owner consent. He served one year, six months probation. He was discharged on May 15, 1981, having completed his sentence.

Richard Worley Jr has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has shown that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law abiding citizen.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Richard Worley Jr, has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Richard Worley Jr a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense, including the right to own, possess, and keep a firearm to the extent permitted by California Penal Code Section 4854.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR GUBERNATORIAL PARDON

Complete this application to request a pardon from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: RICHARD E WORLEY JR **Date of Birth:** [redacted] **E-mail Address:** [redacted]

Address: [redacted] **Phone Number:** [redacted]

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
487.1	10-17-1979	LOS ANGELES	ON NEXT LINE ↓
18 MO. PROBATION, 1 DAY JAIL, FINE			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

MY BROTHER & I TOOK OFF RIDING AROUND THAT NIGHT ON AN OLDER MOTORCYCLE SITTING IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD & PARKED ADJACENT TO HIS HOME. MAY HAVE BEEN DRINKING BUT DON'T REMEMBER IT WAS SO LONG AGO.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon (attach additional pages as necessary):

I WAS DECLINED ON FIREARM APPLICATION. BENTON COUNTY SHERIFF SAID THAT EVEN THOUGH MY CONVICTION WAS AS A MISDEMEANOR IN CALIF. - WASH. WOULD HAVE CONSIDERED IT A FELONY SO THEY ARE TREATING IT AS SUCH. THEY RECOMM. I TRY THIS (PARDON).

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon (attach additional pages if necessary):

I MADE A STUPID MISTAKE (ABOUT 2 WEEKS AFTER 18TH BIRTHDAY). I REGRET TAKING SOMEONE'S PROPERTY! I HAVE LIVED A GOOD TROUBLE FREE LIFE & BEEN A GOOD CITIZEN SINCE THEN. (CONT.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

RICHARD E. WORLEY JR. – PARDON APPLICATION

SECTION 4 CONT.

I HAVE BARELY EVEN GOTTEN ANY TRAFFIC TICKETS, AS I LIKE ZERO TROUBLE WITH THE LAW. NO TICKETS IN MANY YEARS. I HAVE BEEN MARRIED FOR 27 YEARS, AND RAISED THREE CHILDREN. ALL THREE CHILDREN ARE GOOD LAW ABIDING CITIZENS, AND WE ARE VERY PROUD OF THEM. MY OLDEST SON HELPS ME RUN OUR FAMILY PLUMBING BUSINESS, AND MY 2ND SON & MY DAUGHTER BOTH HAVE GREAT JOBS.

IN SUMMARY - I FEEL THAT I AM A GOOD LAW ABIDING CITIZEN AND SHOULD BE TREATED AS SUCH, WITH ALL RIGHTS THIS GREAT COUNTRY OFFERS. THE ONLY WAY TO ACHIEVE THIS IS WITH YOUR HELP & FORGIVENESS FOR MY MISTAKE, BACK IN 1979.

SINCERELY,

P.S. - ALMOST FORGOT... I AM A HUNTER & HAVE OWNED GUNS MY ENTIRE LIFE WITH NO PROBLEMS. I PURCHASED SEVERAL WITH BACKGROUND CHECKS AND ONLY RECENTLY THIS HAS BEEN A PROBLEM DUE TO WASHINGTON'S POLICY. PLEASE HELP

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Joseph Richard Yarbrough

Joseph Richard Yarbrough, a resident of California, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about July 3, 1981, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento for the crime of receiving known stolen property. He served three years probation, and one year jail. He was discharged on July 2, 1986, having completed his sentence.

Joseph Richard Yarbrough has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sacramento, an order dated July 7, 2014, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. Indeed, Mr. Yarbrough reports that he volunteered with a charity serving the poor. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Joseph Richard Yarbrough has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Joseph Richard Yarbrough a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Application of	Case No:	**14F02922**
JOSEPH RICHARD YARBROUGH	CII No:	[redacted]
	Date of Birth:	
For a Certificate of Rehabilitation and Pardon	Criminal Case No:	**60512**

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION
PURSUANT TO PENAL CODE SECTION 4852.13

The petition of **JOSEPH RICHARD YARBROUGH**, presently residing at, [redacted], heretofore filed. Praying for a CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California, came regularly for hearing on **JULY 7TH, 2014**, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing, the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to his completion of the term to which he was sentenced, or upon his release of parole on **JULY 2ND, 1986**, that, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by his course of conduct his rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been convicted of **ONE FELONY**.

WHEREFORE, It Is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, And this Court does hereby order, adjudge and decree that petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this Court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner

Done in open court this 7TH day of JULY 2014

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By S. Tingle, Deputy Clerk

JAIME R. ROMÁN
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

This form prepared under the direction of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of California.

Executive Department

State of California

PARDON

Zachary Dominic Zeno

Zachary Dominic Zeno, a resident of Missouri, has submitted to this office an application for executive clemency.

He was sentenced on or about June 15, 1992, in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Bernardino for the crime of transporting a controlled substance. He served three years probation. He was discharged on June 15, 1995, having completed his sentence.

Zachary Dominic Zeno has complied with the provisions of Sections 4852.01 to 4852.2, inclusive, of the Penal Code of California, which provide a procedure whereby a person may, after completion of their sentences, seek restoration of the rights of citizenship, and apply for a pardon. He has obtained from the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, an order dated August 11, 2016, evidencing that since his release from custody, he has lived an honest and upright life, exhibited good moral character, and conducted himself as a law-abiding citizen. By granting the Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that he be granted a full pardon.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community of his residence since his release, Zachary Dominic Zeno has paid his debt to society and earned a full and unconditional pardon.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Zachary Dominic Zeno a full and unconditional pardon for the above offense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd Day of December, 2017

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT
AUG 11 2016
Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By _____, Deputy
M. Seals

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:

Zachary Dominic Zeno

Type Applicant's Full Name – First, Middle, Last and Suffix, if applicable

Zachary Dominic Zeno

Date of Birth: [redacted]

CII Number: [redacted]

Certificate Case Number: BA435469

Criminal Case Number(s): SCR57550

CERTIFICATE OF REHABILITATION

Pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4852.13

The petitioner is presently residing at: [redacted]

Heretofore filed, praying for a Certificate of Rehabilitation pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5, Title 6 of Part 3 of the Penal Code of the State of California came on regularly for hearing on 8/11/2016

And proof having been made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice of the time of hearing has been regularly given as required by law; and from satisfactory proof taken at said hearing the Court finds that all allegations of said petition are true, and that the required period of rehabilitation has elapsed since petitioner's date of discharge from custody due to completion of the term to which the petitioner was sentenced, or upon the release on parole or probation on 6/15/1995

That, where appropriate, petitioner has obtained relief pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4, and that petitioner has demonstrated by the course of conduct his/her rehabilitation and fitness to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15); and that petitioner has been 1 time(s) convicted of a Felony;

WHEREFORE, It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, And this court does hereby order, adjudge, and decree the petitioner has been rehabilitated and is fit to exercise all the civil and political rights of citizenship (except as provided in Penal Code Section 4852.15), and by virtue thereof, this court recommends that the Governor of the State of California grant a full pardon to said petitioner.

Done in open court this 11 day of AUGUST 2016

SCOTT M. GORDON
Judge of the Superior Court – TYPED or Printed

Judge of the Superior Court - SIGNATURE

SUPERIOR COURT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Maria Arriaga

Maria Arriaga got pregnant in 2005 when she was 17 years old. She had hidden the pregnancy from her abusive boyfriend, her deeply devout Catholic parents, her sisters, and her friends. Scared and alone, she gave birth in a bathtub and then killed the newborn child. On July 18, 2007, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Arriaga to 15 years to life for second degree murder.

Ms. Arriaga was found suitable for parole by the Board of Parole Hearings in 2016. In granting parole, the Commissioner told Ms. Arriaga, "I am convinced that there is absolutely no conceivable public safety benefit to keeping you in prison longer." Without a commutation of sentence, however, she will remain in prison until 2021.

Ms. Arriaga's conduct in prison has been exemplary and she has deep remorse for her crime. She has worked to earn multiple vocational training certificates and a high school diploma and has avoided any drugs, violence, and gang involvement. Ms. Arriaga has participated in many self-help programs and has been commended for being "most motivated" and "most improved" in her groups. She has served as a grief counselor and hospice volunteer. In 2016, a vocational instructor commended Ms. Arriaga for being punctual, respectful, and willing to train her fellow classmates, and a chaplain commended her for her volunteer work. Ms. Arriaga was a member of the juvenile offenders' committee. She has never been disciplined for serious misconduct and has lived in the honor dorm for several years. In 2016, a forensic psychologist evaluated Ms. Arriaga and determined that her risk of future violence was low. She has the support of family and friends and has a place to live and a job upon release.

Based on her acceptance of responsibility, remorse, age at the time of the crime, exceptional conduct in prison, and the Board of Parole Hearings' determination that she would not pose any danger to the community if released, I see no reason to continue her incarceration.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Maria Arriaga to a total of 11 years to life so that she will be immediately released.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Maria Arriaga Date of Birth: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Address: Maria Arriaga (X26300) P.O. Box 1508, Chowchilla, CA 93610

1. **Conviction Summary:**

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
see attached			

2. **Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):**

see attached

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):**

see attached

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):**

see attached

5. **If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):**

see attached

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1. Conviction Summary

Ms. Arriaga's sole prior conviction is from Los Angeles County. She shoplifted when she was 13 from a Macy's department store. She received probation in juvenile court and she completed probation successfully.

2. Circumstances of the crime

Ms. Arriaga was a 17-year-old young immigrant girl living in Los Angeles. She had not wanted to be pregnant. She found out at two months and she hid it from everyone for the next seven months. She did not tell her abusive boyfriend. She did not tell her deeply Catholic family. She did not tell her friends. She was scared of how everyone would react and she was in denial. She tried to make the pregnancy go away, by beating herself in the stomach and jumping from high places, but she did not know that there were resources that might have helped her avoid pregnancy or deal with an unwanted pregnancy.

She gave birth silently at 5am in the bathroom of her family's one room apartment. She was scared, immature, and selfish. She strangled her newborn baby daughter immediately after giving birth to her. Ms. Arriaga did not want her family to find out. She put her daughter in a box and then went to the hospital herself because she was bleeding and in pain and did not know what to do.

She will regret taking away her daughter's chance to live for the rest of her life.

3. Why Ms. Arriaga is requesting a pardon or commutation

Ms. Arriaga was found suitable for parole at her initial youth offender parole hearing. The commissioner even said at her hearing, "I am convinced that there is absolutely no conceivable public safety benefit to keeping you in prison longer."

However, the Board miscalculated the dates, and she is not eligible for release until January 23, 2021. She is asking the Governor for clemency so that she can be released immediately, either to transitional housing in California or to live with two of her sisters in Guatemala.

4. Why Ms. Arriaga should be granted a pardon or commutation

It does not make sense for Ms. Arriaga to remain in prison if she does not pose a current danger, just because of a Board mistake. There is no public safety benefit to keeping her in prison longer. The Board and the psychologist who performed her Comprehensive Risk Assessment on April 26, 2016 confirmed that she poses a low statistical risk of danger to the free community. The Board even noted that further

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Incarceration time simply meant to punish her would not be appropriate, as she will punish herself for the rest of her life.

Ms. Arriaga is a youthful offender and she has grown and matured tremendously. She is not the selfish, scared, young girl that she was when she murdered her newborn daughter. She has thought deeply into her reasons for committing the crime and she is confident that she would never do it again; she now knows that there are resources for unwanted pregnancies and she now knows how to reach out to people when she needs help.

Further, Ms. Arriaga has had an exemplary record in prison. She has been in the honor dorm for her entire time in prison. She has not received a single 115. She received a 128 counseling chrono just once, when she was late. Her classification score is 19, the lowest it can be. She learned English and got her high school diploma. She has participated in numerous programs. She has gained vocational skills. For the last three years, she has been a Comfort Caregiver for female inmates who are sick and terminally ill. One of the commissioners at her hearing thought that this indicated that she has "made [her] life's mission when [she was] in prison to [] try to be that person for somebody else." She really does want to help ensure that no young girl finds herself in the position that she once was in, feeling scared and lost with no one who can help. If the Governor chooses to commute her sentence and release her, she can start building her life and then help make that goal a reality.

5. Penal Code section 4807.2

Ms. Arriaga did not pay any money or give any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application. However, Ms. Arriaga did receive pro bono representation from Heidi Rummel at the Post-Conviction Justice Project, which is located at the University of Southern California Gould School of Law, 699 Exposition Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90089.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon or commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each District Attorney must be given notice.

I, Maria Arriaga *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

[signature] 12/08/16

Applicant's Signature Date

signing on Ms. Arriaga's behalf as her authorized representative

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4800 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Maria Arriaga ,

was convicted of the crime of murder in the second degree ,

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of _____ .

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

☐ Pardon

☑ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number:* X26300 .

[signature] 12/08/16

Applicant's Signature Date

signing on Ms. Arriaga's behalf as her authorized representative

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____ , District Attorney of the County of _____ ,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____ ,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Kenneth Edward Hartman

In February 1980, Kenneth Hartman was 19 years old. After getting drunk and high at a bar, Mr. Hartman and a friend came upon Thomas Fellowes in a park. Mr. Hartman and Mr. Fellowes got into an argument, which led to a physical fight during which Mr. Hartman delivered multiple blows to Mr. Fellowes' head, killing him. On July 22, 1980, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Hartman to life without the possibility of parole for robbery and for murder committed during the commission of a robbery.

Mr. Hartman has been incarcerated for 37 years. When submitting his request for commutation, Mr. Hartman expressed deep remorse, explaining, "It has been my mission to try and make something useful come out of the wrong I committed." For decades, Mr. Hartman has been a model inmate. The warden of Lancaster Prison recommended that he be considered for commutation, and he has been commended by many correctional staff members for his positive and productive behavior over decades. Former State Senator Gloria Romero, another of his many supporters, wrote, "Mr. Hartman is well-known and respected inside the prison system; granting him a commutation would set a strong example of the possibility of hope, without which growth is close to impossible." In fact, Mr. Hartman has not only worked to earn his GED, paralegal certificate, and associate of arts degrees, but also helped to create programs for inmates on his yard to earn college degrees. He has been a leader and a facilitator of many self-help programs. He helped found the successful Progressive Programming Yard at Lancaster Prison. And Mr. Hartman is a published author, has completed numerous vocational training programs, has routinely received above average and exceptional work ratings, and served on the Men's Advisory Council. Mr. Hartman wrote, "I fully realize what I am asking for is serious and carries with it a tremendous amount of responsibility."

I have taken into consideration not only Mr. Hartman's juvenile history and the serious crime he committed, but also his age at the time, the difficult circumstances of his upbringing, his exemplary conduct in prison, and his substantial efforts to turn his life around. Despite serving a sentence that carried no possibility of parole, Mr. Hartman chose to turn away from gangs, drugs, and violence and become an example to other inmates. I find that he deserves a chance to make his case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Kenneth Edward Hartman to a total of 25 years to life, making him eligible for parole consideration.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. **If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Kenneth Edward Hartman **Date of Birth:** [redacted]/60 **Inmate ID:** C-19449

Address: A2 211L, P.O. Box 4430, CSP-LAC **Facility:** Lancaster Prison

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
First Degree Murder	2/23/80	Los Angeles	LWOP
Robbery			(Life without parole)
With Special Circumstances			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached letter from Verna Wefald

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached letter from Kenneth Hartman

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please see attached exhibits

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Not Applicable

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

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I Kenneth Edward Hartman, *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Kenneth E. Hartman — 4/15/14

Applicant's Signature — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Kenneth Edward Hartman,

was convicted of the crime of First Degree Murder, Robbery, Special Circumstances,

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of February 23, 1980.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

Kenneth E. Hartman — Applicant's Signature

4/15/14 — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, John Morris for, District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Kenneth Edward Hartman,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed John Morris

Date 11-19-14

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

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October 28, 2014

Honorable Edmund G. Brown, Jr.
Governor of the State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: **Request for Commutation of Sentence**
KENNETH HARTMAN, C-19449

Dear Governor Brown:

This letter is to request a commutation of sentence for Kenneth Hartman, C-19449, who has been serving a life without parole sentence for the past 34 years. Mr. Hartman, who was only 19 years old when he committed his crime, is respectfully requesting that you strike the special circumstances and commute his sentence to life with parole. This would enable him to have a lifer parole hearing.

In prison, Mr. Hartman became an acclaimed author who has written frequently about his path to redemption and the extreme remorse he feels for his crime. (See bio summary attached as Exhibit 1.) He is one of the founders of the Honor Yard, now known as the Progressive Programming Yard, at California State Prison, Lancaster. This program has been a resounding success in helping inmates lead productive, violence-free lives.

In 1980, Mr. Hartman was convicted of first degree murder with robbery murder special circumstances, and robbery. (*People v. Hartman and Nooner*, LA County Superior court No, A021176.) He had no prior felony convictions.

The conviction came about after Mr. Hartman, while severely intoxicated, got into a fight with Thomas Fellowes, who he encountered in a park in Long Beach. Mr. Fellowes died after being beaten. The robbery charges and robbery murder special

circumstances were alleged after Mr. Fellowe's empty wallet and miscellaneous papers were found strewn beside his body. Codefendant Robert Nooner confessed to the police that *he* is the one who went through Mr. Fellowes' property. (Slip opn., at p. 5; *People v. Hartman*, 2nd District Crim. No. 38329, attached as Exhibit 2.) Mr. Hartman testified that he did not intend to kill Mr. Fellowes and certainly did not intend to rob him. (*Id.* at p. 6.)

On appeal and in various habeas corpus petitions in both state and federal court, Mr. Hartman challenged, inter alia, the sufficiency of evidence to support the robbery conviction and robbery murder special circumstances, to no avail. (See e.g. *In re Hartman*, B031499, S011906; *Hartman v. Bunnell*, CV-89-6619.)

The Court of Appeal did remand Mr. Hartman's sentence so that the trial judge, the Honorable Robert A. Wenke, could consider striking the special circumstances, which was permissible under the existing law. (Penal Code, § 1385.) (Slip opn., at p.30.) On remand, Judge Wenke ruled that he would not strike the special circumstances but anticipated that "maybe after the Defendant Hartman has been in prison for 20, 25, 30 years .... maybe a future governor will see fit to commute." (8/30/82 RT 9, attached as Exhibit 3.)

In 2002, Mr. Hartman's wife contacted Judge Wenke for his opinion as to a commutation. Judge Wenke wrote to Ms. Hartman that he did not wish to take a position, but that he "certainly" had "no objection to a commutation of his sentence in the event the Governor decides to do so." (July 4, 2002, Letter from Robert A. Wenke to Anita Hartman, attached as Exhibit 4.)

It is also important to note that a juvenile trial witness, Sam Carey, testified that whenhe was at the park Mr. Hartman shoved him and asked for money. (RT 64, 79.) In 2007, Mr. Carey was interviewed by investigator Jim Harriger. Carey declared that Mr. Hartman "did not take any money from me" and that he "wished to set the record straight." (5/22/07 Declarations of Sam Carey and James Harriger, attached as Exhibit 5.)

Were it not for the special circumstances – alleged due to the codefendant's actions – Mr. Hartman would have been eligible for parole and might even have been paroled at this point. He respectfully requests that you commute his sentence to life with parole.

By his good works over the past 30 years, Mr. Hartman has shown that he can be a productive, non-violent, and valuable member of society. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or need any further information. Thank you very much for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Attorneys pro bono for Kenneth Hartman

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cc: Jackie Lacey, Los Angeles County District Attorney

Kenneth E. Hartman, C-19449
CSP-LAC/A2-211L
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Lancaster, CA 93539-4430

Duplicate

October 7, 2014

The Honorable Edmund G. Brown, Jr.
Governor of the State of California
First Floor State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: REQUEST FOR COMMUTATION OF LIFE WITHOUT PAROLE SENTENCE TO LIFE WITH PAROLE

Dear Governor Brown:

I respectfully request that you grant me a commutation of my life without the possibility of parole sentence to a life with the possibility of parole sentence.

This is not a request that I make lightly. I fully realize what I am asking for is serious and carries with it a tremendous amount of responsibility. Nevertheless, I feel compelled to make this request.

When I was 19 years old, I killed Thomas Alan Fellowes in a drunken, drugged-up fistfight. Nothing I have done since can make up for that tragic fact. I am guilty, and I deserve to be punished. During my punishment, I have worked diligently and consistently to become a better man; I have worked no less diligently and consistently to understand how I could have committed such an act.

I come to you, therefore, based on the totality of what I have been able to accomplish while incarcerated, on the fact that I am not a young man any longer, and on account of my loved ones who want me to join them in the free world. (I, no less, want to join them, too.)

There are hundreds of pages of reports and recommendations, of awards and certificates, of letters of support and reference included with this petition for commutation. They both document my life for the past 35 years and demonstrate how fortunate I have been to have the support I thankfully continue to enjoy. You will see by the attached documents that I have worked to improve the lives of people I know and those I have never met. I have worked to improve the conditions of the prison system, which I continue to believe is in the interests of prisoners, victims of crime, and society in general. It has been my mission to try and make something useful come out of the wrong I committed.

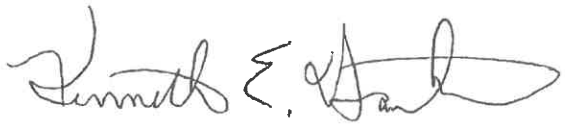
Consequent to this pursuit of mine, I believe I have learned an invaluable body of knowledge that I want to put to good use in the community. I believe that I would be a useful citizen in and for this state. I believe that if I was given a chance to present myself in front of the Board of Parole Hearings I would be found suitable for parole. I know I that would use that opportunity for the good.

And I know, with utter certainty, that I would never, under any circumstances, pose a danger to society again. Never.

I ask that you grant this petition for commutation of my sentence from life without the possibility of parole to life with the possibility of parole. Allow me the chance to present my case to the Board of Parole Hearings.

Thank you, in advance, for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Kenneth E. Hartman, C-19449

cc: file

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Christopher Ochoa

In July 2007, Christopher Ochoa and a friend decided they wanted to kill Mr. Ochoa's stepfather, Ronnel Spears, because they suspected he was trying to molest Mr. Ochoa's 13-year-old sister. They came up with a plan and held him at gunpoint, demanding money. Mr. Spears was able to jump out of a window and escape to a neighbor's house. Mr. Ochoa was arrested hours later. After pleading guilty, on November 7, 2008, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Ochoa to 9 years for attempted kidnapping for ransom, plus a 10-year enhancement for personal use of a firearm – a total sentence of 19 years in prison.

In his application for commutation, Mr. Ochoa wrote that he previously "justified [his] crime under the guise of protecting [his] family." He reported that his life became very turbulent when he was about 11 years old, after Mr. Spears began pimping and selling drugs out of their home. Mr. Ochoa could not remember a time when he wasn't afraid of returning home and being hit by Mr. Spears. He said he also witnessed Mr. Spears repeatedly beat Mr. Ochoa's mother, sister, and stepbrother, as well as the prostitutes who worked for him. A short time before Mr. Ochoa committed this crime, his 13-year-old sister told him that she believed Mr. Spears was trying to molest her. Mr. Ochoa told an investigator, "It felt like I was losing control of the situation, and I just felt desperate…I didn't think there was any help beyond a certain point. Because every time the police came, he'd get away." Mr. Ochoa said he "didn't feel like the law was going to help us – I just didn't know what to do."

Mr. Ochoa has now been incarcerated for more than 10 years and in that time has worked hard to improve himself, avoiding gangs and living without violence. In his application for commutation, he wrote, "Coming to prison saved my life. I've been able to address deeply rooted issues and problems from my childhood." Shortly after he came to prison, he was disciplined for possession of alcohol, and has had no disciplinary problems since. He has participated in multiple self-help groups. Significantly, Mr. Ochoa earned a certification as a Drug and Alcohol Counselor and for the past year has been actively counseling other inmates. He has been commended by multiple correctional staff members for his positive attitude and behavior. In 2015, a correctional officer praised him for his hard work and wrote, "When [Mr.] Ochoa paroles he will be a positive addition to his community as he has taken his rehabilitation seriously and works hard every day to be a model inmate."

I do not discount the seriousness of Mr. Ochoa's offense, but I also cannot overlook the years of violence he and his family endured when he was young. Since he has been incarcerated, Mr. Ochoa has demonstrated a strong dedication to improving himself and contributing to the well-being of others. As a result, he has earned the chance to make his case before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute Christopher Ochoa's sentence so he is now eligible for parole consideration.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Christopher Ochoa (G58827) **Date of Birth:** [redacted]-86 **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: D1-25-04Low, P.O. Box 92, Chowchilla, CA 93610

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
PC209(a)(664)[02[Attempted Kidnap/Ransom	(07-27-2007)	Los Angeles County	19 years
w/ (PC12022.5(a)]03[) (Use of Firearm)			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary): (See attached forms)

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

(See attached forms)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary): (See attached forms)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

Attachments

2. **Response:**

At the time of the crime I, (Christopher Ochoa) was 21 years old, unable to manage my emotions, justified the act of murder, hiring assistance to do so, and victimized my step-father, Mr. Ronnell Alonzo Spears Sr. I believed I was protecting my family. I grew up in a crime centered home where there were many twisted beliefs operating which negatively influenced my way of thinking. All my young life, I witnessed Mr. Spears avoid justice for countless crimes, beating my siblings and me, and using our residence as a brothel and drug den. I believed he was untouchable, fear had led to anger and that led to hate. What motivated my crime is when Mr. Spears shared his plans to pimp out my sister and desire to train me as a pimp. I refused his proposition he then threatened to murder me and my loved ones if I exposed his plan. I felt he crossed the line and I was determined to make him pay for all the pain he caused my family and me and also for innocent girls he held captive and abused in our home. I felt anger and helplessness. I fell into a crisis of pain and confusion, with poor coping skills I made the worst and cowardly choice of my young life. I was 21 years old when I attempted to murder Mr. Spears by lying in wait with a firearm and the assistance of an accomplice, R. Talley. I understand now that my immature mind wanted revenge and to end all the years of hate and suffering I felt. I had a whole community to go to, but without any healthy coping or communication skills the shameful pain of my childhood allowed me to believe murder was the only answer. The first time I ever sat in the back of a police car was the day I was arrested. The irony is that I was certified under CALSAGA, worked as an OPSEC Security Officer, and was planning a law enforcement career after finishing my Letters, Arts, and Sciences AA degree from Antelope Valley College and begin my education in Criminal Justice Administration. Shamefully, the facts are that I hired assistance to murder another human being. Thankfully, I didn't kill Mr. Spears. However, I minimized my actions for two years pending trial, in the end I pled to a 19 year non-life term. I knew that I serve time for my crime.

3. **Response:**

In the last 9 years of custody I received one CDCR-115 Rule Violation Report (RVR) complying with its' disposition. I have no in-prison violence and I've remained disciplinary free since my first RVR. I work diligently to model pro-social behavior and making living amends for my crime. Working in high profile positions as a trusted Sergeant, Lieutenant, Captain, and CCIII's clerk I've served CDCR with honesty and integrity. My CDCR C-File speaks to these statements and service. Mr. Spears (AZ-1857, C3-233L), is now incarcerated in CDCR. I have made every effort to secure our safety by requesting a non-confidential segregation. I can't gauge where Mr. Spears' or my co-defendant's recovery, all I know is that I never want to cause harm ever again. I am so grateful that I did not deprive Mr. Spears' life and his ability to change for the better. I've let go of the past and I've moved on holding on to no animosity. All my life I felt like I was carrying around a ton of bricks, this life experience has changed me for the better because I've found a new purpose: Helping others. I learned about the commutation process while at Valley State Prison (VSP) during my time in the Offender Mentor Certification Program (OMCP). I elected to enter this petition based on the work and improvements I've made in regards to my rehabilitation. I am eligible for youth parole in 2021 and my minimum parole date is 2024 my maximum date is in 2026. I had no criminal history before I made the worst mistake of my life. Today, I continue to work on myself, model pro-social behavior, and work as a certified helping professional for CDCR's OMCP.

4. Response:

Coming to prison saved my life. I've been able to address deeply rooted issues and problems from my childhood, which I didn't even know I had. I was arrested on, July 27, 2007, and I came into custody in CDCR in, May of 2009, and I've worked very hard to become a better person. CDCR has provided me with many opportunities to prepare me for an early reentry. I took my freedom for granted by committing my crime, learning so many lessons from the experience of incarceration, I now believe that I am ready to return to society and be pro-social.

I justified my crime under the guise of protecting my family. In actuality, I felt I was above the law and so I attempted to rectify childhood trauma by selfishly seeking revenge because violence was the only coping skill I learned as a child that produced results. Helping others means following the law and finding the pro-social solution within the law. I didn't believe that then as I do now. While I never had a criminal history prior to this, my best thinking got me into prison and now I have new thinking that will keep me pro-social and from being a danger to society. I've addressed past flawed ways of thinking and worked to change for the better. I have tools that allow me to handle stressful situations and seek help in those that have the authority to help me. I'm no longer a threat to society.

I became SNY in 2009 in order to avoid prison violence. I've maintained a violence free prison term. Through the help of my support network, faith, CDCR Staff, Scott Budnick, The Actors' Gang Prison Project, Father Tomas White, Father Mike Kennedy, self-help groups, the CSP-LAC and VSP Reentry Facilities, and OMCP I addressed my past and gained pro-social coping skills. The program I enjoyed the most was Tim Robbins' Actors' Gang Prison Project, learning how to be the "master of mind and not a victim of my thinking," allowed me to see that there is hope to changing and that my thoughts and challenge old maladaptive beliefs. I was able to express true remorse for: my crime and the impact I made, loss of my freedom, family, and personal life, and lastly for the trauma of maximum custody incarceration. I now use assertive communication to for help when I need it, and I no longer stuff my feelings. Anger is natural now I can control how I respond to it. Prison afforded me to time study, when I read Anne Frank's words, "In spite of everything I still believe that people are really good at heart," I began to change my life because deep down I do believe there is good in everyone.

I'll be 30 this July 12th with nearly 9 years of incarceration completed July 27th. I victimized: Ronnell A. Spears and his family; my family; my then girlfriend and her daughter; my friends; my neighbors; the criminal justice system; my co-defendant and his family. I take full responsibility for my actions hoping to find forgiveness and mercy. I can't undo what I did, but I can strive to never cause harm or fall into the same negative thinking that brought me to prison. While I may never receive reconciliation with Mr. Spears, I've found peace and purpose in making amends to society for my own wellbeing and healing.

If a commutation releases me, I will reenter society as a helping professional, being of service. I've taken the Hippocratic Oath to do no harm as a part of my CAADE ethical code. I will make continued amends. Prison saved my life, this life experience has helped me to grown in the last 9 years. I learned that no one is above the law, that I am subject to it, and that if I want to serve the law the best way is to obey it. I'm ready to an asset as oppose to a delinquent. I no longer take life for granted, all life is precious to me because I believe in change. I don't believe that anyone can "earn" their way out of prison, but I do believe that anyone can change for the better and I can only hope that others can see that change. I am ready to return to society and comply with any conditions set by the BPH. I welcome any questions from the BPH and look forward to address any concerns as to whether or not I pose a threat to society. I am grateful to have this opportunity and thank you for your time and consideration.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon or commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each District Attorney must be given notice.

I, Christopher Ochoa (G58827) *, declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Applicant's Signature — Date: 6/20/16

N/A

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

Com 2815-16.

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Christopher Ochoa (G58827),

was convicted of the crime of PC209(a)(664)102[Attempted Kidnap for Ransom w/ a Firearm,

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of July 27, 2007.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

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☐ Pardon

☒ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number:* G58827.

Christopher Ochoa
Applicant's Signature

6/19/16
Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, Barbara Wolff HD, District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Christopher Ochoa,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed Barbara Wolff

Date 11/21/16

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Executive Department
State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Susan Russo

In July 1994, Susan Russo asked her boyfriend to kill her husband, David Russo, so she could collect money as his surviving spouse. Ms. Russo let two men into her home while Mr. Russo was sleeping. The men shot him and disposed of his body. On August 16, 1996, the Fresno County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Russo to life without parole for murder plus 6 years for solicitation to commit murder.

In her application for commutation, Ms. Russo wrote, "I literally had to lose everything – children, family, friends, and overcome a drug addiction, but I succeeded and I am proud of my accomplishments." She described growing up in an abusive household, being physically abused by her husband, and heavily abusing methamphetamine, including with her husband, around the time of this crime. Others have corroborated that Mr. Russo frequently abused Ms. Russo. In an interview with an investigator, Ms. Russo expressed deep remorse for her actions, and said, "I have found new life in myself and I want to help others with their struggles."

Since coming to prison, Ms. Russo turned away from violence and drugs and has worked hard to transform her life for the better. Indeed, in her nearly 23 years of incarceration, she has never been disciplined for a single rule violation. Ms. Russo is now 62 years old, suffers from very serious medical issues, and is permanently disabled. She has taken college-level courses and completed a vocational training program in upholstery. Ms. Russo volunteered as a literacy tutor, and was a member of the Women's Advisory Council. She has actively participated in numerous self-help programs including Victim Awareness, Family Restoration, and Narcotics Anonymous, and co-founded and facilitated the Prison of Peace program. Correctional staff members routinely commended Ms. Russo for her positive attitude, exemplary behavior, and respect for her peers and staff. One correctional officer wrote, "She is a leader in her community and well respected by myself as well as her peers...Her growth and dedication in assisting others has remained the same through the years as she is an active, productive inmate who is an asset to her community."

Ms. Russo has worked tirelessly to leave violence and drugs behind and set her life on a positive course while incarcerated. While I do not discount the seriousness of her crime, I believe that her subsequent behavior is exemplary and warrants commutation. Ms. Russo has earned a chance to appear before the Board of Parole Hearings to make her case so they can determine whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute Susan Russo's sentence to a total of 25 years to life, making her eligible for parole consideration.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Dear Governor Jerry Brown,

My name is Susan Russo and enclosed you will find my packet for Commutation of Sentence.

I have been incarcerated for nineteen years and I have always admitted to the fact that I deserved to be punished for my crime. I was found guilty for my husband's murder. The crime took place in Riverdale, Calif. in 1994.

At the time in which my crime took place I was a "Meth" addict, I was in my second abusive marriage, and I truly felt like a non existent human being. These are not excuses I am just stating facts.

At a very young age I dealt with my abusive mother and grandmother. When I married the first time and the abuse started I felt this was what I deserved. Thirteen years later and one child I divorced, moved to Calif. and married my second husband. We had a child, bought a home, and pretended to be happy but the abuse continued until I finally snapped and

and a sense of accomplishment. I literally had to loose everything children, family, friends, and overcome a drug addiction but I succeeded and I am proud of my accomplishments.

I am also proud that I have no disciplinary action the entire time I have been incarcerated.

Governor Brown, I am asking for a reduction of sentence from "Life Without" to a "Life" sentence. If my sentence was reduced to a "Life" sentence I would then have to present myself to the Board of Prison Terms. I would at least have a second chance and this is all I am asking.

I pray you will take the time to review what I have sent and see that I have worked very hard on myself while incarcerated!

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully
Susan Russo #W64536
CCWF
P.O. Box 1508
B-507-8-1L
Chowchilla, Calif.
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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY
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Honorable Governor
State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

I hereby make application for a Commutation of Sentence pursuant to Penal Code (PC) Section 4800, and respectfully represent the facts as follows:

Specify the Action you are requesting of the Governor

__ **Traditional Pardon**
__ **Reduction of your Conviction Level**
☑ **Reduction of your Sentence**
__ **Release from Prison**
__ **Discharge from Parole**
__ **Declaration of Innocence**
__ **Other** (If Other, ***BRIEFLY EXPLAIN***)

Have you previously applied for a Commutation of Sentence? __ **YES** (If Yes, *WHEN?*) _____
☑ **NO**

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
RUSSO	SUSAN	LEE

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Citizenship	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]	NEWARK N.J.	U.S.A.	[redacted]	W64536

ALIASES, If any

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name

RESIDENCE, If NOT in Custody

Address	Apartment, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.

Zip Code	City	State

RESIDENCE, If In Custody

Prison Address	Building, Block, or Tier	Bunk or Bed
CCWF P.O. Box 1508	B-507-8-1Low	

Zip Code	City	State
93618-1508	Chowchilla	Calif.

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.)

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: SUSAN RUSSO **Date of Birth:** [redacted]/54 **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: CCWF P.O. Box 1508 B-507-8-1L Chowchilla, CA. 93610

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
#1 1st. Deg Murder	1994	FRESNO	LWOP
#2 Consp. to Com. Mur.	1994	FRESNO	25-LIFE (STAYED)

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

On July 13th 1994 my husband David Russo was murdered. There were many circumstances which led up to this for example I was a "Meth" addict, years of physical and mental

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am requesting a commutation of sentence from Life Without the Possibility of Parole to a Life sentence. I am asking this as I truly believe that I deserved to be punished

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I would like to be granted a commutation of sentence based off the rehabilitation I have received and the amount of work

5. If you have you paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Question 2 (cont)

abuse, fear, anger, frustration, no self-esteem, no self worth. These by no means are excuses these are facts. Both my husband and myself were using Meth. We both needed help not only for our drug addiction but for the abuse David issued on a daily basis. I felt like I had no where to go or no one to turn to so in my mind I needed to decide who was the better parent for my children. I chose myself and the results were a murder happened. I committed a crime because I made bad choices and bad decisions and in my delusional state of mind this was my only way out. I never thought that so many people would suffer so much hurt and pain. In my thinking I was protecting myself and my children from an abusive husband and father. The key word is thinking" as I was not thinking at all I was just acting on a drug induced state of mind.

Question 3 (cont.)

for the crime I committed. I do feel that my sentence was harsh especially since my two co-defendants didn't receive such harsh sentences. I am not comparing my sentence to theirs at all as I take full responsibility for my role. A Life sentence would have or will give me an opportunity to present myself to the Board of Pardons Terms. I would be able to show them that I am not the same person who was arrested in 1994.

Question 4 (cont.)

I have done on myself. I have taken classes that relate to the issues I was going through. I am clean and sober and I have a sponsor as I know I will always be in recovery. I have made many changes and I am not the person I was when this happened. I have self-esteem, I believe I am worthy, I teach classes and mentor the young adults. I am proud of the many accomplishments as you will see when you review the enclosed packet.

I am asking for a second chance, so I can show you that people can change and can make a difference no matter what the circumstances are.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

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I, Susan Lee Marie Russo *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Fresno *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Susan Lee Marie Russo — Applicant's Signature

11/15/12 — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of FRESNO County: Please take notice that I, SUSAN LEE MARIE RUSSO,

was convicted of the crime of 1st. DEG. MURDER, CONSP. TO COM. MUR.,

committed in RIVERDALE CA, FRESNO County, California, on the date of July 1994.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

☐ Pardon

☑ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number:* W64536.

Susan Lee Marie Russo — 11/13/12

Applicant's Signature — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, Elizabeth A. Egan, District Attorney of the County of Fresno,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Susan Lee Marie Russo,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed [signature]

Date 12-19-12

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Executive Department
State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Manrique Sanchez

On December 10, 1997, Manrique Sanchez went to Angel Garcia's home. Mr. Sanchez believed that Mr. Garcia owed money to his brother and wanted to collect the debt to bail his brother out of jail. Mr. Sanchez and Mr. Garcia got into an argument about the debt, and Mr. Sanchez shot Mr. Garcia in the chest, killing him. On August 9, 1999, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Sanchez to 29 years to life for first degree murder with an enhancement for personal use of a firearm.

Mr. Sanchez has been incarcerated now for more than 19 years. When he submitted his request for commutation, Mr. Sanchez wrote that while incarcerated, he has demonstrated "not only a change in behavior but also, and more importantly, a total transformation of [his] mind-set and lifestyle." He told an investigator, "The system has worked for me ... by being arrested, I was rescued." He credited his transformation on coming to prison, getting sober, becoming involved in self-help and religious groups, and "having the time to think, reflect." While in prison, Mr. Sanchez has kept himself out of gangs, drugs, and violent activity. He has demonstrated a strong determination to further his education, earning five Associate of Arts degrees and an Associate of Ministry degree. Mr. Sanchez routinely receives exceptional work ratings from his supervisors and earned a vocational certification and a certificate in Drug and Alcohol Studies. He has participated in many self-help programs and facilitated groups to help other inmates in their rehabilitative efforts. In 2011, Mr. Sanchez co-founded the Youth Offenders Program, which was officially adopted by the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation in 2015. The correctional officer who oversaw the program wrote in 2016 that Mr. Sanchez "is directly responsible for helping countless youth mature from a gang lifestyle into responsible young adults; achieving academic accolades...and becoming active Mentors to other youth." Additionally, Mr. Sanchez has a place to live and a job upon release.

I do not discount that Mr. Sanchez came to prison for committing a very serious crime. But he has since worked tirelessly to improve himself and to help other inmates turn their lives around with tutoring, self-help groups, mentorship, and counseling. And Mr. Sanchez helped create a program that trains other inmates to perform these same services for others, creating opportunities for many inmates who seek to rehabilitate themselves. He has earned a chance to appear before the Board of Parole Hearings to make his case so they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Manrique Sanchez to a total of 20 years to life, making him eligible for earlier parole consideration.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. **If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Manrique Alonso Sanchez **Date of Birth** [redacted]-74 **Inmate ID:** P-51025

Address: P.O. Box 2199 **Facility:** Ironwood State Prison Facility-C' 5-221

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Please see attached page #1			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached page #2

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached page #3 & 4

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please see attached page #4

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

1.Conviction Summary: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Juvenile History:

1-29-92 Los Angeles County Sheriff- Count 1 **12101 (B) PC** (Possess live ammo without parental permission).

Court: 11-13-92 Minor Declared Ward, **released home on Probation**

3-31-92 Compton Police Department- Count 1 148 (A) PC (Obstruct/Resist Public Officer) Count 2 **243 (B) PC** (Battery on Emergency Personnel) Count 3 647 (F) PC (Disorderly conduct: Drunk)

Court: 12-4-92 **Count 1 Petition Sustained, Minor released home on Probation.**

Adult History:

4-29-93 California Highway Patrol-Count 1 **123152 (A) VC** (Under Influence Alcohol/Drugs In Vehicle) Count 2 **23152 (B) VC** (Under Influence Alcohol .08 Percent More Highway) Count 3 **12500 (A)** VC (Unlicensed Driver) Count 4 **27315 VC.**

Court: 9-8-93 Compton Municipal Court Case Number #93M04696 Count 2 Disposition: Convicted Conviction Status: **Misdemeanor Sentence: 36 Months Summary Probation, 48 Hours Jail, Fine.**

12-11-97 Compton Police Department **187 (A) PC** (Murder) Special Allegation: Use of Firearm Pursuant to **12022.5 (A) PC**

Superior Court of California County of Los Angeles Case Number #TA038565 Disposition: Convicted conviction Status: **Felony Sentence: 25 years-Life, plus 4 years for Unlawful Use of Firearm for total of 29 years-Life.**

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation:

On December 10, 1997 while drinking (alcohol) with my neighbor and best friend Jesus Escobar at his front yard, my mother-Adelina Sanchez approached me concerning my younger brother Humberto Sanchez. She said, "He had just been arrested for possession of illicit drugs at Orange County" and that, "bail was set for him and if I could help post his bail." However, because of the high bail, I did not have the sufficient financial means to bail him out. I then drove to Mr. Angel Avalos Garcia's home to ask him for some money. I went to Mr. Garcia's because at this time he owed my brother (Humberto) some money for over eleven months. During this time, I was intoxicated with alcohol, though this is not an excuse because while sober I was conscientious of the negatives effects/consequences of alcohol consumption; nevertheless, it surely played a major part in my loss of control because of my anger.

A discussion between Mr. Garcia and I quickly escalated into an intense argument because I questioned Mr. Garcia's credibility being he was giving conflicting information as to exactly when I should returned for some money. However, at that very moment in my mind I was convinced that Angel Garcia was simply lying to me in order to get me to leave and upon return, he would not be around as he had previously done with my brother on numerous occasions. Being I had a sense of urgency, I asked for something as collateral in good faith until he could give me some money, when suddenly a 3rd party Mr. Gerardo Cortez got involved by attacking me, which immediately escalated into a physical altercation. I pulled out my pistol and as a direct result of the physical struggle with Mr. Cortez; the gun went off firing a single round while still in my possession. Mr. Garcia was shot in the chest area while he was standing at an angle directly I front of me during the struggle with Mr. Cortez. Upon impact, Mr. Garcia immediately fell down to the floor.

Mr. Cortez thought he had been shot and also fell to the ground. As I turned toward Mr. Cortez warning him, "Not to get involved!" Mr. Garcia was also armed, and he attempted to pull his weapon at the very instance that Gerardo attacked me. However, upon the first impact he fell, and wile attempting to get back up in order to shoot me from the ground up, I instantaneously reacted on impulse by firing a second and final round toward the back of Mr. Garcia's upper right shoulder in order to stop him, instead it resulted in his untimely and unjustified death. All this transpired within seconds. I then fled the scene abandoning Mr. Garcia in his greatest time of need. Thus, I now understand I retaliated by shooting Mr. Angel Garcia in anger with intent to hurt him and with total disregard for his life, safety, and well-being. I then went home where I was arrested a few hours later.

This argument and physical altercation resulted in the sentence of a total of 29-Life (25-Life for the death of Mr. Garcia and an additional 4 years for unlawful use/discharge of a firearm. I pled not guilty but this was a lie.

I accept complete responsibility and solely take absolute ownership for the murder of Mr. Angel Garcia because I now understand that I allowed my personal unresolved childhood issues, my anger, my addiction to alcohol, my gang mentality, and the stresses of life to go unchecked, thus resulting in poor choices and bad decisions making ultimately leading to the murder Mr. Angel Garcia.

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation:

Shortly after my arrest, I genuinely repented of my sins and I wholly surrendered my life to Jesus Christ and was born again. Since then, I have gone on to earn an Associate's, as well as a Bachelor's degree in Ministry (Biblical Studies) and have become consistently active as an inmate Christian Minister since 2000. I have been living; teaching; and preaching biblical/spiritual principals within the Spanish and English Speaking Christian Prison Communities ever since.

I have undertaken and completed numerous Self-Help groups. Some of them are; A/A; N/A; AVP (Alternatives to Violence Project); CGA (Criminals and Gangs Anonymous); Breaking Barriers; Anger Management (SAMHSA); Great Dads (TUMI); Inside-Out Writers (IOW).

Also, I have completed these Self-Help groups: Changing Habitual Attitudes and Nullifying Gang Effects (C.H.A.N.G.E.); Lifers Activity Group (L.A.G); Crime Impact Program; Inmate Peer Education (I.P.E.P); Pro-Literacy Program; Making Empathy Noticeable and Distinctive (M.E.N.D); etc. Furthermore, I have become an active facilitator on a consistent basis for several of these groups.

Academically I earned four (4) Associates of Arts Degree with emphasis in Social Behavior Science; Arts & Humanities; Business & Technology; and Math & Science. I earned an Alcohol & Drug Studies (ADS) Specialist I, II, and Certificate of Achievement, and I am prepared to take the State Licensing Exam upon release. I have counseled numerous inmates within prison by helping them deal with their various addictions. I have, and presently continue to tutor countless inmates for both the Coastline Community College (CCC) as well as for the Palo Verde College (PVC).

In 2011 I co-founded of the Youth Offenders Program (Y.O.P) which now has been embraced by CDCR. Presently we have over 240 'Youth Offenders' here on 'C' Facility, Ironwood State Prison. Because of the need, I founded the 'YOP Mentors Program', which now has approximately forty (40) trained Mentors.

Through all this, I experienced a transformation growth process. Through a thorough, in-depth, and continuous self-inventory, I have learned to assume personal responsibility for my actions; accountability of my choices/decisions; remorse; empathy for my fellow man, and gained precious insight into the root causative factors behind my alcohol addiction and dysfunctional behavioral patterns that were major contributing factors within my Life-Crime and have successfully acquired a practical, functional, and experiential knowledge of the necessary intrapersonal skills in order to overcome and manage my personal dysfunctional behavior and the interpersonal social skills necessary to peacefully resolve problems.

I now apply spiritual/biblical, moral, and social principles; 12 Steps of A/A; 12 Steps of N/A; 12 Steps of CGA; Anger Management; and Alternatives to Violence Project (AVP) as guides to Transforming Power in a practical manner within my daily life.

As a direct result of these groups, I have managed to become intimately acquainted with a working knowledge and experience of how to apply these life principals in my every day life. In doing so I have learned to successfully overcome many problems; controls my anger; and manage my addictions to where I now live a clean and sober life. Thus, I have grown, matured; and demonstrated leadership be being a model person for other inmates and this has completely and permanently transformed my entire person and lifestyle.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation:

I believe that since my incarceration I have demonstrated not only a change in behavior but also, and more importantly, a total transformation of my mind-set and life style. If I should be granted commutation, I will continue in the path of making amends, both directly and if it causes pain, then indirectly.

I am contributing to society, even while sequestered in prison and would continue to do so if released into our free society. Some of the methods I am using and will continue to use are of a Christian Pastor; and Addiction Counselor; and a Mentor for our youth. Most importantly, I would be a good neighbor and citizen of our society.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

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I, Marrigue Alonso Sanchez *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Marrigue N. Sanchez — 4-28-2016

Applicant's Signature — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Manrique A. Sanchez,

was convicted of the crime of 187 (A) PC (Murder), Special Allegation; Use of Firearm 12022.5 (A) PC,

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of 12-10-1997.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

Manrique A. Sanchez
Applicant's Signature

4-28-16
Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____, District Attorney of the County of _____,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Executive Department
State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

John Vaden

In September 2002, Freddie Lee Daniels approached 16-year-old John Vaden to purchase drugs. Mr. Daniels concluded that Mr. Vaden did not have enough drugs to make the transaction worthwhile and did not go through with the deal. Mr. Vaden then retrieved a .22 caliber handgun, demanded the money anyway, and shot Mr. Daniels in the chest, killing him. After pleading guilty, on February 13, 2004, the Sacramento County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Vaden to 15 years to life for second degree murder plus a firearm enhancement of 4 years, for a total prison term of 19 years to life.

While acknowledging the significant impact of his crime, Mr. Vaden applied for executive clemency, stating, "I am no longer that sixteen year old boy who was not only rebellious and disrespectful towards authority figures but who struggled with low self-esteem, insecurities and peer pressure." In his nearly 15 years of incarceration, Mr. Vaden has never been disciplined for a single rule violation or counseled for any misconduct and has avoided any gang involvement. He has educated himself and earned his GED, and completed four different vocational training programs. He has participated in dozens of self-help programs. The warden of San Quentin Prison recommended commutation and Mr. Vaden's supervisors and sponsors routinely commended him for his positive attitude and work ethic while participating in programs and vocational assignments.

Mr. Vaden's crime has profoundly impacted Mr. Daniels's family members, several of whom wrote to me to oppose clemency and express their enduring pain. It is impossible to find words to express the terrible loss suffered by Mr. Daniels's loved ones. Nevertheless, after carefully weighing this matter, I have concluded that Mr. Vaden has earned the chance to make his case before the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison. In making this decision, I have given great weight to the recommendation of the warden of San Quentin, and the fact that Mr. Vaden – sent to an adult prison for a crime he committed as a 16-year-old – has resisted the powerful intimidation and pervasive pressures of the criminal gangs that unfortunately wield power in our prisons. On the contrary, Mr. Vaden has availed himself of every opportunity to improve himself.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of John Vaden to a total of 15 years to life, making him eligible for earlier parole consideration.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: John Merl Vaden Jr. **Date of Birth:** [redacted]/86 **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: San Quentin State Prison, San Quentin Ca 94974

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Receiving stolen property	April 2001	Sacramento	probation

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

On September 26, 2002, eleven days after my sixteenth birthday, I shot and killed Mr. Freedie Lee Daniels. My encounter with Mr. Daniels initially began with an attempted drug sell. Because Mr. Daniels was unhappy with my drug offer I used that as an excuse to pull my gun on him demanding his money. Once he refused to give me his money and began advancing towards me I fatally shot Mr. Daniels once in the chest.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

(Refer to question four)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I believe I can never earn, deserve or be worthy of freedom. I cold-heartedly took the life of Mr. Daniels something of which I can never repay or replace. What I can say is that I am no longer that sixteen year old boy who was not only rebellious and disrespectful towards authority figures but who struggled with (see attached)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

(Continuation of question four)
low self esteem, insecurities and peer preasure. I have pursued multiple self-help groups, educational goals and a disciplinary free record since my inception into CDCR. I have also been blessed with the respect and support of not only my family and people from the community but also from the correctional staff during my incarceration. Whenever I am granted release I will be an asset to whatever community I find myself in. If it is through this action of pardon or commutation I will be forever grateful and indebted to such an act of mercy and compassion of which I know I am truly unworthy.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

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Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon or commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each District Attorney must be given notice.

I, John M. Vaden Jr., *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Sacramento *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or commutation.*

(Print Full Name)

(Name of County*)

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Applicant's Signature

2/15/17

Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Sacramento County: Please take notice that I, John M. Vaden Jr.,

was convicted of the crime of 2nd degree murder,

committed in Sacramento County, California, on the date of September 26, 2002.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

☐ Pardon

☑ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number:* V-06147.

John M. Vaden — 2/15/17

Applicant's Signature — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____, District Attorney of the County of _____,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Daniel Wiltse

For more than a year, Carol Hill discussed her serious marital problems with her teenage son, Daniel Wiltse, and tried to persuade him to kill Donald Hill, his stepfather and her husband. In August 1979, Mr. Wiltse succumbed to his mother's pressure and approached an ex-felon he knew about murdering Mr. Hill. This acquaintance carried out the murder, and Mr. Wiltse drove him to and from the scene of the crime. After a jury trial, on January 19, 1981, the Riverside County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Wiltse to life without parole for murder and conspiracy to commit murder. His mother was never convicted of the murder she orchestrated because Mr. Wiltse would not testify against her. Moreover, after Mr. Wiltse went to prison, his mother threatened to have a prison gang kill him.

Mr. Wiltse was 18 years old when he committed this crime and has been in prison for 37 years. Despite intense pressure, he has successfully avoided gang activity, drugs, and violence while incarcerated. He has been disciplined for serious misconduct only once, when he was found with tattoo paraphernalia in 1984. When he applied for commutation, he said, "The man I am now is unrecognizable to the boy I was." Indeed, Mr. Wiltse has worked to earn his GED and an associate degree in business management, and maintained a 3.53 grade point average. He obtained several vocational certifications, including Drug and Alcohol Treatment Specialist, Asbestos Abatement Worker Certification, and Vocational Sheetmetal Program. Mr. Wiltse has participated in numerous self-help programs. He is a facilitator for the Addiction Counseling Program and a program sponsor noted that he is well on his way to becoming an effective and efficient therapist. Mr. Wiltse helped the prison design a computerized tracking system and has been commended by supervisors for his level of professionalism and taking pride in his work. One of his former correctional counselors wrote in support of a commutation, saying, "I know his history as well as his character and would recommend him for release immediately without stipulation or delay." He continued, "if truth be told he became one of the most respected men in [the prison] wearing blue or green."

In light of Mr. Wiltse's age at the time of his crime, his transformation in prison, and his commitment to rehabilitation, I believe he deserves a chance to make his case before the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether he is prepared to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Daniel Wiltse to a total of 25 years to life, making him eligible for parole consideration.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th Day of April, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. **If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Daniel Ray Wiltse **Date of Birth:** [redacted]/1960 **Inmate ID:** G-24057

Address: P.O. Box 2199, Blythe, Ca. 92226 **Facility:** Ironwood State Prison (Facility C)

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
NO PRIOR CONVICTIONS			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached.

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please see attached.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

NONE.

2) Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a Commutation.

In August of 1979, at the age of eighteen and at the behest of my mother, I aided in the murder of my stepfather, Donald Wayne Hill. I was found guilty of aiding and abetting in a murder while lying in wait, and was sentenced to life without the possibility of parole (LWOP). The following is a statement of the facts of the case as found by the California Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District, Division Two, in case No. E001216:

> Defendant's mother, Carol Hill, was married to the victim, Donald Hill. There were apparently marital and other difficulties between the Hills, and Donald Hill, defendant's stepfather, was killed under circumstances we shall describe. Defendant, his mother and one Joe Cornelius were accused of conspiring to murder and murdering the stepfather. It was the district attorney's theory that the mother, Carol Hill, was the instigator and mastermind of the plan, that Joe Cornelius was the trigger man and that defendant aided and abetted Cornelius in murdering the victim.
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> Prior to trial the district attorney offered dismiss the special circumstance allegation against defendant if he would testify truthfully about his mother's part in the murder but, contrary to his attorney's importuning, defendant steadfastly refused to implicate his mother and did not testify at the trial. The result was that Carol Hill was acquitted. Defendant and Cornelius were convicted of first degree murder and conspiracy to commit murder. The jury found true allegations that (1) the murder committed by Cornelius was intentional and carried out for financial gain; (2) Cornelius intentionally killed the victim while lying in wait; and (3) defendant intentionally aided and abetted Cornelius in the intentional killing of the victim while lying in wait. Both defendant and Cornelius were sentenced to life imprisonment without possibility of parole.
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> The evidence developed at trial may be summarized as follows. Donald hill was a plant superintendent at the Valley Sanitation District in Indio. It was Hill's custom to go to the plant during his off hours if there was a problem that needed his attention. Even though he was on vacation at the time, at 2:30 a.m. on August 29, 1979, he told his wife he was going to the plant to check a malfunctioning motor. It was later determined that no one from the plant had called Hill.
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> Donald Hill's body was found at approximately 5 a.m. that morning sprawled on the ground by his pickup truck in front of the south gate of the plant. The truck engine was running, its lights were on and the driver's door was open. Eyeglasses and keys were found on the ground near the body. The gate was

locked. Death was caused by two gunshot wounds; one to the back of the head and the other to the right temple, both inflicted at close range.

Defendant had told a number of people as early as 1978 that he wanted to have his stepfather killed. On the evening of August 29, Cornelius and his wife spent the evening visiting with defendant and his girlfriend, Lisa Webb, at defendant's residence. Cornelius and defendant left for an hour or two early in the evening.

At about 11 p.m., defendant stated he was going to see his mother. He left on his motorcycle and was gone about 45 minutes. At around 2 a.m., defendant and Cornelius left on the motorcycle. They returned about one and a half hours later at which time Cornelius and his wife immediately left. After returning to the residence defendant told Lisa Webb, "Don is dead." Later that morning he asked her to say he had been with her all night and to lie about the fact he possessed a gun.

Several days after the victim's funeral, defendant told an acquaintance he was involved in Hill's murder although he did not see the killing. He explained that there was a phone call to get Hill to the plant and that he and another person were on his motorcycle at the back of the plant.

My involvement in the murder was primarily that of a driver. On several occasions leading up to the murder my mother had sought to have my stepfather killed, which included seeking my assistance in finding someone to commit the killing. These initial pleas to have my stepfather killed were while I was seventeen years old. I finally met Joe Cornelius in the summer of 1979 while we were co-workers at a roofing company. After learning that Cornelius was an ex-felon, I approached him about my mother hiring him to kill my stepfather.

On the evening of the murder, Cornelius phoned my stepfather and lured him to the plant where he worked. I drove Cornelius to the plant on my motorcycle, and waited about one-half mile away while Cornelius committed the murder. I then drove Cornelius away from the scene on the back of my motorcycle.

(3) Explain why you are requesting a commutation.

I am sentenced to life without parole, and all post-conviction remedies in the courts have been exhausted. A commutation of the LOWP sentence is my only opportunity to seek parole.

(4) Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation.

The question as to why I "should" be granted a commutation suggests that I believe I feel that I am "entitled" to one – which I do not believe that I am. However, I am pleading for commutation because of the following reasons:

My youth at the time of the crime and the undue influence of my mother are relevant to whether I should ever be awarded an opportunity to seek parole.

I was only eighteen years of age when my mother urged me to get involved in the killing of my stepfather. The insistence to have the crime committed started well before I was of age, and my mother had already made known to me that she had made prior unsuccessful attempts to have him killed. The entire impetus for me to get involved in the killing was the continuous influence of my mother.

As a young boy, I observed violence against my mother at the hands of my stepfather. My maternal grandmother lived with us until the end of the 1960's, and my grandmother and mom would often speak about my stepfather beating my mom. As I reached my young-teens, I witnessed more of the violence. Both my mother and stepfather would constantly tell me to always "Keep my mouth shut" about everything in the family. It was constantly instilled in me that the dysfunction of the family was never to be discussed with anyone – for any reason.

From my mid-teens on, my mother started to confide in me directly about my stepfather's violence. My recommendations to get a divorce were answered with her saying, "he won't let me." For years she insisted that her only solution was for my stepfather to just be "gone," and she told me that she had paid someone $500.00 to kill him, but that the killer just took her money. My mother expressed on numerous occasions that she would continue to search for someone to kill my stepfather. I finally told my mother to not pursue finding a killer, and that I would try to find one.

After I approached Cornelius about the murder, my mother's determination intensified. She became very involved, and kept insisting that the killing get done soon. She devised the plan of how to get my stepfather alone, and kept on me to make sure Cornelius got it done.

After my arrest, it was made very clear to me by my mother that I was to keep my mouth shut about her involvement. The prosecutor made numerous offers to me to give me leniency if I would testify against my mother, but the dysfunctional "ethos" in which I was raised forbade me from "betraying" my mother. The message I received from my mother also reiterated that I had better not commit such"treason."

As a result of my decision to heed my mother's wishes I received an LWOP sentence and she was acquitted. After my admittance to prison, I contacted my mother with the intent of asking her questions about why this crime happened. My mother made it very clear that she would not answer any questions and that there would be no further communication between us.

In 1985, during post-conviction proceedings in court, I finally came forward with the facts of my mother's involvement in the murder, confirming the prosecutor's theory since the trial.

My role as a conspirator and aider in the murder does not serve to demonstrate that I am forever a danger to society.

Although there is no diminishing my culpability in seeking Cornelius' involvement and participating in the murder, my secondary role in the killing does not prove an incorrigibility that would permanently deem me a threat to society. As the courts have found, I did not personally commit the killing, and was found guilty as an aider and abettor. I was not the planner or direct perpetrator of the killing.

As reprehensible as I now find my own involvement in the death of a man, my conduct did not show a level of sophistication or grotesqueness that would deem me irretrievably incapable of rehabilitation. Indeed, the prosecution was willing to forego the special circumstance charges in order to obtain evidence against my mother – the motivator and planner of the murder.

I have demonstrated a growth and maturation that greatly distinguishes the person that I am now from the boy who participated in the murder.

Through the last 37 years of incarceration, I have grown and matured both spiritually and ethically. I have gone from being a teenage boy to being a husband, a father of two men, and a grandfather to five little ones. The man I am now is unrecognizable to the boy I was.

My wife, Pam, and I have been married since 1983. My two sons, Daniel and Douglas, now 30 and 28, were conceived when life-term inmates were permitted family visits. While Pam has been the primary care provider to our children, we have raised our boys as a couple and she has permitted me the joy and honor of being a fully-involved father. I continue to speak with all of my family on almost a daily basis, and have maintained a constant visiting relationship throughout our marriage.

Pam and I have raised our sons to be valued members of their community. Both of our sons honorably served our country in the military during war time. Daniel returned to Afghanistan to serve as a private contractor after his discharge from the military. Both Daniel and Douglas live in Southern California, close to their mother. I have been blessed with the opportunity to raise a family and to maintain a loving and cohesive support group from within prison.

Over the last three decades I have also grown spiritually and morally through my Christian faith. My biological father is the pastor of a church in Northern Nevada, and I have become increasingly active in pastoring at my prison chapels. Approximately 4 or 5 years ago I authored commentaries on the epistles to the Galatians and the Ephesians, and gave the rights and proceeds to the books to my father's church for the sole benefit of the ministry.

Since being transferred to Ironwood State Prison, I have availed myself of the college program offered at the institution, and have achieved certification as an Alcohol and Drug Specialist I and II. It is my hope that addiction counseling skills will be useful in my work in the ministry. I am also continuing college course-work toward a degree in Business Management.

The changes in my character over the last 37 years are not only evidenced in my family and my work in the ministry, but are also manifested by my in-custody conduct. I have not received any disciplinary reports of any rules violations of any kind for 37 years. This is the result of a conscientious effort to lead an ethical and obedient lifestyle, and that effort is the manifestation of a moral character that my Christian faith leads me to seek.

I have demonstrated a 37 year history of self-improvement and rehabilitative programming.

As discussed above, I have shown a history of good in-custody conduct. I also, early in my prison term, sought professional help from the Department of Corrections, which helped me understand that my childhood was dysfunctional. This counseling also helped me come to terms with my involvement in this crime, and provided me with personal tools in order to be a husband and father capable of being a positive influence to my wife and sons.

I have also developed employable skills. Early in my prison term I recognized the importance of having the capacity to provide for my family. I became a plumber, steamfitter, electrician, heavy equipment operator, licensed hazardous waste worker, and proficient in the computer field.

I am currently in college where I am in the process of obtaining a two-year degree in Business Management; I have achieved a Specialist I and Specialist II Alcohol & Drug Counselor; I am currently facilitating group counseling in the Addiction Counseling Program (ACP) and I am facilitating Breaking Barriers, a Cognitive Reality Model.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daniel Ray Wilise

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I, Daniel Ray Wiltse, *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Riverside *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Daniel Ray Wiltse — Applicant's Signature

6/3/2016 — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

N/A

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Florence Laurel Anderson

In April 2001, Florence Anderson went to Bruce James' motel room. She was accompanied by her pimp Michael Lane, who planned to rob Mr. James because he thought Mr. James had large sums of cash. In the hotel room, Mr. Lane stabbed Mr. James, killing him. Mr. Lane, Ms. Anderson, and two others then took $49, credit cards, jewelry, and clothing from the room. On July 3, 2002, the Humboldt County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Anderson to 25 years to life for first degree murder plus 2 years for second degree burglary.

In her application for clemency, Ms. Anderson describes her battle with addiction and her history as a victim of abuse. According to Ms. Anderson, "I did not know what addiction was or understand how out of control my life had become." An investigation revealed overwhelming evidence that Ms. Anderson was suffering from Intimate Partner Battery at the time of her crime and that she "endured severe physical abuse at the hands of her codefendant, Michael Lane." Mr. Lane was interviewed as part of the investigation and reported that there was no plan to murder Mr. James. He explained, "But my anger took over and things went downhill. After things went downhill, I threatened her and told her she couldn't say nothing. She didn't come forward because of me and my threats. … She took my words as gold. … She was afraid of me. Actually she was terrified of me. … She didn't do anything. … She doesn't deserve all this time." While the current District Attorney of Humboldt County has written to oppose clemency and takes the position that there is nothing "exceptional" about this case, the former District Attorney said that he "found it was very plausible that she was truly a victim of domestic violence and that her involvement in the crime was due to that fact." He said, "Provided she has done well in prison, it makes sense for the Governor to cut her some slack…if she is doing well in prison, I would not oppose it. I would support it."

In her 16 years of incarceration, Ms. Anderson has shown a determination to overcome her struggle with drugs and a genuine commitment to rehabilitation. She has been certified as an Alcohol and Drug Counselor by the Addiction Counselor Certification Board of California, has created and taught substance abuse prevention curriculum, and has an internship offer to continue this work upon her release. Ms. Anderson has not been disciplined for any misconduct while in prison and has participated in numerous self-help groups, including Alcoholics and Narcotics Anonymous, Relapse Prevention, Co-Dependents Anonymous, and Restorative Justice. She has been housed in the honor dorm for several years, worked on the executive body of the Canine Support Team, and works as a hospice volunteer for terminally ill inmates. Her family has offered her housing and other support. A correctional officer described her as a "model for real change." Two additional correctional officers in 2011 supported Ms. Anderson – one stating, "It is in my opinion that she would pose no threat if released… and will live a productive and successful life in the community."

I do not discount the gravity of Ms. Anderson's offense, but I also cannot overlook the violent abuse she endured and her limited role in this crime. Since Ms. Anderson has been incarcerated, she has maintained her sobriety and helps fellow inmates who also struggle with addiction. She deserves an earlier opportunity to make her case before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can determine whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute Florence Laurel Anderson's sentence to a total of 16 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Florence Laurel Lyn Anderson **Date of Birth:** [redacted]1973 **Inmate ID:** W95085

Address: 16756 Chino Corona Rd., Corona, CA 92880 **Facility:** California Institution for Women

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
P.C. 187(a)(murder)	04/03/2001	Humboldt Co., CA	25 years to life
P.C. 459, 460 subd. (b)(second degree burglary)	04/03/2001	Humboldt Co., CA	2 years (consecutive)

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

On the night of April 3, 2001, I participated in the murder of Bruce James. Bruce was a man that did not have the chance to protect himself from me and my co-defendant. I was a methamphetamine addict and would stop at nothing to get money for drugs. I prostituted myself and eventually murdered Bruce James.

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am requesting a commutation because I have worked diligently on changing the person I was when I became incarcerated. I have dedicated my life to healing the core issues that kept me stuck in my addiction. I believe that I can do better work focusing on prevention within communities outside of the prison system. (Cont.)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I believe I should be granted a commutation because when I first came to prison I was broken and lost. I was an addict and thought that I was worth nothing. I acted out these beliefs and treated others the same. I did not understand (Cont.)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

My former habeus attorney, Theresa Gibbons, is helping me pro Bono.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office.

I, Florence Laurel Lyn Anderson *, declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Humboldt *with notice of my intent to apply for a commutation.*

(Print Full Name)

(Name of County*)

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Florence Anderson — Applicant's Signature

2/21/17 — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

#3 Continued

By the time the women get to an institutional setting, they have committed some heinous crimes, like mine. If I could be a part of the solution to prevent these crimes from ever happening, then my choices in the past will not be in vain. I can help women become emotionally literate, build self esteem, work through the causative factors to addiction, and believe in themselves and work towards building a pro social lifestyle. The choices that I made when I first got to prison are rare. The women first coming into the prison setting usually spend years getting high, fighting, and being hopeless. The possibility of them ever coming out of this behavior is unusual. I want to make a difference in their lives before they ever reach this point. I know what would have worked for me, especially when it comes to addiction. I create curriculum and teach it here within the prison system to help educate women about the physiological effects of drugs, to work through the shame and guilt of being an addict and to help move them through the stages of change towards a healthy life. I use what would have worked for me. I am very effective with this population, however I believe I would be 100 times more effective outside of prison. My passion is to give back, to help heal the trauma that I have caused others, and to live my life according to this. It breaks my heart when women choose prison and death over healing and life. I know my insight and creativity can be an asset to the community if I am given the opportunity to be a part of the free world again. I have been experiencing some medical issues and have been told that I may have M.S. I lost vision in my left eye about a year and a half ago and since then have been experiencing debilitating symptoms. I am currently on disability until the doctors figure out a diagnosis. This has been hard on me, but I am working on self care and taking time for myself.

#4 (Continued)

feelings much less Communicating about my feelings, Instead I just acted out in ways that hurt others and myself. When I came to prison I remember sitting on my top bunk and looking at my roommates. They were partying, drinking, and slamming drugs. I realized then that I had a choice to make, I did not want to be remembered for the damage that I caused. I wanted to change myself. I did not know how to do that, so I found others that were making positive changes and hung out with them. I worked at optical for eight years, hoping to pay my restitution, and that is when I heard about the OMC program (offender Mentor Certification Program) I was scared to death, but I applied. Out of 96 applicants, I was Chosen for an interview. I interviewed in front of a Panel of Captains, Lieutenants, and Correctional Counselors. This was the first time that I was honest about my Crime, addiction, and dreams of Someday being a positive part of the Community. I told them everything about me, which was mostly bad. After much consideration, I was Chosen. There were 27 of us Chosen to be a part of this elite program. It took me about a year to complete the program. The Navy Came in to teach the didactic portion, which was extremely invaluable. I learned about myself during all of this. I worked on my Core issues, addressed my behaviors, looked at the Causative factors in me Committing a murder, Shared with my peers, and began to heal and grow as a woman. I have worked extremely hard to never get a "write up" or any disciplinary action. At the same time, I have been enrolled in College and am near to getting my AA degree I recently Completed the Business Certificate Cohort through Chaffey College with a Cumulative GPA of 4.0! I have been Moved from institution to institution and have maintained my forward momentum. If I were to be given a Commutation, I would be so grateful. I want to work with legislators, Judges, District Attorneys, etc. to make real Changes and to give my

#4 (Continued)

Unique insight into what works and what does not. I have educated myself through the prison system and taken advantage of every single program available to inmates. I have completed the prestigious CAADAC/DMC program, which is highly sought after. I have accrued over 6,000 internship hours, work tirelessly within the Substance Abuse Treatment program here at C.I.W. and continue to help facilitate change with the women still struggling in addiction.

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Humboldt County: Please take notice that I, Florence Laurel Lyn Anderson ,

was convicted of the crime of P.C. 187(a) (felony murder); P.C. 459, 460 subd. (b)(second degree burglary ,

committed in Humboldt County, California, on the date of 04/03/2001 .

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
LEGAL AFFAIRS

Florence Anderson 2/21/17

Applicant's Signature Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, Maggie Fleming , District Attorney of the County of Humboldt ,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Florence Laurel Lyn Anderson, W95085 ,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed M. Fleming

Date 3/8/17

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Christopher Edwin Asay

In 1987, Gerald Gauthier worked for an armored car service and regularly picked up money from the convenience store where Christopher Asay worked. On February 18, Mr. Gauthier was driving his own station wagon because none of the armored cars were available. Mr. Asay approached Mr. Gauthier on a freeway on-ramp and shot him multiple times in the chest, killing him. Mr. Asay stole $16,000 from the car and fled. On February 24, 1989, the San Bernardino County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Asay to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder plus a 2-year firearm enhancement.

Mr. Asay is now 55 years old and has been incarcerated for 29 years. In his application for clemency, he wrote, "I know that I cannot change the past, but I can and have done everything within my power to repent and improve myself. I have learned and I have grown as a person so if given the privilege of a second chance, I can and will be a productive member of society." Mr. Asay has no prior convictions and has never been disciplined for misconduct during nearly three decades in prison. He has furthered his education by earning a bachelor's degree and graduating *magna cum laude* from California Coast University with a master's degree in business administration. Mr. Asay has been housed in a Utah correctional facility since 2001, has worked as a reader for the blind since 2011, and routinely earns excellent work ratings. He has participated in self-help programs, including Anger Management, Relationships, and Victim Empathy. In 2015, a correctional lieutenant reported that Mr. Asay was a "model inmate" who was assigned to an honor dorm as a result of his positive behavior and programming.

Additionally, Mr. Asay has significant support from his family, who have pledged to provide him with housing, a job, and the support he needs to integrate back into the community. Bishop Henriksen of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints recently wrote, "I can think of nothing in this world I would like to see more, than for Mr. Asay to have his sentence commuted to 'life with the possibility of parole.'" He said, "There is not a better man in our branch. ... He was paid one of the highest compliments I have heard from other inmates. They all say he is the same person in the chapel as he is on the blocks. He is a good man and they all know it." Governor Gary Herbert of Utah also wrote to support Mr. Asay's request for commutation. He remarked that "Mr. Asay has taken advantage of the time in prison to reflect on his actions and their effect on the victim's family," and agreed to allow him to be supervised in Utah in the event he is released on parole.

Despite his sentence of life without the possibility of parole, as soon as he entered prison, Mr. Asay began turning his life around and helping others. I believe he has earned the opportunity to appear before the Board of Parole Hearings to make his case so they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Christopher Edwin Asay to a total of 25 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. • State Capitol • Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) If the pardon is granted, this application or the Certificate of Rehabilitation may be a public record; specific personal information may be blacked out before it is made available to the public.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Christopher Edwin Asay **Date of Birth:** [redacted]1961 **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: P.O. Box 250 #145330 Draper, Utah 84020

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Murder 1st Degree w/Special Alleg.	February 18, 1987	San Bernardino County	LWOP + 2 years
Robbery 2nd Degree	February 18, 1987	San Bernardino County	STAY

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

On the morning of February 18, 1987 an armed courier made a cash deposit pickup at my remote "Sunshine Travel Stop" store while I was not present. As the manager of the store I determined that a coin order had not been placed with the courier and decided to try and catch him in the small town of Baker, California. I was unable to locate him and proceeded down the highway towards another Sunshine Travel Stop. As I was entering the highway off ramp, I spotted the courier (Continued on Attachment A)

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I make this request for commutation first and foremost because it falls within the perview of only the Governor, established under California Penal Code section 190.3 which states in part; "The trier of fact shall be instructed that a sentence of confinement to State Prison for a term of life without the possibility of parole may in future after sentence is imposed, be commuted or modified to a sentence that includes the possibility of parole by the Governor of the State of California". (Continued on Attachment B)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I would cite once again, Penal Code section 190.3(c), "absence of any prior felony conviction". Prior to my conviction I had never been in trouble with the law, much less had any prior felony convictions. But beyond the penal code criteria, I have worked at rehabilitating myself for all of my nearly 26 years of incarceration. (Continued on Attachment C)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon or commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each District Attorney must be given notice.

I, Christopher Edwin Asay (Print Full Name), *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* San Bernardino (Name of County*) *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or commutation.*

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Applicant's Signature — Date: 3/19/13

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

DANIEL GORDON
NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF UTAH
COMMISSION# 653357
COMM. EXP. 02-29-2016

County of Salt Lake
My Commission Expires 02-29-16
05/19/13

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of San Bernardino County: Please take notice that I, Christopher Edwin Asay ,

was convicted of the crime of Murder 1st Degree w/Special Alleg. and Robbery 2nd Degree ,

committed in San Bernardino County, California, on the date of February 18, 1987 .

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

☐ Pardon

☒ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number*: E 12248 .

DANIEL GORDON
NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF UTAH
COMMISSION# 653357
COMM. EXP. 02-29-2016

My comm. exp. 2-29-16 County of Salt Lake

Applicant's Signature — Date 3/19/13

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____ , District Attorney of the County of _____ ,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____ ,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Attachment A

(Continued from Application, page 1)

just preparing to enter the opposite highway on ramp. I flashed my headlights and waved the coin order bag out my window. The courier turned onto the on ramp and then pulled to the shoulder. I pulled in behind the courier, got out of my car and approached the driver's side window. I told the driver about the forgotten coin order. He accepted the bag, and began filling out some paperwork and signing for the order. It was during this time that I noticed the courier bag on the passenger seat, with what appeared to be a large sum of money. Something clicked, and in that brief moment I pulled my weapon, closed my eyes, and fired multiple shots through the window. Everything became a panic then. I ran to the passenger side of the vehicle, the window had been shot out, reached in and grabbed the courier bag, ran to my car and drove away.

Attachment B

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Additionally, Penal Code section 190.3, lists several criteria that would qualify an applicant for the Governor's consideration and granting of a commutation of a sentence of life without the possibility for parole. Some of the criteria listed give the Governor the power to remedy a miscarriage of justice. Other criteria clearly give the Governor power to show mercy through the lens of rehabilitation. For this application I cite Penal Code section 190.3(c), which states, "absence of any prior felony conviction". I submit that I had no felony convictions, arrests, or even misdemeanors prior to this incident. Therefore meeting the criteria established in the penal code for consideration.

Attachment C

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- I have remained disciplinary free.
- I have worked for all but approximately 6 months of my incarceration, receiving numerous Laudatory Chronos and outstanding work supervisor reports.
- I have voluntarily participated in every Life Skills class available to help me gain critical insights into my crime, the circumstances which led to it, and perhaps most importantly, its impact on the victims and the ripple effects.
- I have earned a Bachelor's Degree in Management and most recently received a Master's Degree in Business Administration, graduating 'Magna Cum Laude', with a 3.77 GPA.

It is here that I would like to refer to a recent National Institute of Justice Report to the U.S. Congress, in which they cite recidivism rates for incarcerated degree recipients: Associates (13.7%) Baccalaureates (5.6%) and Masters (0%).

I know that I cannot change the past, but I can and have done everything within my power to repent and to improve myself. I have learned and I have grown as a person so that if given the privilege of a second chance, I can and will be a productive citizen in society. I know that I am not the same man I was 26 years ago when this terrible crime occurred. I have changed and I have matured. I am willing to, and desire to do whatever is asked of me should mercy be shown. I have a strong support system with family, friends, church and community.

It is my belief that the legal experts and law makers who crafted the California Penal Code realized that there should be exceptions; when rehabilitation and penological interest would allow someone with life without the possibility of parole a second chance. The language of the Penal Code clearly shows that the State believes the Governor could, and would treat mercy as a permissible reason for granting clemency or commutation of sentence.

I humbly submit this application and pray for such relief.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Hamid Basil Bashir

In November 1998, 18-year-old Hamid Bashir and several friends planned to rob a store. During the course of the robbery, the store manager, Paul Lee, was shot and killed by one of Mr. Bashir's friends. Mr. Bashir struggled with Jose Angulo, a security guard on duty, and shot him in the hand. On May 2, 2002, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Bashir to 15 years to life for second degree murder plus a 10-year firearm enhancement – a total term of 25 years to life.

Mr. Bashir has now been in prison for almost 17 years and has demonstrated his commitment to transforming his life and his deep remorse for his participation in this crime. He stopped associating with gang members and has only been disciplined once in nearly two decades of incarceration. He earned his GED, a paralegal certificate, vocational training, and positive work ratings. Mr. Bashir has participated in numerous self-help programs and has facilitated groups for other inmates, including Anger Management and Victim Impact Education. He is currently enrolled in a college-level seminary program and is an active church member. He counsels at-risk youth and plans to continue participating in an urban ministry program if released. Mr. Bashir has also earned respect from the staff members who interact with him on a daily basis. In 2016, a correctional officer commended Mr. Bashir for his "exemplary behavior" and wrote, "In my view, [Mr.] Bashir has given himself the tools to evolve into becoming a productive citizen." A chaplain noted Mr. Bashir's contributions to the ministry and applauded his "exemplary behavior, humble attitude, and service to others." Mr. Bashir has the support of his wife, other family members, and former Los Angeles Mayor Richard Riordan, who offered Mr. Bashir a job, a scholarship to further his education, and housing upon his release from prison. Mayor Riordan wrote that he would guarantee Mr. Bashir's "good behavior and that he will be a positive asset to society."

Based on his age at the time of this crime, his excellent conduct in prison, and his commitment to serving others if released, I believe Mr. Bashir has earned an earlier opportunity to appear before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Hamid Basil Bashir to 17 years and 6 months to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

Copy

Office of the Governor
State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN BLUE OR BLACK INK

I.
APPLICANT INFORMATION
To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
Bashir	Hamid	Basil

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]80	Los Angeles Ca.	[redacted]	T-61472

Current Residence

Address	Apt, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
Ironwood State Prison	B-3 148

City	State	Zip Code
Blythe	Ca.	92226

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

☐ Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01	☒ Commutation of current sentence	☐ Pardon based upon innocence
☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome	☐ Compassionate Release	☐ Other

Why are you requesting clemency?

(See enclosed statement of remorse and evidence of good conduct)

Conviction Information

Commitment Offense			
2nd degree murder with personal use of a firearm			
Date of offense 11-28-2010	Date of conviction 4-18-2002	Arresting agency Newton div.	County of conviction Los Angeles
Superior court case number BA198514	Your trial attorney's name and address Michael V. White 1717 4th Street 3rd Floor, Santa Monica Ca. 90401	Sentence 15 years to life plus ten (25 to life)	If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any? MEPD 2025
Did you appeal your case? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, appellate case number and status of case:			

Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
I got ticketed for marijauna once	not known	----------	I believe case was dismissed after 2 days

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number:	
First and last name:	Telephone number:
Address:	

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number:	
First and last name:	Telephone number:
Address:	

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY

Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE Complete this section if you are presently in prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.	
Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency:	
Your current physician's name:	Physician's telephone number:
Physician's address:	
Have you applied to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation or the Board of Parole Hearings for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
If yes, what was the result?	

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION

Complete this section if you have completed your sentence, you are requesting clemency based upon rehabilitation and you are not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Give a brief account of your offense.

Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration.

Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you)

When were you discharged from probation or parole?

Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release.

Why you are requesting a pardon?

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered after conviction and explain its importance.

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

Was this evidence presented at trial?

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this section if you are currently under sentence and requesting clemency for any reason not covered above.

Explain why you are requesting clemency.

(See enclosed statement of remorse and evidence of good conduct)

Have you sought relief from the courts?

Yes, I have sought relief from each State court (See Exhibit D).

III
NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Penal Code section 4804 requires that you give the district attorney of the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon. You must complete the attached form and mail it to the district attorney before you submit this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each district attorney must be given notice.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the district attorney of the county of LOS ANGELES *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon, as required by Penal Code section 4804.*

(Name of county)

(Applicant's signature) 6-17-2010 (Date signed)

IV
DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This Application for Clemency may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code Section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the forgoing is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in denial of my application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

(Applicant's signature) 6-17-2010 (Date signed)

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Hamid Basil Bashir T-61472 B-3 148
Ironwood State Prison
P.O. Box 2199
Blythe Ca.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In re Hamid Basil Bashir On Request for Commutation	CASE NO:BA198514 REQUEST FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE-EVIDENCE OF GOOD CONDUCT AND STATEMENT OF REMORSE CAL. P.C. 4801

INTRODUCTION

Applicant, Hamid Basil Bashir, in support of his request for commutation of sentence, submits this evidence of good conduct and statement of remorse to the Office of the Governor of the State of California on this 17th day of June 2010.

Hamid Basil Bashir

Hamid Basil Bashir

SUMMARY OF REQUEST

1.

STATEMENT OF REMORSE

The following statement of remorse is presented to show the applicants understanding of the gravity of the commitment offense and to also show that he is trully remorseful while understanding his complete failure to honor his obligation to his community, society and family to be a decent human being.

2.

EVIDENCE OF GOOD CONDUCT

The following evidence of good conduct is presented to highlight the applicants positive post-conviction behavior and rehabilitative efforts while also presented to show that the specific commutation requested is not outside the scope of legal authority.

STATEMENT OF REMOSRE

I have failed my community greatly and I have not lived up to my obligation to be a decent human being and to live decently. This failure is most greatly exhibited by my commitment offense. But, the failure started when I first choose to live an unlawful lifestyle. At sixteen the turmoil and stress in my life began to weigh heavily upon me to the point where I was turning to the street as a refuge from watching my mother abuse herself with drugs and alcohol. I lost my father young and that pain pushed me away further. People have been through much worse in life and made the right choices, so I still accept my wrong choices as a lack of character. Im just explaining how I saw life through my young confused eyes. I began to see life as if I couldn't

rise up, when in reality life is generally equal opportunity because we can all do right and live right even in the most negative situations. I started using alcohol and marijauna, soon after my criminal life began. In my state of confusion, I was living the life I was supposed to be living based on my circumstances. Even thou I now know that this mind set was totally wrong, at Seventeen I wasn't touring colleges getting ready for graduation I was sleeping on some ones couch, living out of a duffle bag inbetween visits to my mother's house to hide all the knives, glass and sharp objects because when she would get to high. My mother would use these objects to cut herself. Perseverance through struggle is whats needed in life and thats how good character is built. I was tested by life at a young age and I failed by making decisions well below my obligation

been shot and even now Im still plagued by questions of what, when and how, another example of just how senseless my actions where. An innocent man was killed and another suffered a gun shot wound to the hand because of me, regardless of all else these facts are abundantly clear.

The shame I have placed on my family, shows complete disrespect for the people who sacrafited so much comfort so that I could have the necessities of life. My mother had her struggles, my father was gone but I had grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, family friends and extended family who tried to provide all that was lacking in my life food, shelter, clothes, participation in sports, and employment opportunities where all there. But, I chose to focus on my own hurt and my own pain which was selfish and self loathing.

In the present I'm on a mission to get my life together, even in light of the pain and shame I feel I can't let those emotions prevent me in pursuing a positive outcome to all this chaos. I believe change is based on action not words alone. So, this is me stepping to the forefront in request of an opportunity to show that dedication to change in and out of prison. This crime was committed by a punk kid doing something foolish that he had no business nor right to do. I was not some hardened criminal willing to kill to acomplish a crime. Please do not see me that way, that's not who I am and I have never been that.

This statement of remorse is submitted in the hope that honesty, sincerity and effort can exhibit a positive change in character.

Sincerely,

DATE: 6-17-2010 Hamid Basil Bashir

Hamid Basil Bashir/Applicant

VERIFICATION

I declare under penalty of perjury both State and Federal that the facts and events stated in this statement of remorse are true to my knowledge and belief.

DATE: 6-17-2010 Hamid Basil Bashir

Hamid Basil Bashir/Applicant

2.

EVIDENCE OF GOOD CONDUCT

Applicant, Hamid Basil Bashir, while incarcerated has maintained a consistent record of favorable behavior and job performance(Exhibit A section C pages 1 to 8) and has not displayed any unfavorable behavior nor participated in any violent conduct(Exhibit A section D pages 1 to 8). Applicant has also not displayed any perverse in cell misconduct(Exhibit A page 9). Additionaly, applicant participates in rehabilitative programs such as Narcotics Anonymous, Alcoholics Anonymous, the Turning Point, Partnership for Re-entry Program offered by the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, while enrolled with the Blackstone Career Institute studying to become a paralegal and legal assistant(Exhibit A pages 10 to 22).

In accord with Cal. p.c. 3046, the specific commutation requested is not outside the scope of the law, because applicant has served the 7 year minimum for a term of years to life sentence, People v. Jenkins(1995) 10 Cal. 4th 234, People v. Lopez(2005) 22 Cal. Rptr. 3d 869. The commutation requested is further not outside the scope of the law in regard to the following errors being clearly on the face of the record:

1. Applicant's plea is in error because applicant was not advised of the imposed mandatory life parole term, prior

to acceptance of the plea, In re Moser(1993) 24 Cal. Rptr. 2d 723(Exhibit B page 15 line 2 to 28). The plea was placed further in error when petitioner was sentenced to the life time parole term, which was a sentence more severe than agreed to, violating Cal.p.c. 1192.5, People v. Walker(1991) 1 Cal. Rptr. 2d 902, People v. Collins(2003) 3 Cal. Rptr. 3d 889, People v. Crandle(2007) 57 Cal.Rptr. 3d 349, Santobello v. New York(1971) 404 U.S. 257, U.S. Constitution Amendment 5 (Due Process)(Exhibit B page 6 line 5 to line 16).

2. Applicant's sentence is unauthorized. Because the trial court failed to state it's reason for selecting the upper 10 year term for personal use of a firearm under Cal. p.c. 12022.5 (a) (1) violating Cal. Rules of Court, rule 4.420 (e)(Exhibit C page 5 line 15 to line 20). The sentence is further unauthorized because, applicant was sentenced 6 years beyond the 4 year statutory maximum under cal. p.c. 12022.5 (a) (1), by a judge not a jury at a sentencing hearing where no aggravating factors were established, People v. French(2008) 73 Cal. Rptr. 2d 605, California v. Cunningham (2007) 127 S.Ct. 856, U.S. Constitution Amendment 6 (Jury Trial)(Exhibit C page 5 line 15 to line 20).

COMMUTATION REQUESTED

In light of all things mentioned it is requested that:

1. The 10 year upper term sentence under Cal. p.c. 12022.5 (a) (1) be reduced to the 4 year mid term. In regard to the applicant having already served the 7 year minimum for a term of years to life sentence remove the (L) life stipulation from the 15 year 2nd degree murder term. Resulting in an 19 year determinate term sentence subject to completion of 85 percent, or.....

2. Order applicant to the Board of Prison Terms for a psych. evaluation and hearing to determine his suitability for release on parole.

In respect to the Governor's own judgment, if the specific commutation requested does not seem appropriate it is requested that the Governor instate any commutation he deems proper.

CONCLUSION

Applicant, Hamid Basil Bashir, in respect to the granting of this request for commutation being totally at the discretion of the Governor, now submits this request and all relevant considerations to the Office of Arnold Schwarzenegger, Governor

of the State of California.

Respectfully submitted,

DATE: 6-17-2010

Hamid Basil Bashir/Applicant

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Paul Carrillo

In February 1981, Paul Carrillo and a friend were heavily intoxicated and came up with a plan to call a taxi, knock out the driver, and use the taxi for the night without paying. They called a taxi driven by Stanley Pace and around midnight, Mr. Carrillo and his friend struck him multiple times in the head with a 2x4 with nails, killing him. After a jury trial, on September 7, 1990, the Riverside County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Carrillo to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder.

Mr. Carrillo was recommended for a commutation of sentence by the Warden of Ironwood State Prison, who noted that granting a commutation in this case "inspires those who think there is nothing to gain by doing the right thing" and "gives inmates hope."

Mr. Carrillo has been incarcerated now for more than 36 years and he is 61 years old. Rather than succumbing to gangs, drugs, or violence in his decades in prison, he has been committed to changing his life. He has not received a rule violation since 1985. Despite having no incentive of possible release, Mr. Carrillo has participated in self-help programs, including Anger Management, Alternatives to Violence, Creative Conflict Resolution, Addiction Counseling, and Narcotics Anonymous. He serves as an assistant to Protestant and Catholic chaplains on matters related to the administration of Native American spiritual practices, and he was also designated as the Inmate Native American Spiritual Advisor at his prison. He has routinely received satisfactory to above average work ratings from his supervisors. In 2014, Mr. Carrillo was one of a handful of inmates selected to speak at the first California prison TEDx conference held at Ironwood State Prison.

Mr. Carrillo came to prison for committing a terrible crime more than three decades ago. Since that time, he has demonstrated a sincere commitment to living without drugs or alcohol, mentoring others, and being a Native American spiritual leader. I believe that he deserves an opportunity to make his case before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Paul Carrillo to a total of 25 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
LEGAL AFFAIRS

Office of the Governor
State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

[redacted]

I.

APPLICANT INFORMATION
To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
CARRILLO	PAUL	RAMON

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted] 1955	Palm Springs, California	[redacted]	CDCR# C-43193

Current Residence

Address	Apartment, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
P.O. BOX 5005, FB01-234	N/A

City	State	Zip code
Calipatria	California	92233

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

- o Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01
- XXX Commutation of current sentence
- o Pardon based upon innocence
- o Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- o Compassionate Release
- o Other

Why are you requesting clemency? (1) DUE TO PETITTIONER'S REHABILITATED CONDITION- (REFER TO ATTACHMENT "A," COMMENTARY). (2) DUE TO PETITTIONER'S EXTENSIVE INCARCERATION, OVER (30) SUCCESSIVE YEARS. (3) DUE TO PETITTIONER'S AGE (55), APPROACHING SENIOR CITIZEN STATUS, AND DESTITUTE. (4) DUE TO THE U.S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, NO.CIV S-90-0520 LKK JFM P THREE-JUDGE COURT, NO. C01-1351 TEH, "ORDER TO REDUCE CALIFORNIA PRISON POPULATION."

Conviction Information

Commitment Offense
(1) count (PC187 Murder 1st), (1) count (PC211 Robbery), (1) count (VC10851 Taking an Auto).

Date of offense	Date of conviction	Arresting agency	County of conviction
FEBRUARY 11, 1981	JANUARY 13, 1982	Indio, Police Dept.	Riverside

Superior court case number	Your trial attorney's name and address	Sentence	If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any?
ICR7117	Mr. JAMES WINDHAM Indio, California (Deceased)	Life Without the Possibility of Parole (LWOP)	N/A

Did you appeal your case? XXX Yes o No
If yes, appellate case number and status of case APPELLATE CASE# E008537
Court's opinion: Denied without opinion.

Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s): NONE- FIRST TERM COMMITMENT	Date of offense(s): N/A	County of conviction(s): N/A	Sentence(s): N/A

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? o Yes XX No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.

First and last name: N/A

Telephone number: N/A

Address: N/A

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? o Yes XX No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.

First and last name: N/A

Telephone number: N/A

Address: N/A

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE

Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency:

Your current physician's name:

Physician's address:

Physician's telephone number:

Have you applied to the Department of Corrections or the Board of Prison Terms for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? o Yes o No

What was the result?

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION

Give a brief account of your offense.

Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration.

Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you)

When were you discharged from probation or parole?

Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release.

Why you are requesting a pardon?

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered after conviction and explain its importance.

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

COMMUTATION PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

Was this evidence presented at trial?

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Explain why you are requesting clemency. (1) I AM REQUESTING CLEMENCY ON THE GROUNDS THAT HUMANITARIAN COMPASSION IS APPROPRIATE IN MY CASE. I HAVE TAKEN RESPOSIBILITY FOR MY ACTIONS. I FEEL DEEP REMORSE FOR MY ACTIONS. I SINCERELY APOLOGIZE TO ALL WHOM I HAVE NEGATIVELY EFFECTED. (2) I HUMBLY REQUEST AN OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE HONEST EMPLOYMENT TO PROVIDE FOR MYSELF AT MY NEAR SENIOR CITIZEN STATUS. (3) PETITIONER HUMBLY REQUESTS A SECOND CHANCE WITH THE REMAINDER OF MY LIFE. (REFER TO ATTACHMENT "A"- COMMENTARY), (ATTACHMENT "B"- REHABILITATIVE ACHIEVEMENTS), (ATTACHMENT "C"- COMMITMENT FACTORS).

Have you sought relief from the courts?

YES. My appellate remedies have been exhausted.

III
NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the district attorney of the county of

Riverside ***with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon, as required by Penal Code section 4804.***
(Name of county)

Paul R. Carrillo
(Applicant's signature)

06/24/2011
(Date)

IV
DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

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Paul R. Carrillo
(Applicant's signature)

06/24/2011
(Date signed)

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CLEMENCY

This Notice is submitted pursuant to Penal Code section 4804

To the District Attorney of RIVERSIDE (County of Conviction) County:

Please take notice that I, PAUL RAMON CARRILLO (Full Name – First, Middle and Last), was convicted of the crime of (1)count (PC187 Murder 1st),(1)count (PC211 Robbery),(1)count (VC10851 Taking an Auto). (Give offense and Penal Code section) committed in the County of RIVERSIDE (County of Conviction), State of California, convicted on JANUARY 13, 1982 (Date of conviction) and sentenced to Life Without Possiblity of Parole (LWOP). (Sentence)

I will submit an application to the Governor of the State of California requesting a

- ☐ Pardon based upon rehabilitation
- XXX Commutation of current sentence
- ☐ Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Compassionate release
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☐ Other

If other, BREIFLY EXPLAIN

PAUL RAMON CARRILLO
Full Name of Applicant – TYPED or PRINTED

Paul Ramon Carrillo
Applicant's Signature

June 05, 2011
Month, Day, Year

P.O. BOX 5005, FB01-234
Applicant's Street Address

Calipatria, California 92233
Applicant's City, State, Zip Code

This Section to be Completed By District Attorney Only

State of California

County of Riverside } *SS.*

I, Elaina G. Rentley, Supervising Deputy *District Attorney of the County of* Riverside, *State of California, do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from* Paul Ramon Carrillo (Name of Applicant) *that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a Traditional Pardon.*

[Signed] Elaina G. Rentley

District Attorney of the County of Riverside

The above acknowledges receipt of this document but does not signify recommendation of the rehabilitation & pardon.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Travielle Craig

On the night the Rodney King verdict was issued, 18-year-old Travielle Craig and some friends asked Victor Medina and Elias Garcia for money to support Mr. King's cause. Mr. Medina gave Mr. Craig $2. Mr. Craig asked for more money and Mr. Medina said he didn't have any more. Mr. Craig tried to take Mr. Medina's wallet, chased both men, and hit them in the head with a piece of wood. Mr. Medina received stitches and survived his injuries. Mr. Garcia later lost consciousness, underwent brain surgery, and ultimately died. On October 25, 1993, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Craig to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder, plus a 1-year deadly weapon enhancement, 3 years for assault with a deadly weapon, and a 3-year great bodily injury enhancement.

Mr. Craig has now been incarcerated for 25 years. He told an investigator, "When I came to jail, I was young and immature. I have matured now and I feel that I can be an asset to whatever community I am in." He reported that his life was very turbulent when he committed this crime; his father was murdered, his grandmother died, and he was unable to appropriately handle his emotions. Mr. Craig now accepts responsibility for his actions and has demonstrated genuine remorse for his past choices.

Mr. Craig has dramatically changed his life while in prison. He stopped associating with gangs, avoided drugs and alcohol, and has not been disciplined for any misconduct for nearly two decades. Mr. Craig earned his GED and multiple degrees from a Bible college, and regularly preaches at church services. He has lived on an honor yard since 2007 and participated in numerous self-help programs, including Victim Offender Education, Alternatives to Violence, and Rehabilitation and Reentry. He mentors at-risk youth, is certified as a Bible counselor, and contributed to a literary journal. Mr. Craig has also earned the support of many staff members, including a chaplain and a correctional sergeant who have known him for 17 years. In 2017, the chaplain wrote, "I have seen [Mr. Craig's] positive reactions to negative situations and have seen him mentor others on how to respond to adverse situations. He is a valuable mentor for me to look to for help…It is my professional opinion that he has demonstrated that he has been rehabilitated in his attitudes, character and lifestyle." The sergeant concluded that Mr. Craig has "demonstrated sincere progress toward his self-rehabilitation and…will be a productive citizen in society if he were released." Mr. Craig was also commended by an associate warden for his "extraordinary conduct" in caring for rescue dogs displaced by a fire. Mr. Craig has a job offer, housing, and support from his wife and other family members.

Mr. Craig has distinguished himself by his conduct and dedication to self-improvement during his incarceration. Rather than succumbing to drugs, gangs, and violence, he turned away from those negative influences and has worked hard to educate himself and encourage others to pursue their own rehabilitation. Mr. Craig has earned an opportunity to make his case before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Travielle Craig to a total of 25 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

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State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

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Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

Please TYPE or PRINT in blue or black ink.

I.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
Craig	Travielle	James

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]1974	Martin Luther King Hos. / L.A.	[redacted]	H-98882

Current Residence

Address	Apartment, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
44750 - 60th Street West	A2-211

City	State	Zip code
Lancaster	CA	93536

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

- ☐ Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☒ Commutation of current sentence
- ☐ Compassionate Release
- ☐ Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Other

Why are you requesting clemency?

only option for relief left to me.

Conviction Information

Commitment Offense: Murder: 1st degree; attempt robbery/assault w/deadly weapon

Date of offense	Date of conviction	Arresting agency	County of conviction
04-29-1992	09-27-1993	LAPD	Los Angeles

Superior court case number	Your trial attorney's name and address	Sentence	If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any?
LA012897	Dale L Galipo 16133 Ventura Blvd #700 Encino CA. 91436	Life without possibility of parole	N/A

Did you appeal your case? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, appellate case number and status of case: 2 Crim B081568: Appeal denied

Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Battery	02-21-1991	Los Angeles County	Probation

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.

First and last name:

Telephone number:

Address:

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.

First and last name:

Telephone number:

Address:

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE
Complete this section if you are presently in prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.

Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency: N/A
Your current physician's name:
Physician's address:
Physician's telephone number:
Have you applied to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation or the Board of Parole Hearings for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? ❑ Yes ❑ No
What was the result?

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION
Complete this section if you have completed your sentence, you are requesting clemency based upon rehabilitation and you are not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Give a brief account of your offense. Please see attachments
Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration. Please see attachments
Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you) Please see attachments
When were you discharged from probation or parole? N/A
Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release. N/A
Why you are requesting a pardon? Please see attachments

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered **after** conviction and explain its importance.

N/A

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

N/A

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

N/A

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

N/A

Was this evidence presented at trial?

N/A

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

N/A

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR CLEMENCY

This Notice is submitted pursuant to Penal Code section 4804

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles (County of Conviction) County:

Please take notice that I, Travielle James Craig (Full Name – First, Middle and Last), was convicted of the crime of Murder in the first degree (felony murder) (Give offense and Penal Code section), committed in the County of Los Angeles (County of Conviction), State of California, convicted on 09-27-1993 (Date of conviction) and sentenced to Life without the possibility of parole (Sentence)

I will submit an application to the Governor of the State of California requesting a

- ☐ Pardon based upon rehabilitation
- ☒ Commutation of current sentence
- ☐ Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Compassionate release
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☐ Other

If other, BREIFLY EXPLAIN

Travielle James Craig
Full Name of Applicant – TYPED or PRINTED

Travielle J. Craig
Applicant's Signature

4-19-12
Month, Day, Year

A-2-211 C.S.P. L.A.C. P. P.O.Box 4430
Applicant's Street Address

Lancaster CA. 93536
Applicant's City, State, Zip Code

This Section to be Completed By District Attorney Only

State of California

County of Los Angeles (LA) } *SS.*

I, D. Diaz Dep *District Attorney of the County of*

of LA Co *, State of California, do hereby*

acknowledge receipt of notice from See Above *that*
Name of Applicant

he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a Traditional Pardon.

[Signed]

District Attorney of the County of LA

FACTS OF THE CASE

Penal Code section 1054.9 was enacted in 2002 by Governor Gray Davis as a safety valve for prisoners sentenced to California's most harshest sentences, specifically those sentenced to death of life without the possibility of parole. Section 1054.9 provides that where a showing of good faith was conducted to obtain post-conviction discovery from trial counsel, but those good faith efforts were unsuccessful, the court shall order discovery granted for the purpose of filing a Writ of Habeas Corpus, or a motion to vacate judgment (See Exhibit A).

Upon filing a 1054.9 post-conviction discovery motion petitioner had been represented by Gigi Gordon, attorney at law, who wrote a letter dated January 6, 2011, apprising petitioner that all of the discovery pertaining to his case had been distroyed in 1994 and 1996. Petitioner is now left only with the option of filing for a petition for clemency (See Exhibit B).

The instant case occurred April 29, 1992, during the Rodney King unrest on the street of South Central Los Angeles when petitioner was just barely eighteen-years-old. Petitioner was subsequently charged with one count of attempted murder and one count of robbery of a Mr. Victor Medina. Petitioner was also charged with the attempted murder of a Mr. Elias Garcia for his acts during the same incident. The act was striking both victims over the head with a club.

Mr. Medina required fourteen stitches to close a forehead wound, and Mr. Garcia suffered a fractured skull to the left side of his head, behind his left ear; which resulted in severe hemorrhaging and emergency surgery. Mr. Garcia passed away eight months later from bronco pneumonia.

Petitioner's charges were elevated to "felony murder" in the case of Mr. Garcia and the prosecutor sought the death penalty.

This is a case where the legal term causation comes into play. According to trial testimony from medical experts, Mr. Garcia died from reoccurring bronco pneumonia, but the overall cause of death was the head injury that petitioner readily and ruefully admits he caused. More specifically, it was the fracture to the left side of Mr. Garcia's head, caused by the blow administered by petitioner that ended the life of Mr. Garcia. (Dr. Fredrick Lewis Edelman, Reporter's Transcripts (RT) 437, line 28; page 438, lines 1-12; Lakshmanan Sathyav-asiswaram, chief medical examiner, coroner for the County of Los Angeles, RT 467, lines 5-12)(see also Exhibit C).

PRISON HISTORY

Petitioner is a first-time offender who began his term on a very rocky start in 1993; he was nineteen years of age. The adjustment was difficult for the petitioner, who, at the outset incurred a number of rule violations for various indiscretions such as: being out of bounds, battery and attempted battery on other prisoners, mutual combat and a charge that was initially titled attempted battery on staff, but after further review was reduced to interfering with a peace officer during the performance of his duties.

Following his rocky start, which is typical of youth entering the adult prison system, petitioner began to turn himself around. Petitioner began to actively strive toward rehabilitating himself. In July of 2000 petitioner earned a G.E.D. In September of 2000 he committed himself to Protestant teachings, focusing on the Bible and Jesus Christ. Petitioner

eventually earned his way into a leadership position in the chapel, mentoring individuals and teaching classes. Petitioner has dedicated himself to a number of Protestant oriented self-help programs as well, such as Reformers Unanimous, a fifty-two week program that focuses on the root problems of addiction and vice abstinence, Biblical solutions to family and social problems and how to help others with similar problems. Petitioner has also successfully completed Peace Makers, a faith-based conflict resolution program that deals with resolving conflicts in a Biblical-based fashion that teaches compromise, letting go and forgiveness (See Exhibit D).

In 2006 petitioner was accepted as a participant in the Progressive Programming Facility at California State Prison -- Los Angeles County (CSP-LAC) where he continues to meet the stringent requirements, some of which are: agreeing to program and even live with other races, submitting to random or selected drug testing, being disciplinary free, not associating with any gang members and participating in the various self-help programs.

Petitioner initially enrolled in a unique Bible-based college program supported by Channel Island Bible College and Seminary, in Oxnard, California. Petitioner subsequently graduated Cum Laude in 2010 earning an associate of arts degree in Biblical Studies. The course is accredited by the Accrediting Commission International for Schools, and petitioner graduated with a grade point average of 89.99. Petitioner also earned a certification as a Bible counselor through Channel Islands Bible and Seminary during the same four-year period. The counseling course covers such topics as counseling for marriage and family, addictions and abuses

and Biblical Roles in Society. He graduated Biblical Counseling with a grade point average of 91.93.

Petitioner acknowledges that he has made a lot of mistakes in his youth. His first years of incarceration are rife with violence and disruption, but his biggest regret was his involvement in the death of Mr. Garcia, and all of those affected negatively by his death. He also regrets the attempted robbery of Mr. Medina and his subsequent head injury that petitioner caused. However, over the past nineteen years petitioner has worked hard to refrain from the every day traps and pitfalls of prison and change his life around. As a result of his efforts petitioner has earned a phalanx of family and community support who can attest to his extraordinary growth and development (See Exhibit E), as well as a host of prison employees who have observed petitioner consistently for nearly two decades who have witnessed his progression and change (See Exhibit F).

Petitioner acknowledges that no matter how much he changes and matures, Mr. Garcia will never have that opportunity nor will his family enjoy an achievements Mr. Garcia himself may have accomplished. But petitioner is working his hardest to continue his positive path and continues to enroll in and participate in self-help programs. Petitioner is currently participating in C.R.O.P. (Convicts Reaching Out to People) which is a court-sanctioned program that sends troubled youth to CSP-LAC to be admonished, warned and guided by prisoner participants such as petitioner.

Petitioner is also currently enrolled in Paving the Way Society, a relationship-building class that focuses on family, friendships and work-place social arenas.

Petitioner has also completed such self-help programs as Friends Outside Creative Conflict Resolution Workshop (anger management) (see Exhibit G). Petitioner has also maintained a consistent and ethical work history in several prison work assignments, particularly in food preparation where he has worked the longest (See Exhibit H).

Again, Petitioner was sentenced as a very young man to one of California's harshest sentences: life without the possibility of parole; a sentence reserved for the most incorrigible and irredeemable. However, during the past two decades petitioner has consistently demonstrated that he is an aberration to the hordes of irredeemable souls who are incapable or unwilling to change. In contrast to thousands of others who entered the prison system on the same destructive path as petitioner, petitioner saw that fork in the road in the year 2000 and courageously proceeded headlong against the consistent current of peer pressure and began to think for himself; take personal responsibility for his actions, and do something to make his existence, and the existence of those around him, more positive and productive.

Petitioner was deprived of completing his appeal because the courts destroyed the evidence against him, creating an extreme hardship and disadvantage for his raising meritorious questions about his conviction. Petitioner is now left with no other avenue but by this instant petition for clemency.

PAROLE PLANS

Residency: Petitioner plans to reside with his wife, Hope Nicole Johnson, who has offered a fourteen-year support system for Petitioner. (It should be noted that Petitioner's wife resides in Nevada, however, she

would be willing to relocate if necessary.) Additionally, Petitioner has been offered residency and support from his aunt, Leedna Neros, who is a pillar in her community and has offered Petitioner support all of his life, including his time in prison.

Employment: Petitioner currently has no job offers, but has learned a litany of employable skills such as cook and baker. Petitioner learned these skills in prison and is unique in that he was trained to feed thousands upon thousands of people at a time; such as is needed for cruise ships, large scale catering and huge social functions, such as with government feeding programs.

Moreover, Petitioner has earned an associate of arts degree in Biblical Studies, along with a certification in Biblical counseling. More specifically, Petitioner is certified to counsel in family matters, social matters and against drug addiction. These skills allow Petitioner to find employment in local, state and federal government programs, in churches and with other relevant entities. Petitioner has a special affinity toward troubled youth and would like to work as a youth counselor. Petitioner relates easily to the youth he currently serves in the C.R.O.P. program, as well as the many youth now entering the adult system with him. Petitioner believes he would be a benefit to them and a guiding light for troubled youth today.

Petitioner now, thirty-eight years of age, appeals to the honorable Governor Jerry Brown for consideration of this avenue for mercy. Petitioner has shown a constant propensity of rehabilitation and redemption inside and prays to the office of the Governor and the power vested in him to exercise such mercy so that he may continue to contribute positively in the lives

of others, particularly to the community that he once ravaged by selfish, thoughtless ways.

COM-8-31-12

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California

County of Los Angeles

On May 21, 2012 before me, April Bartlett, notary public
(Here insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared Travielle James Craig

who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature of Notary Public

APRIL BARTLETT
COMM. #1860686
NOTARY PUBLIC - CALIFORNIA
LOS ANGELES COUNTY
My Comm. Expires August 9, 2013

(Notary Seal)

ADDITIONAL OPTIONAL INFORMATION

DESCRIPTION OF THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Notice of Intention to Apply for
(Title or description of attached document)

clemency
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facts of case and exhibits not included
(Additional information)

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(Title)

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Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

DeAngelo McVay

On September 28, 1998, DeAngelo McVay called two others to ask for their help handling a drug-related dispute he had with James Miller, who was staying at Mr. McVay's mother's home. The other two men beat Mr. Miller and at some point, forced him into a car and drove him to a garage, where Mr. McVay hit Mr. Miller in the face with a radio speaker. Mr. McVay left, and the other two men forced Mr. Miller to remove his clothing and burned him with a hot butcher knife and iron. Mr. Miller told them that he could take them to some drugs, and Mr. McVay and the others drove Mr. Miller to an apartment complex, where he escaped while pretending to retrieve the drugs. Mr. Miller was treated for his injuries and survived. On August 23, 1999, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. McVay to life without the possibility of parole for kidnapping for ransom plus a 1-year enhancement for use of a firearm.

Mr. McVay has been incarcerated for nearly 19 years and is currently living in the honor yard at Lancaster. His Warden has recommended him for a commutation of sentence. She told an investigator that Mr. McVay is a "poster child for rehabilitation" and wrote, "I believe in rehabilitation and McVay has taken every opportunity to rehabilitate himself. He has worked hard to become an individual who should be considered for a commutation of sentence." She noted, "In my career I have not seen an inmate with more positive words from CDCR staff." Indeed, Mr. McVay has earned the respect and support of many correctional staff members. A facility captain spoke of Mr. McVay's "dedication and commitment" to rehabilitation through self-improvement. Multiple staff members commended him for notifying staff when a chaplain was experiencing a medical emergency. An associate warden commended him for outstanding service in his long-term position as the chairman of the Men's Advisory Council and for maintaining "a positive program while encouraging others to do so as well." Mr. McVay has been disciplined for misconduct only once in nearly two decades in prison. He has avoided gangs and drugs, and has no previous criminal history. Mr. McVay volunteers as a rescue dog trainer and was certified as a Biblical counselor. He has a job offer and options for housing upon release. A chaplain supported commutation and wrote, "I am confident that Mr. McVay, through years of effort and persistent commitment to inner reform, has made the kind of abiding change that will endure." A correctional sergeant who has known Mr. McVay for 15 years wrote, "I have seen the man that Mr. McVay has transformed into. He is hardworking, honest and devoted to his own rehabilitation. He has proven time and time again that he is worthy of being released back into society so that he may begin to have the same positive impact he has made here."

I weighed the serious nature of Mr. McVay's crime, but in light of his remarkable transformation in prison, he deserves an opportunity to make his case before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of DeAngelo McVay to a total of 20 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: De Angelo Mc Vay **Date of Birth:** [redacted]67 **Inmate ID:** P52664

Address: Lancaster State Prison, P.O. Box 4430 **Facility:** A

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including in any other state or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of Conviction(s):	Sentences(s):
Kidnapping for Ransom	9-27-98	Los Angeles	Life Without Parole
Mayhem w/Aggevation	9-27-98	Los Angeles	Life Without Parole
Conspiracy	9-27-98	Los Angeles	Life Without Parole

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See Exhibit A

Statements from the (victim Mr. James Miller) stating I was not there

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See Exhibit B

A letter of explanation for requesting commutation of sentence

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See Exhibit C

1. Saved the life of a staff member, 2. Alternatives to Violence (AVP), 3. Judge's statement 4. Chrono's from staff, 5. CDCR Paws For Life Dog Program, 6. Bible College degree (BA) and Christian Counseling members

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles **County:**

Please take notice that I De Angelo Mc Vay **, was convicted of the crime of** Kidnapping for Ransom **, committed in** Los Angeles **County, California on the date of** 9-27-98 **. I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.**

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LEGAL AFFAIRS

De Angelo McVay
Applicant's Signature

June 16, 2016
Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, Barbara Wolff HD **, District Attorney of the County of** Los Angeles **do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from** De Angelo McVay **, that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.**

Signed Barbara Wolff

Date 11/22/16

District Attorney: Please return this notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Mr. Governor

I am respectfully writing to you on behalf of my personal life and the changes that have occurred in the beginning of my incarceration 18 years ago. I am a first time offender with no prior criminal record before this incident in 1998. I was sentenced to Life Without the Possibility of Parole for kidnap for ransom, and mayhem.

Since my incarceration, I have focused heavily on person change, rehabilitation and spirituality. This focus gave my life new meaning and a driven purpose that has not only impacted my own life but also my family and the community around me.

I am housed on a unique prison facility called the progressive programming facility (PPF) where I have participated in a myriad of life changing events. The PPF program has been recognized statewide and has been selected to participate in high profile activities to include "Paws For Life", an innovative program that is a joint initiative between the community-base nonprofit Karma Rescue (karmarescue.Org) and the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR). "Paws For Life" is designed to save animals otherwise slated to be euthanized while teaching the inmate-trainers basic dog training skills. This is being achieved by pairing up difficult-to-place rescue dogs pulled form "high kill" shelters in the Los Angeles area with maximum-security prisoners at the California State Prison-Los Angeles County. I am a certified Paws For Life dog trainer and have trained dogs to earn the AKC certification of "Canine Good Citizens."

I have been a part of Paws For Life for six rounds and that has been an experience of a lifetime. I have never raised, let alone trained a dog before in my life. Learning to train dogs was a very complex task for me along with all of the many tasks I'm involved with. Living with and training dogs teach you how to deal with the things that are going on in your life.

The Progressive Programming Facility is the centerpiece of an HBO documentary, which aired on August 03, 2015. I was interviewed and took part in the film. Our facility has also been featured on NBC and PBS specials. For eight years I have been the Chairman for the Men's Advisory Council, which works closely with the

Warden to address matters of concern affecting the lives of everyone in the prison community. I am also a leader in the Christian Community for over 15 years. I have preached, aught Bible studies, taught the AA Bible College and graduated from Channel Islands Bible College with a Bachelor's degree which allows me to be a Certified Christian Counselor.

I have dedicated my life to change and have devoted hundred of hours both teaching and attending classes. I have completed dozens of certificate courses to include Conflict Resolution, Anger Management, Peacemakers, and Counseling Classes. I have worked diligently to promote change in the culture of prison to include bringing all ethnic groups together to participate in sports, educational classes and religious services. Besides my own unrelenting passion for change, I continually make efforts to encourage my peers to make positive transformations in their own lives.

I have become a trained facilitator for (AVP) Alternatives to Violence that brings an intensive program of exercises and discussion that are designed to develop self-esteem and self-confidence in a trusting and supportive atmosphere. The workshops teach principles of affirmation, communication, cooperation, community-building and creative conflict resolution essential in the exploration of the many non-violent solutions that are possible in almost every conflict; particularly when approached with a caring attitude towards others.

I am the Chairman of a group titled Helping Hands. Helping Hands was created with the specific mission of giving back to the local community. I have participated in fundraisers that have resulted in tens of thousands of dollars to non-profit charities such has: The Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, Grace Resources (The Battered Women's shelter), The Compassion Project to benefit the homeless children, The American Cancer Society, Karma Rescue, Angel Dogs and Deaf Dogs of America.

I have lived with the consequences of poor decision making for nearly two decades now. I accept full responsibility for my part in the crime, which lead to my imprisonment. Although I never had any intention for someone to get hurt, I understand my role in what took place. At the time of my crime, I was a young man, attempting to protect my Mom's house, the ensuing events took place: I called my mom's house and found out that Mr. Miller was there, I asked him to leave and he said no, so out of poor judgment I called my sister's house and my

two co-defendants were there; I asked them to go put him out, then I left for work myself. I arrived at my mother's house and began to gather Mr. Miller's clothing; that's when the other two defendants arrived. They asked him could they talk and he said yes; at that time I just knew everything was okay, so I proceeded on to my second stop which was at the other office. I then left that office and went to my sister's house where I saw all three participants in my case and every one seemed just fine. I got some food and went back to work. After seeing all the evidence I will not deny that something happened to Mr. Miller and I have to be responsible for my actions in this crime that took place. My intention was for Mr. Miller to be put out of my mom's house and I took the wrong steps in doing that, but as far as hurting someone that's not my style of doing things. I am very remorseful for first not calling the police to let them handle the matter and second that Mr. Miller got hurt. I clearly see that I used poor judgment that affected the lives of many. I'm asking for a second chance.

I have witnessed many prisoners go to hearings at the Board of Prison Terma and be granted parole. Many of those prisoners were convicted of first-degree murder and were still given the opportunity to show their remorse and prove the effectiveness of rehabilitation. In no way am I attempting to lessen my crime, but I remain hopeful that because my crime was not as severe as murder, that someday I may have an opportunity to have a parole date and return to society to be a productive citizen.

It is in this regard that I write you today. I humbly request that you review the attached documents, which are evidence of my rehabilitation in hope that you review my case to include my exemplary prison record and consider reducing or modifying my sentence to include the possibility of parole.

Any consideration given in my case will be greatly appreciated, not only by me, but by my family as well, to include my children who desperately want their father as part of the family again.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

De Angelo Mc Vay

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

John Paul Rodriguez

In 2009, 17-year-old John Rodriguez picked a fight with Enrique Evangelista at a nightclub, then shot at Mr. Evangelista several times outside the club later that night. Mr. Evangelista was hit once in the back but survived his injuries. On July 7, 2010, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Rodriguez to 9 years for attempted murder, plus a 10-year firearm enhancement and a 3-year great bodily injury enhancement – a total term of 22 years in prison.

In prison, Mr. Rodriguez reflected on his violent adolescence and decided to make a radical change. He immediately dropped out of his gang, avoided drugs, and left violence behind. He has never been disciplined for any misconduct. He earned his GED and three A.A. degrees and made the President's List for his excellent grades. Mr. Rodriguez participated in self-help programs and volunteered as a literacy tutor. He has also earned accolades from the staff members who interact with him on a daily basis. A staff member praised Mr. Rodriguez for his "selfless commitment and dedication in ensuring those around him live a healthy lifestyle." A college coordinator commended Mr. Rodriguez for his work ethic and participation in a youth offender mentorship program, writing, "By serving as an example for the Youth to emulate, Mr. Rodriguez has helped countless Incarcerated Youth in their recovery, and to prepare them to live successful and meaningful lives." Mr. Rodriguez has prepared for his release by securing housing and a scholarship to pursue his education. He also has the support of his family and his former teacher, who has become a valuable mentor.

It is clear that Mr. Rodriguez understands the seriousness of his crime. He has discussed the consequences of his past violence, displayed considerable empathy, and acknowledged, "I can never take back what I did." He said that he applied for a commutation because he was "ready to be of help to those I have hurt in my past by aiding people with internal struggles and helping the community by reducing recidivism." In light of his age at the time of the crime, his exceptional conduct in prison, and his genuine commitment to serving his community when he is released, I conclude that it is appropriate to reduce his sentence.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of John Paul Rodriguez to a total of 9 years.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: John Paul Rodriguez **Date of Birth:** [redacted]/1991 **Inmate ID:** AE2226

Address: P.O. Box 2199 Blythe, CA 92226 **Facility:** Ironwood State Prison - C

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Vandalism PC 594		Los Angeles	Probation

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached.

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

See attached.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

None.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney **before** submitting this application to the Governor's Office.

I, John Paul Rodriguez (Print Full Name) *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Los Angeles (Name of County*) *with notice of my intent to apply for a commutation.*

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

John Paul Rodriguez
Applicant's Signature

05/15/2017
Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

2.) Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation:

The crime I was convicted of was committed on 04/05/2009. On this night, I was inside a nightclub with my brother Damion Carlos Rodriguez. There, I had gotten into an argument with a group of males. During the argument, a male, Enrique Evangelista, walked past, and I purposely bumped him. We got into an altercation, but he walked away and outside of the club.

I followed him. I went to my brother's car and on my way out of the nightclub's parking lot, I spotted Enrique and got near him. Once I had his attention, I pulled out a gun and tried to murder Enrique, firing three shots, with one bullet striking him in the upper back.

My brother and I then drove away from the crime scene, later getting arrested by police.

3.) Explain why you are requesting commutation:

I am requesting commutation because it is currently the only means I have available to reduce my sentence. I also feel that I am ready to be of help to those I have hurt in my past by aiding people with internal struggles and helping the community by reducing recidivism.

4.) Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted commutation:

This is a difficult question to answer because in the question the word *should* suggest that being granted commutation is an entitlement of mine. It is not. I understand that I am not special, and in no way am I trying to avoid paying my debt for the crime I committed. I sometimes feel like asking for a reduction in sentence is something I do not deserve because what I did to Enrique Evangelista, attempting to take his life, will disturb him forever, and I am also aware that I can never take back what I did to him. However, I see this as an *opportunity* to be reviewed for commutation and am grateful for being considered.

Prison has given me the chance to reflect and figure out why I acted in that manner on the day of my crime. After years of peeling away my emotions like an onion, at the very core was the fact that I was not comfortable with who I was. This identity crisis led me to do odd things. It made me act out violently and give up on the things I truly liked, such as sports and school, and it eventually contributed to me masking my emotions without me knowing how to identify and deal with them properly. I did this to fit in. I wanted recognition for the things I did, but didn't get the attention I craved when I got good grades and made school sports teams. Oddly, these things were overlooked, but the idea of being violent and tough on the exterior was glorified. This was when my mother and peers paid attention. It bred a false sense of acceptance and with that, my violence and anger progressed. Before I knew it, I had no clue about who I was or what I had gotten myself into. I didn't know why I was acting out in this way or the possible consequences to my actions in their fullest extent. I just wanted to be accepted and feel that recognition that was tainted with a false sense of love and would have done anything for it.

I have changed, though. With time, I have seen how not knowing who I am has hurt me. When I truly found myself, I began to love who I am, even if I did stick out like a sore thumb and judged by those whom I once sought acceptance from, I began to live in a much happier state. That is where I am at now, comfortable in my own skin, unafraid to stand out for the right reasons, and avoiding following the unconventional norms.

I have a mission. For me, finding that happiness has been life changing, but I am not content with keeping that feeling of elation to myself. This would be selfish and far away from my belief of helping those around me. Instead of negatively contributing to a lifestyle that hindered me so much, I wish to fix it by retracing my steps and helping those that have been or are going through similar situations like mine. Also, this change doesn't end in prison. It is only a start. It is my way of giving back, one less victim and one less person to go through this.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Mary Elizabeth Stroder

Mary Stroder and her boyfriend Charles Rountree stole her father's car and drove from Missouri to California. Once in California, they ran out of money and decided to rob someone. Mr. Rountree ordered Ms. Stroder to get Diana Contreras, who was shopping at a mall, into their car. Mr. Rountree and Ms. Stroder drove Ms. Contreras to several ATMs to withdraw money, then Mr. Rountree drove out to an isolated area and shot Ms. Contreras three times, killing her. Mr. Rountree and Ms. Stroder took Ms. Contreras' car and used her ATM card to withdraw money in the subsequent days. When interviewed by detectives shortly after their arrest, Mr. Rountree advised that Ms. Stroder had nothing to do with the homicide and they had only planned to rob Ms. Contreras. On August 17, 1995, the Kern County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Stroder to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder, plus a 3-year firearm enhancement.

This is an extremely serious crime, but there are circumstances that warrant consideration for reducing her sentence. A 2009 psychological evaluation described Ms. Stroder's "lifetime experience of neglect, devaluation, and abuse" and concluded that she suffered from Intimate Partner Battery at the time of her crime. Ms. Stroder witnessed frequent violence between her parents in her earliest years. There is a "strong suggestion" Ms. Stroder was sexually abused by her parents, and she reports that both parents beat and neglected her. Ms. Stroder recalled being kidnapped and raped by a friend of her mother's at 16. She also described a series of extremely abusive relationships. One boyfriend routinely physically abused her. Another was extremely controlling. Yet another beat her until she pretended she was dead, regularly woke her up in the middle of the night and forced her to run miles, and chased her around the house with an AK-47 with a retractable bayonet. By the time she met Mr. Rountree, the psychologist noted, "Liz Stroder was already a very passive, timid, desperate to please young woman." Mr. Rountree was "a violent and disturbed young man" whose "unbalanced mind, unpredictability, and his enjoyment of violent images was sufficient to cause fear and submission." He "physically isolated her from her family, controlled her movements, controlled the money, and dominated her sexually." Ms. Stroder reported feeling "safer" and "relieved" when she was arrested and believed it was "a matter of time before he killed me." The psychologist concluded, "Testimony about the dynamics of a batterer and a battered woman's response would have helped the jury understand why she was with Mr. Rountree, and had not escaped, to understand the crime was not the product of shared intent, but that of a murderous and mentally ill man and a fearful, passive woman, to decide if she truly 'aided and abetted' the murder, or simply was too immobilized to resist Mr. Rountree."

Despite her extraordinarily difficult past, Ms. Stroder came to prison and changed her life. She has been actively involved in self-help programs, including Breaking Barriers, Victim Awareness, Co-Dependents Anonymous, the Power of Positive Thinking, and Conflict Resolution. She has been disciplined only once and has avoided all drugs, violence, and gang activity in prison. She has no prior criminal convictions. Ms. Stroder has completed a number of vocational training programs and routinely receives exceptional work ratings. Family and friends have offered her places to live and a job. Ms. Stroder has been commended by correctional staff for her diligence and commitment to rehabilitation, mentoring

her peers, and demonstrating a good work ethic. She has served on the Women's Advisory Council and was elected Unit Representative for her honor dorm in 2016.

Ms. Stroder has garnered significant support in the community – nearly 7,000 individuals have signed a petition advocating for a "chance of freedom." A legal advocate from the California Coalition for Women Prisoners wrote to share her support for Ms. Stroder, saying, "I have come to know Liz as one of the most self-aware, respectful, accountable, and thoughtful individuals whom I have met; not only in her particular circumstance, but in general. … We have no doubt that she would thrive if released from prison and believe that society stands to benefit tremendously from the ways in which she would give back upon her release."

For all of these reasons, I find that Ms. Stroder deserves a chance to make her case to the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can decide whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Mary Elizabeth Stroder to a total of 25 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) **If a pardon is granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Mary Elizabeth Stroder **Date of Birth:** [redacted]72 **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Central California Women's Facility 506-10-04L

Address: P.O. Box 1508, Chowchilla, CA 93610

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
First degree murder (PC 187)	12-8-93	Kern	LWOP
Kidnap for robbery (PC 209)	12-8-93	Kern	Life w/parole (stayed)
Second degree robbery (PC 212.5)	12-8-93	Kern	5 yrs. (stayed)

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

See attached pages.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Commutation is being requested to reduce Mary Elizabeth Stroder's sentence to life with the possibility of parole and give her an opportunity to demonstrate to the parole board that she has been rehabilitated and is no longer a danger to public safety.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

See attached pages.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Tracy Renee Lum, Attorney at Law was paid $5,500 to prepare this petition for me.

2. Circumstances of the offense:

Mary Elizabeth Stroder (Liz) left Missouri with her boyfriend Charles Rountree in her father's car. They ended up in Bakersfield where they decided to rob Diana Contreras. Liz started a conversation with Ms. Contreras and told her to get in her car and that Rountree had a gun. They drove Ms. Contreras to an ATM so she could get $100 then went to an isolated area outside Bakersfield to let Ms. Contreras out. Rountree shot and killed Ms. Contreras with a rifle they had taken from Liz's father. They stole Ms. Contreras' car and used her ATM card to make cash withdrawals.

Liz has no prior criminal history and was determined to be less culpable than Rountree in the murder. (Probation Report, p. 10 (Exhibit A).)

4. Reasons Clemency should be granted:

Battered Women's Syndrome:

Liz Stroder was raised in abusive home in which her father abused both her and her mother. (See Psychological Evaluation by Dr. Daisy Switzer, p. 2 (Exhibit B); Psychological Evaluation by Dr. Nancy Kaser-Boyd, pp. 4-6 (Exhibit C).) After her parents' divorce when she was 12, she was passed back and forth between parents, feeling that neither wanted her. This feeling resulted in panic attacks requiring medical intervention by the time she was 13. (Exhibit B, p. 2.) When Liz was 16, she was raped by a man in his 40s while visiting her mother. (Exhibit B, p. 2; Exhibit C, p. 6.) As a result, she felt worthless and damaged. (Exhibit C, p. 6.)

She learned from these experiences an ingrained belief that her role in relationships was *"to be domineered and that fear was part of love"*. (Exhibit B, p. 2; Exhibit C, p. 7.) This model was accompanied by dismissal of her own talents and identity, a total lack of affection and an emphasis of being accepted and safe over anything else. (Exhibit B, p. 2; Exhibit C, p. 9.) She became very socially withdrawn, which is a symptom of traumatic stress in children. (Exhibit B, p. 2.)

As a result of being physically abused by her father, Liz dated men who were extremely threatening and violent, culminating with her codefendant, Charles Rountree. At age 16, Liz became pregnant by an abusive boyfriend, and her mother forced her to have an abortion. (Exhibit B, p. 2; Exhibit C, pp. 7, 14; Court Records for Joseph John Ballance (Exhibit D); Letter from Eugene Couture, Ph.D., p. 3 (Exhibit E).) Emotionally overwhelmed, she attempted suicide by taking her mother's heart medication. (*Ibid.*) Her mother reacted in anger at having to come to her side and at the loss of her expensive medication. (Exhibit B, p. 2.)

Liz met Rountree at work. He convinced her to take the truck she'd been using, that was lent to her from a former boyfriend's grandfather, and start a road trip. (Exhibit B, p. 2; Exhibit C, p. 9.) During the trip, Rountree became abusive, telling Liz he was trained in Tae Kwon Do. (Exhibit C, p. 10.) He threw her to the ground and demonstrated how he would kill her. (*Ibid.*) Rountree began talking about robbing and killing someone while waving a gun around. (Exhibit

C, pp. 10-11.) When Liz protested Rountree laid the gun next to Liz's head. He then had sex with her while the gun was pointed at her head. (Exhibit C, p. 11.) She was terrified when she participated in the murder. (Exhibit B, pp. 3-4; Exhibit C, pp. 11-12.)

Liz's trial attorney and investigators failed to explore the defense of Battered Women's Syndrome (BWS) because they lacked knowledge of the syndrome at the time of Liz's trial in 1995. (Declaration of Pat McGregor (Exhibit F); Declaration of Kristine Riccomini (Exhibit G).) Psychologists have since determined that Liz was suffering from BWS at the time of the crime. (Exhibit C, pp. 12-16 ["At the time of the commitment offense, I do not believe that [Liz] could think for herself and she was too afraid of Rountree to oppose him or attempt to flee, to get help for herself or the victim."].)

Rehabilitation and Behavior In Prison:

During her 20 years in prison, Liz has rehabilitated herself through work, education and self-help. The following is a summary of her accomplishments:

Liz worked as the Friends Outside Clerk in 1996 to early 2001 with exceptional grades throughout her time there and a glowing chrono acknowledging her hard work and exceptional skills. She also worked as a Canteen Clerk from 2001 to 2003 with above average to exceptional ratings. She worked as Law Library Clerk from 2003 to 2006. At the end of 2006 she began work as a Vocational Electronics Clerk, continuing into 2007. She returned to work as a Canteen Sales Worker in 2007. Late in 2007, into 2008, she worked as a cook. In 2008 she worked as an ABE III Clerk and Satellite Kitchen Clerk (with above average to exceptional ratings and a note that she was 'one of the best ever clerks'). She continued working as Satellite Kitchen Clerk well into 2009 with exceptional ratings. She worked Yard Crew late that year, into 2010 with exceptional ratings. She worked in Canteen Sales, continuing with that into 2012 with exceptional ratings. She continued her work in the Friends Outside office with exceptional ratings.

During her incarceration Liz has also developed marketable skills through vocational training by completing a significant amount of vocational training over the years including: Vocational Graphic Arts and Printing, Bindery, Job Preparation, and Negative Stripping units of Vocational Graphic Arts. She completed vocational training for Customer Service Specialist in vocational Electronics, Employer Expectations (Review I, II and III), Keyboarding I, II, and III, Resume Update (Level III), Microsoft Office Word 2007, Microsoft Excel 2007, Microsoft PowerPoint 2007, IC3 GS3 (Windows/Vista/Office 2007) Key Applications, and Computing Fundamentals, Living Online, and Global Applications, Office Services Level 2 Components, Finding and Applying for a Job, and Orientation and Shop Site Safety in Office Services and Related Technologies. She earned certifications in Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint 2007 and is certified as a Microsoft Office Specialist in these programs. She has a certified typing speed of 51 words per minute with 97% accuracy. She also completed the Introduction to Telecommunications curriculum and achieved certification as a Network Cabling Specialist for the Introduction to Network Cabling Fiber Optic Based Systems Curriculum and Copper Based Systems Curriculum. (See Exhibit B, pp. 4-6; Prison Accomplishments (Exhibit H).)

Liz has also participated in numerous self-help programs, individual therapy and volunteered her time to charitable causes. Over the course of the last decade she has participated in: Lifer's Support Group, Cage Your Rage, Anger Management, the Get Unstuck workshop, the Surviving Childhood Assault seminar, the Stalking Training workshop, the Medicine Wheel 12 step group, the Women Escaping a Violent Environment training, Breaking Barriers, Domestic Violence Awareness, Co-Dependents Anonymous (CODA), The Awesome Power of You, I Want My Life Back, Conflict Resolution, Creative Conflict Resolution, Focusing on the Power of Our Thoughts, The Secret: Power of Positive Thinking. Seven Habits of Highly Effective People, Stress Management, Life Scripting, Domestic Violence Peer Educators/Advocates, AWARE, a workshop about verbal abuse, and Freedom to Choose. She also earned a certificate of appreciation for her commitment to the Lubach Literacy Tutoring Program. Liz also participated in weekly individual therapy sessions with Dr. Douglas Graves. (Letter from Dr. Graves (Exhibit I).) Dr. Graves found that Liz "displayed behaviors and shared history of someone who has undergone significant abuse." (*Ibid.*) Dr. Graves described Liz as "an exemplary inmate-patient focused on rehabilitation and genuinely trying to make better decisions and be a better person in her life" who "had not allowed the prison to harden her compassion for others or make her apathetic towards being responsible or productive." (*Ibid.*) Finally, Dr. Graves stated: "Of all the women I worked with, she was one of the few that I could say that she did not seem "prison-broken," meaning that although she knew how to survive in a prison environment, she had not adopted the unruly, manipulative, oppositional, and antisocial behaviors that I saw so frequently and readily from many of the inmates. I believe that she has the potential to be a valuable and productive citizen, if given the right opportunity." (*Ibid.*)

As a result of her persistent participation in self-help programs, Liz has developed significant insight into her personality and the causative factors that led her to commit her life crime. (Insight (Exhibit J).) Liz understands how her childhood and upbringing in an abusive environment influenced her thinking and behavior in her relationships with men and ultimately how it led to her involvement in the murder on Ms. Contreras. (Exhibit J, pp. 1-4.) She has identified the causative factors for her crime and addressed each and every one of these issues. (*Id.*, p. 5.) Liz has developed a Healthy Relationships Maintenance Plan in which she has identified the signs and triggers for an unhealthy relationship, what a healthy relationship is, and a support system. (Exhibit J, pp. 6-8.)

In addition to participating in self-help, Liz has given back to her peers by facilitating Conflict Resolution workshops and has been a long-time trainer and creator of the Succeeding with Exercise and Teamwork (S.W.E.A.T.) fitness program. She was a member of the Long-Termers Organization (LTO) and the Networking Group. She also assisted in coordinating the first annual Health Fair.

Liz has also volunteered her time for charitable causes. She walked 20 laps in the Breast Cancer Awareness Walk a Thon, raising money for that research. She participated in the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Awareness Month Walk A Thon and the Annual Domestic Violence Awareness Day. She also participated in the Tribute to the Troops March A Thon and the Get-on-the-Bus Mother's Day events.

Liz's only disciplinary infraction was in 1997 (16 years ago) for smoking in a state building, before tobacco in prisons was banned. She has since quit smoking forever. She has been a resident of the Sunrise Honor Dorm since inception in 2012. (Exhibit H, p. 39.) Residency in the Sunrise Honor Dorm is conditioned upon following all prison rules. (*Ibid.*) Liz has been commended by prison staff who have worked around her. (*Id.*, pp. 37-39; (Parole Plans, p. 10 (Exhibit K).)

In sum, Liz has used her time in prison very wisely despite having a life-without-the-possibility-of-parole sentence. She has demonstrated that she is rehabilitated and worthy of a second chance in society.

Parole Plans:

Liz has developed extensive parole plans that include a transitional housing program, and a support network. (Exhibit J.) Liz has maintained and created close ties with family and friends throughout her incarceration. She has a strong support system in these relationships. If afforded the opportunity to be released, these people will provide her with assistance as she transitions back into society.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon or commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each District Attorney must be given notice.

I, Scott Esty *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Kern *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or commutation.*

(Print Full Name)

(Name of County*)

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Applicant's Signature

1/21/15

Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Kern County: Please take notice that I, Mary Elizabeth Stroder ,

~~was convicted of the crime of~~ First degree murder (PC 187), kidnap for robbery (PC 209), and robbery (PC 212.5(b))

committed in Kern County, California, on the date of June 16, 1995 .

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

☐ Pardon

☒ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number:* W-58907 .

Mary E. Stroder 12/31/14

Applicant's Signature Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____ , District Attorney of the County of _____ ,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____ ,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Raul Zarate

In June 2009, 17-year-old Raul Zarate was intoxicated and walking home from a party when he got into an argument with a group of people standing outside of a house. He went home to retrieve a firearm before returning to the house. He then drew his gun and fired once, hitting two individuals who were later transported to a hospital and treated for their injuries. On April 28, 2010, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Zarate to 9 years for attempted murder, plus a 4-year firearm enhancement and a 3-year great bodily injury enhancement – a total sentence of 16 years in prison.

Since his incarceration, Mr. Zarate has never been disciplined and has avoided involvement in gangs, drugs, and violence. He has fully participated in numerous self-help programs, including Alternatives to Violence, Criminal Thinking, Victim Awareness, Inside Out Writers, the Urban Ministry Institute, Anger Management, and Alcoholics and Narcotics Anonymous. He earned a GED and high school diploma before graduating *magna cum laude* with four A.A. degrees. Mr. Zarate has been certified as a Braille transcriber by the Library of Congress. He is also a Master Inmate Peer Educator and works with youth offenders at Ironwood State Prison to steer them towards education and self-help opportunities. He has been commended by correctional staff for his work ethic and constant effort to help other inmates improve their lives. Mr. Zarate has been guaranteed housing, therapy, life skills programs, and scholarships to continue his education. He has a full-time job offer upon his release. A therapist who met Mr. Zarate when he was initially incarcerated wrote to support an early release for him, saying, "I see Raul as one of the unique individuals who not only wants to change their life, but has changed their life. I am hopeful that others also consider his remarkable progress and the amazing opportunities he has begun to create for his future."

Mr. Zarate committed a serious crime, but he has done exactly what we ask of inmates – fully commit to rehabilitation and prepare for success upon release.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Raul Zarate to a total of 9 years.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 18th Day of August, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: RAUL, ZARATE **Date of Birth:** [redacted]91 **Inmate ID:** AA1370

Address: 19005 Wiley's Well Road **Facility:** I.S.P.

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Poss. Marijuana for Sale	2006	Los Angeles	probation

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary): (See Attachment A)

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary): (See Attachment B)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary): (See Attachment B)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

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I, RAUL ZARATE (Print Full Name) *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Los Angeles (Name of County*) *with notice of my intent to apply for a commutation.*

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Raul Zarate
Applicant's Signature

5-22-17
Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, RAUL ZARATE,

was convicted of the crime of attempted murder,

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of 4-28-2010.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
LEGAL AFFAIRS

Raul Zarate — Applicant's Signature

5-22-17 — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, Barbara Wolff HD, District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Raul Zarate,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed Barbara Wolff

Date 6/5/17

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Attachment A

2) On June 21, 2009, Sad to say I regret the serious crime I committed against another human being. I was 17 years of age at the time of the offense. As a group of us were walking home after a long night of partying we encountered a group of people at an alley at about 2:00 am. Due to being intoxicated, a argument which lead to a conflict with one of the individuals, and poor judgment. I got into a friend's car which took me home and I returned with a gun truly not thinking of the possible consequences. Although I was the youngest involved in the whole predicament, I felt like I needed to prove something. I pulled out a loaded hand gun and fired one shot, unfortunately one too many. The bullet struck Angel D. Mastra in the shoulder chest area and Samson Aldeco in the stomach area. I was arrested and sentenced to 16 years with 85% on 4/28/2010 for attempted murder. There is not one day that goes by that I do not regret the choice I made. Everyday I think of what I should have or could have done to prevent the conflict from escalating the way it did.

Attachment B

3) I have matured into the person I needed to be in 2009. I am no longer the impulsive self-centred, uneducated, know-it-all, confused 17 year old kid with insecurity issues and low self-confidence. I made a commitment to be a citizen and be the best version of me I can possibly be. I have educated myself and addressed the internal issues I was facing as a kid through attending self-help programs.

4) I have hurt and negatively impacted countless lives as a result of my choices and actions which I am not proud of. I don't want to be remembered for the negative I have done. If granted a commutation and given the opportunity for early release to be a member of the community once again. I will get an early start to give back to my community in the way that I can. Make amends and atone daily for all the wrong I have done. I understand now that my actions impact everyone around me. As an adult this time in society I will be a positive role model and be part of the solution instead of the problem.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Jesus Arturo Aguirre, Jr.

In 2010, 16-year-old Jesus Aguirre participated in a gang-related shooting targeting Ramon Magana. Mr. Magana was shot twice but survived. Mr. Aguirre was originally sentenced to 35 years to life for attempted murder, intentional discharge of a firearm, and a gang enhancement. In 2014, the Fourth District Court of Appeal determined that Mr. Aguirre had received ineffective assistance of counsel and remanded his case for resentencing. On October 17, 2014, the Orange County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Aguirre to 17 years in prison – seven years for attempted murder plus an additional 10-year gang enhancement.

Mr. Aguirre has now served almost eight years in prison. During that time, he dropped out of his gang and has devoted himself to self-improvement. He has never been disciplined for any misconduct during his incarceration, and has stayed away from drugs, gangs, and violence. Mr. Aguirre earned his GED and is currently taking college classes. He has participated in self-help programs including Narcotics Anonymous and Alternatives to Violence, and he routinely receives exceptional ratings from his work supervisors. Mr. Aguirre participated in The Last Mile, a program that prepares inmates for reentry into the community by teaching them computer coding and other business and technological skills. He also completed a vocational certification in computer technology. One of Mr. Aguirre's vocational instructors praised him in 2017 for his strong work ethic, and wrote, "He carries himself well, gets his work done and is always willing to help his classmates...He has made great strides in his rehabilitation." Mr. Aguirre has strong support in the community from his wife, his parents, the California Alliance for Boys and Men of Color, and nearly 5,000 citizens who have signed a petition supporting his release from prison.

Mr. Aguirre has set himself apart through his exceptional conduct in prison and his willingness to separate himself from gang activities. Based on his age at the time of the crime and his sincere dedication to rehabilitation, I conclude that it is appropriate to mitigate his sentence so that he can be released on parole immediately.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Jesus Aguirre, Jr. to a total of seven years.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Jesus A. Aguirre **Date of Birth:** [redacted]93 **Inmate ID:** AL2644

Address: P.O Box 2149 Blythe CA, 92226 **Facility:** Ironwood state Prison

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of conviction(s):**	**Sentence(s):**
594(a)/(b)(2)(a) PC	4/23/08	Orange	
10851(a) PC	4/03/01	Orange	

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

The following is quoted as stated on the Orange County probation and sentencing report written by DPO Jessica Carlson: "On March 13, 2010, it was reported that the then 16 year old defendant (Me, Jesus A. Aguirre) shot the then 21 year old victim

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I've exhausted my appeal process and this is my last resource to reduce my sentence, and hopefully receive another opportunity to rejoin my family and continue my higher education and start a career in computer coding.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I was 16 years old when it was incarcerated. My mind was not fully developed and didn't understand the consequences of my actions. I was easily influenced by my peers.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

2) a rival gang member, numerous times with a 12-gauge shotgun"

4) I'm no longer that 16 year old that got incarcerated in 2010. I've grown and matured through out these years. I no longer share the same passions I did as a teen which were being on the streets and participating in criminal activity. As I've grown older and matured I've cut all ties with these negative influences. Now my passions are family, education and computer coding. My family is everything to me. They are all very supportive and have been there for me 100%. My father Jesus Aguirre, my mother Silvia Giron, my sister Lizette Aguirre, my wife Miranda Aguirre and stepson Brandon Ballesteros. My parents are getting older. I want to make them proud and I want them to see me succeed. My sister just got her PHD in psychology. She is a role model and very positive influence in my life. I recently got married I want to be a provider for my wife and stepson. My stepson is 4 years old. He has no male figure in his life. I want to be there for him to raise him and divert him from the street life and teach him to become a productive member of society and make sure he gets his education. Since my incarceration I've been pursuing a higher education. Prior to my incarceration I dropped out of school in 9th grade. When I was in Juvenile hall I realized to make it in life you need an education. With help from my teachers in Juvenile hall

and self determination I was able to finish the 11th grade before I turn 18 years old. once 18 years old I was transferred to county Jail. In the county Jail I continued my education in hopes to obtain my high school diploma, but unfortunately I was not able to finish high school for lack of time due to me losing my case and being transferred to prison. Since I've been in prison I've obtained my GED. I'm currently in College pursing a AA degree in Business and Technology and since March of 2016 I have been part of a computer coding program here at Iron wood state prison called the Last mile. I've completed two six month tracks of the program, learned four different computer coding languages (html, css, Jquery, & Javascript) created two fully functional websites and have now been appointed a mentor by the instructor of the class.

APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Name: Jesus A. Aguirre **Date of Birth:** [redacted]1993 **Inmate ID:** AL2694

Address: P.O. Box 2199 Blythe CA, 92226 **Facility:** Ironwood State Prison

1.) List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
594 (a)/ (b) (2) (a) PC	4/23/2008	Orange	
10851(a) PC	4/03/2009	Orange	

2.) Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

The following is quoted as stated on the Orange County probation and sentencing report written by DPO Jessica Carlson:

"On March 13, 2010, it was reported that the then 16 year old defendant (Me, Jesus A. Aguirre) shot the then 21 year old victim a rival gang member, numerous times with a 12-gauge shotgun"

3.) Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

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4.) Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I was 16 years old when I was incarcerated. My mind was not fully developed and didn't understand the consequences of my actions. I was easily influenced by my peers. I'm no longer that 16 year old that got incarcerated in 2010. I've grown and matured through out these years. I no longer share the same passions I did as a teen which were being on the streets and participating in criminal activity. As I've grown older and matured I've cut all ties with these negative influences. Now my passions are family, education and computer coding. My family is everything to me. They are all very supportive and have been there for me 100%. My father Jesus Aguirre, my mother Silvia Giron, my sister Lizette Aguirre, my wife Miranda Aguirre and stepson Brandon Ballesteros. My parents are getting older. I want to make them proud and I want them to see me succeed. My sister just got her PHD in psychology. She is a role model and very positive influence in my life. I recently got married. I want to be a provider for my wife and stepson. My stepson is 4 years old. He has no male figure in his life. I want to be there for him to raise him

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I, Jesus A. Aguirre *, declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Orange *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Applicant's Signature

5/15/17
Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Bradley Joe Arrowood

In 1993, Bradley Arrowood discovered that Mark Albanese was having an affair with his wife. Several months later, Mr. Arrowood and two friends lured Mr. Albanese to a house where they beat him, covered his mouth and head with duct tape, and left him in the garage. Mr. Albanese died of asphyxiation, and Mr. Arrowood later moved his body to a nearby industrial area. On May 24, 1995, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Arrowood to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder.

Mr. Arrowood has been incarcerated for nearly 24 years and has demonstrated by his conduct in prison that he has fully turned his life around. In his commutation application, Mr. Arrowood wrote, "I honestly believe that prison saved my life from the life style I was choosing…I realize I must be the example of change and encourage others to do the same." He said that his transformation was "proof that education and rehabilitation programs work."

For many years, Mr. Arrowood has dedicated himself to self-improvement, despite serving a sentence that offered no hope of a life outside of prison. He has maintained his sobriety, avoided gangs, and has only been disciplined twice in more than two decades of incarceration. Mr. Arrowood has participated in self-help programs including Substance Abuse, Alternatives to Violence, and Houses of Healing. Mr. Arrowood trained service dogs and participated in a youth outreach program. He has worked in the Prison Industry Authority since 2008, where he gained skills and earned positive work ratings.

In addition, Mr. Arrowood has shown an exceptional commitment to furthering education for himself and other inmates. He earned his GED, a paralegal certificate, two associate's degrees, and is currently pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree in Communication from California State University, Los Angeles. A professor from the program supported a commutation for Mr. Arrowood. He wrote, "Bradley's motivation to educate and transform himself while in prison has been nothing short of profound for me to observe…There is absolutely no doubt in my mind…that he also has the skills and disposition to thrive in the world – to enrich our society in numerous ways if given the chance." In addition to pursuing his own education, Mr. Arrowood has helped fellow inmates do so as well. He co-founded a program to tutor other inmates working to achieve their educational goals. In 2017, the sponsor of that program praised Mr. Arrowood for his work and wrote, "Arrowood has taken a leadership role on the [Progressive Programming] yard in helping others attain their GED and college degrees...He should be commended for his continuous efforts to rehabilitate himself and others." Mr. Arrowood has been accepted to a housing facility near the California State University, Los Angeles campus, and he has the support of family and community members who will help him as he finishes his degree and reenters society.

Since committing this very serious crime, Mr. Arrowood turned away from violence and drugs and instead dedicated himself to rehabilitation and education. He has been a role model for other inmates and helped them achieve positive goals in an extremely challenging environment. For these reasons, I believe he deserves a chance to make his case before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can decide whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Bradley Arrowood to a total of 25 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Bradley J. Arrowood #J-65814
CSP-Los Angeles County/PPF Program
P.O. Box 4430 - A5-148
Lancaster, CA 93539-4430

September 21, 2017

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr.
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Review for consideration of Commutation of Sentence.

Dear Governor Brown;

Hello. My name is Bradley Joe Arrowood. I am currently serving a term of life without the possibility of parole. As you can see from my commutation request before you, I was 23 years old at the time of my offense. Since that time I have done a lot of changing. Please understand, I know I am responsible for the death of Mark Albanese. For several years I tried to justify my actions. In reality however, there is none. I destroyed two families that day. While I would change things and do them different if I could, I honestly believe that prison saved my life from the life style I was choosing. I am one of the examples on the PPF program for others to follow, learn, change and grow ant it is a responsibility I take seriously. And If I am granted a chance to prove myself to a Parole Board someday, I will not let you down. I realize I must be the example of change and encourage others to do the same. I will be your proof that education and rehabilitation programs work. I am no longer worthless. I have learned that I am somebody and that I do not have to follow others for acceptance. I hope I can be a positive influence on the younger generation not to make the same mistakes I did. Karma Rescue has educational and other programs i hope to be a part of.

I have been informed that I will have a transitional house waiting, continue to complete my degree on campus at Cal-State LA and get a job through Project rebound. I know I will be a success, even if it is slow acclimation at first.

Thank you for giving us hope. I hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

Bradley J. Arrowood

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Bradley Joe Arrowood **Date of Birth:** [redacted]/70 **Inmate ID:** j-65814

Address: CSP-Los Angeles County, P.O. Box 4430 - A5-148
44750 60th Street West, Lancaster, CA 93536-7619

Facility: CSP-LA County's Progressive Programming Facility (PPF)

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
§415-Disturbing the Peace	3/12/91	Los Angeles	24 months informal probation
§653(k)-Possession Switchblade	4/26/93	Orange	60 days jail, 24 mo. inf.probation

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I was 23 years old at the time of the offense. I was convicted of Felony murder and kidnaping (PC§§187, 190.2(a)17) and 207.) one offense. I was sentenced to Life Without the Possibility of Parole.

(Offense facts continued on pages 2-5)

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I transformed my life from that of the 23 year that came into prison. While I had no hope of getting out I chose to better myself and assist others to do the same. After I discovered I had another daughter, I started to realize things and focused on change. (Continued on Page 6.)

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I am serving a sentence of L.W.O.P., I have been incarcerated since 1993 (24 years w/presentence credit) with no violence. I have been disciplinary for 17 years. (Continued on pages 7-9)

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

n/a

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I, Bradley Joe Arrowood (Print Full Name), *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Los Angeles (Name of County*) *with notice of my intent to apply for a commutation.*

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Bradley J. Arrowood — Applicant's Signature

3/16/17 — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Bradley Joe Arrowood,

was convicted of the crime of 1st degree Felony Murder & Simple kidnaping (187/190.2/20

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of 26 November 1993.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

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Bradley J Arrowood — Applicant's Signature

3/14/17 — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, Barbara Wolff HD, District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Bradley Joe Arrowood,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed Barbara Wolff

Date 4/6/17

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Statement of Facts

Prosecution Evidence

Around the time of the Thanksgiving Holiday in 1993, I (Brad Arrowood) was living with my wife Christina and my young daughter in room 117 of the Ruby Inn on Beach Boulevard in Anahiem (1RT 247-248.)

Mark Christopher Albanese lived with his girlfriend and was the father of her child. Mark and I were friends, and were in Jail together in April 1993. (RT 75-78.)

Christina my wife knew Mark because he was my friend. Mark was released for jail in May (18 days) before me. He visited Christina approximately every other day before I got out. Mark was supposed to give my wife money that he owed me, but never did. Once Christina and Mark drank together and had sex. The next day Christina told him that it should not have happened, and it was not going to happen again. Approximately a week later, when Mark was visiting Christina, he raped her. (RT 250-263.) Mark slapped Christina in the face, ripped her clothes, and took some of her jewelry. (RT 272.) The next day, Mark told Christina "You're taking me to Texas." He drove Christina in her truck, but only got as far as Las Vegas. They stayed at a motel and went to a concert together, but did not have sex. (RT 265-267.)

While Christina and Mark were in Las Vegas in May, I was released from jail. Christina told me about being raped by Mark and showed me bruises on her arms. At first I wanted to "kick his (Mark's) ass." Later in front of Sutherland's apartment, Christina heard me say I wanted to break Mark's legs (RT 270-277.) Mark told Marty (Sutherland) he was having an affair with Christina. Marty saw Mark driving Christina's truck and thought the two were close. (RT 78-81)

On the evening of November 25, Frankie Sanchez and Wayne Driskill went to Mark's home. Wayne Driskill gave Mark a piece of paper with a phone number and "$50" written on it. The next morning, Frank Sanchez and Wayne Driskill returned. Mark refused to go with them at first, but changed his mind. Wayne returned Approximately 10 minutes later and left with Mark. (RT 99-100.)

Mark's body was discovered on November 29th at 7:20 a.m. at the loading dock of Flint Ink, a business in Sante Fe Springs. The body's arms were behind the back and the feet were tied with tape. It was covered

with a pink blanket. (RT 228-232, 328-330.) A piece of silver duct tape was recovered near the body. (RT 337.) That same day, Across the street from Flint Ink behind a business entitled Optima Wheel. Duct tape with particles of hair and blood and rope were found in a pile of debris. (RT235-239.) Appellant was arrested on December 26, 1993. (RT 351.)

Defense Evidence

I testified in my own behalf. I received security training and worked as a security guard at various locations. I had received firearms training but was not licensed to carry a gun. (RT 492-494.)

I met Mark sometime between July and October 1992. Mark and I were friends. In March 1993, Mark and I were arrested on outstanding misdemeanor warrents and were sent to the county jail. Mark was released 18 days before I was. I asked Mark to check on my wife, Christina, and give her any help she may need. Mark owed me some money. (RT 494-498.)

While in jail, I heard Mark was spending a lot of time with Christina and that she had been seen upset while speaking with Mark's girlfriend. When I was released form jail, my wife told me that there had been an incident between her and Mark while she was intoxicated. She also told me that two days after that incident, Mark held her down and raped her. She was crying, scared and showed me bruises on her arm and shoulder. (RT 498-499.)

When I heard Mark had raped my wife I first felt hurt for my wife and hurt that Mark had betrayed my trust. I felt I was partly to blame because I was the one who sent him to my room. I became angry at Mark. My wife also informed me that Mark, after the rape, was forcing her to take him to Texas. (RT 499-500.)

During the next several months I chased and tried to catch Mark, however he kept getting away. I intended to beat Mark up if I ever caught him, and threaten to break his legs. (RT 512-514).

On Thanksgiving Day, November 25, 1993, Frankie told me that Mark was out of jail. I told Frankie to page me if he ever saw Mark. Frankie agreed to lure Mark to his house so that I could beat him up without him being able to run away. The next day (12:30 a.m.) I arrived at Frankie's home. At 6:45 Wayne and Frankie left and went to get Mark, sometime later, Frankie returned and Wayne left to go pick up Mark. Frankie told me to wait in Driskill's room in the back until Mark arrived

and he would come get me. Later he came and got me. I had a gun with me, handcuffs in my pocket. I loaded the gun in case Mark was armed. I entered the living room where Frankie, Wayne and Mark were. (RT 531-534.)

When I saw Mark, I started to become very angry. I threw my gun away because I was afraid I would use it. I then attacked Mark with my fist. Mark said, "B.J. don't do this". We fought for several minutes. I soon got the best of him on the floor. Wayne returned from the hallway and said Deann and Christen were upset and that Mark needed to be shut up. (RT 534-536.) I then handcuffed Mark and Frankie brought me some duct tape. I taped his legs and a piece over his mouth. I then tried to sit back and regain my composure, but Mark managed to remove the tape off his mouth. I told Frankie get something else to quiet Mark. Frankie returned with another roll of tape. I lifted Mark up by the arms while Frankie wrapped the tape around his head. (RT 536-538.)

Wayne told me to get Mark out of the house because Christen wanted to leave. We carried Mark outside and Frankie said put him in the garage for now. We put Mark down next to the water heater in the garage and returned to the house. After about 15 minutes, things calmed down a bit and I thought he would be sufficiently scared to never hurt anyone again. We went out to release Mark so I could get back my property. (RT 539-542.)

Mark was dead. He was not moving, his eyes closed and he was blue. Frankie and I set him in the back seat of the car I borrowed and covered him with a blanket. Wayne was upset and just wanted me out of his house now. We discussed what to do. I told them to tell Marty that Mark met a girl at the mall and took off. (RT 543-545.)

I left with Mark covered up in the back of the car. Because I was in a panic, I drove to a friends house in Anaheim. I picked him up and we drove around. I told him what happened. Coco was not to pleased and suggested I just dump the body next to the tracks where we parked, but there was a person nearby so we drove away instead. I was clearly scared and panicked. (RT 548-549). Shortly thereafter, drove into the parking lot of Flint ink and just put Mark's body on the concrete by the loading dock, took off the handcuffs, and drove away. So panicked I was I returned the next night to remove the duct tape and threw it

in a dumpster across the street (RT 548-549).

For the next month until my arrest I was not all together there. My mental state was not good and I was just surviving. I had no intention for it to go that far. (RT 553-554.)

Statement of facts came from the Attorney General's version of events in his Response brief on Direct Appeal. RT refers to Reporter's Transcripts from the trial. Some witnesses omitted to stay on the main facts of events.

Understand that none of the actions or events listed above justify or minimize my offense. They are merely to show my mental state at the time. I am fully responsible for the death of Mark Albanese. Even though his death was unintentional, it was a result of my choices and intentional actions to go after him. Not only my intentional actions during the offense, but the lifestyle I chose to live at the time, lack of maturity, age, and poor choices all contributed. I am not that man today.

Continued from Question 3:

My daughter Lita, who was has been a major inspiration for changing my life. Lita had to grow up with great hardship as a result of my actions. She wants me to come home to help her and my grandson and be a part of their lives.

California State University-Los Angeles will allow me to complete my degree on campus, provide me with housing and employment to assist me in transitioning back to society if I ever get the opportunity. No one ever displayed that type of faith in me before. (see attached letters of recommendations).

My mother health is failing, she would also like to see me come home and help out.

Currently under the felony murder rule any death that occurs even if unintentional receives Life Without the Possibility of Parole. Yet a person who <u>intentionally</u> kills (murders) a person can receive 25 years to life with a chance to prove rehabilitation and go home. Governor Brown you are the only avenue a person serving LWOP has to prove their rehabilitation and change. Just like the dogs we save get a second chance, I hope the changes in my life and progressive steps I have made will allow you to consider my request for commutation of sentence to Life with the possibility of parole, allowing a chance to earn a parole hearing and have hope. Thank you

I have been on the Honor Yard/ Progressive Programming Facility for the last 11 years. I have been a part of many positive programs available. The two most significant:

Certified Dog Trainer for the Paws For Life Programs. Currently training service dogs for our Military Veterans diagnosed with PTSD.

A student in the California State University - Los Angeles Degree Completion Program. I am currently working on a BA in Communication Studies.

My involvement in these and the other programs has helped me develop as a human being. I have transformed my life and I am demonstrably not the man I was when I committed my offense. I am a mature, thoughtful father capable of becoming an asset to society. I have taken my role as a mentor seriously, inspiring others to follow the path of self transformation and rehabilitation.

Below is a list of programs, accomplishments, schools, work, activities and self help I have and am involved with.

EDUCATION

In Progress	Currently earning a Bachelor's Degree in Communication , **California State University -Los Angeles**, First In Prison Bachelor's Degree Completion Program.
2008 - 2015	Associates of Arts Degree in Social & Behavioral Sciences and American Studies, **Coastline Community College**, Fountain Valley, CA. Issued May 2015. First in my family to earn a college degree.
1998	Paralegal Certificate, **University of Colorado-Pueblo** (Previously University of Southern Colorado) issued December 9, 1998
1999	High School Equivalency Certificate (GED) Pelican Bay State Prison, August 11, 1999

WORK RELATED SKILLS AND TRAINING

In progress	Industrial Electrical Systems Certification, TPC Training Systems - Cal Prison Industry Authority (CALPIA) enrolled in work Certification Course, I have completed 6-11 classes in the PIA Industry Employment Program.
Present	Certified Paws for Life Dog Trainer, Sponsored by CDCR and Karma Rescue . org. I am currently training service dogs for our Military Veterans diagnosed with PTSD. (2014 to Present)

Present Maintenance and Machine Mechanic, - Prison Industry Authority - industrial laundry. Certificate issued in 2011. Includes numerous other certificates and licenses: Fork lift operator, Chemical Room Engineer/Chemical Mixer, Lead Mechanic, Dryer Operator, Washroom Leadman (2007 to present)

2001 Final Inspection Certification Optical, Prison Industries Authority/Department of Health - Optical Lab Pelican Bay State Prison.

SELF HELP AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

Current H.E.A.R.T. (Helping Everyone Attain Real Transformation) Activity Group. College Coordinator for four of the five college programs; Charity fundraiser drives (St. Jude and Los Angeles Childrens' Hospital, and Karma Rescue); Crochet knitting ; Tuturing students in math and writing, for G.E.D. and College; I am responsible for coordinating the book sharing circle library and electronic tablet distribution.

2001 Creative Conflict Resolution, Friends Outside National Organization . (Oct. 26 2001)

2001 Parenting Program, Friends Outside National Organization. (April 19, 2001)

1998 Life Skills Workshop, Pelican Bay State Prison (Mar. 24, 1998)

JUVENILE DIVERSION PROGRAM

2003 R.O.C.K. Program (Reaching Out Convicts & Kids) - Deterring at-risk and troubled youth. - Positions held: Member; Vice-chairman and Chairman. (1999-2003)

OTHER

Present Honor Yard/ Progressive Programming Facility - A unique prison program. The first Medium/Maximum security prison with no racial riots in 17 years. Made up of mostly LWOP and Life sentenced inmates who chose to change the system to an environment of a drug free, non-violent atmosphere allowing for personal growth and change. (2006-Present)

Present Softball and Soccer League Coordinator - Organize and run the intergrated sports leagues. Positions held, I am the league coordinator, the league commissioner, Umpiring and player. (2006-present)

Present Religion- Part of the Catholic Church Community, (1996-Present.)

Present Drug and Alcohol free: 20 years since August 5, 1996.

The rehabilitative efforts, positive programs, education and the dogs work. It has helped me develop maturity,

responsibility and community contribution both inside and out. I have maintained the same job for 10 years, advancing to the the position of Lead Machine Maintenance Mechanic, and I continue learning each day.

Based upon the above, I respectfully request this commutation of sentence to Life with the possibility of parole thus being permitted to go before the Board of Prison Hearings to prove myself. Thank you.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Christopher Antoine Brown

In July 1995, Tywan Correll and Darrell Stewart were driving and stopped to talk to a friend. Seventeen-year-old Christopher Brown approached their car, made a gang sign, and shot multiple times into the car. Mr. Correll was shot in the shoulder, chest, and neck, and died from his injuries. Mr. Stewart was shot in the arm and survived. On November 20, 1996, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Brown to 25 years to life for first degree murder, 3 years for assault with a deadly weapon, and 8 years for two firearm enhancements – a total term of 36 years to life in prison.

Mr. Brown was only 17 when he committed this crime, and has now been incarcerated for over 22 years, more than half of his life. He has worked hard to transform his life while in prison. He dropped out of his gang, became a practicing Muslim, and dedicated himself to living without violence. He told an investigator for the Board of Parole Hearings, "I have changed, and have done some things to correct my behavior so I can go out of here and become a productive individual." Mr. Brown said that if granted a commutation, "I will utilize it to the best of my ability and do the best with it as far as...trying to contribute to society, because I know I took a lot away from it."

During his 22 years of incarceration, Mr. Brown has demonstrated a clear commitment to his rehabilitation. He has only been disciplined three times and routinely receives positive work ratings. He earned his GED and is currently working to earn an associate's degree. Mr. Brown has participated in self-help programs including Victim Offender Education, Response to Violence, and Anger Management. In 2017, he was commended by the vice principal of the San Quentin education department for his contributions to the prison. Mr. Brown has also participated in a youth mentorship program for several years. If he were to be released from prison, he has plans to apply to transitional housing in an area where he could be close to his mother and son.

Mr. Brown committed a senseless crime, but he has shown a clear rejection of violence and gang activity for many years. In light of his age at the time of the crime, his positive conduct in prison, and his determination to continue giving back to society if released, Mr. Brown deserves an earlier opportunity to make his case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Christopher Antoine Brown to a total of 22 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.)

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Antoine C. Brown **Date of Birth:** [redacted]78 **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: San Quentin State Prison - San Quentin, CA 94974

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Murder & Attempted Murder	July 2, 1995	Los Angeles	36 to life

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

On or about July 2, 1995, Applicant was arrested for one count of First Degree Murder, two counts of Attempted Murder with use of a deadly weapon, was tried and convicted by a jury in the County of Los Angeles, case number TA045386-01 and was

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3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Applicant's minimum eligible release date is on February 18, 2026. Applicant has served 18 calendar years and has fully taken advantage of the educational system and self-help programming that the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation has to offer which can be verified through the Central File.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

Based upon the passing of the February 27, 2014 decision of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California in the case of **Richard M. Gilman**

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5. If you have you paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

No.

sentenced on November 29, 1996 to 25 years to life plus 11 years. The circumstances of the case evolved around Applicant displaying a gang sign to rival gang members as they passed by in a car and afterwards shooting into the vehicle from his bicycle, killing Tywan Corwell and wounding Darnell Steward.

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SECTION IV CONTINUED

et al., v. Edmund G. Brown, Jr., et al - Case No. CIV. S-05-830 LLK/CKD - 2014 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 26386 which states in pertinent part;

Proposition 9 - Marsy's Law have retrospectively increased Applicant's punishment in violation of the Ex Post Facto Clause of the U.S. Constitution. The Opinion further states that Proposition 9 amended California law to, among other things, increase the time between parole hearings. 2008 Cal. Legis. Serv. Prop. 9 (West), amending in pertinent part, Cal Penal Code § 3041.5(b)(3) (extending deferral periods) and (b)(4) and (d) (advanced hearings). The class challenging this Proposition consists of "all California state prisoners who have been sentenced to a life term with the possibility of parole for an offense that occurred before November 4, 2008.'" ECF No. 340 #1. The Opinion also states that;

"The Constitution prohibits both federal and state governments from enacting any 'ex post facto law.'" **Peugh v. U.S. 569 U.S., 133 S. Ct. 2027, 2081 (2013).** For the purposes of this case the court stated that and "ex post facto" law is one "'that changes the punishment, and inflicts a greater punishment, than the law annexed to the crime, when committed.'"

Applicant also must be granted a Pardon based upon the recent settlement agreement pursuant to **In re Roy Thinnes Butler, Cite as 2014 DJDAR 2754** which states in pertinent part;

At a prisoners initial parole consideration hearing the Board shall set a base term (i.e. 16 calendar years) according to the Matrix. Applicant's Matrix for first degree murder is thirty three (33) years maximum excluding good time credits after serving 16 calendar years.

Applicant must be granted a pardon and forgiveness for his crime in the interest of justice based upon Senate Bill 260 from Applicant's crime taking place when he was a juvenile and from meeting all of the above criteria.

I swear under the penalty of perjury that all of the information in this petition for pardon is true, correct and complete, and to those matters stated on information and belief, I believe them to be true.

DATED: March 21, 2014

Respectfully submitted,

Antoine Brown

Antoine C. Brown,
Applicant

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

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I, Antoine C. Brown *, declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Antoine Brown — March 21, 2019

Applicant's Signature — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Antoine C. Brown,

was convicted of the crime of First Degree Murder and Attempted Murder,

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of July 2, 1995.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

☒ Pardon

☐ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number:* K-35457.

Antoine Brown — March 21, 2014

Applicant's Signature — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, John Morris for, District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Antoine C. Brown

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed John Morris

Date 4/11/14

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

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Notice of Intention to Apply for Executive Clemency

Executive Department

State of California **COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE**

Susan Bustamante

Susan Bustamante was abused by her husband, Steven Bustamante. On May 17, 1980, Ms. Bustamante hired her brother, Alex Garcia, to kill Mr. Bustamante. Ms. Bustamante left the home and drove to her mother's house in Los Angeles. While in the home, Mr. Garcia repeatedly stabbed and eventually killed Mr. Bustamante. On May 22, 1980, Ms. Bustamante assisted her brother in the disposal of her husband's body. The next day, she reported her husband missing. Ms. Bustamante received insurance benefits of $100,000, of which she gave her brother a total of approximately $50,000. Ms. Bustamante was arrested on February 25, 1986. On November 30, 1987, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Bustamante to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder.

In her application for clemency and when speaking with an investigator from the Board of Parole Hearings, Ms. Bustamante described her years of relentless abuse at the hands of her husband. On one occasion, Ms. Bustamante described being ordered to the bathroom and physically assaulted at a holiday party; she stated, "he accused me of flirting, making him a fool. He was slapping my head and pushing me against the tub and toilet." He threatened to kill her repeatedly over the course of their relationship. Ms. Bustamante was also able to provide support of her claim of intimate partner battery through a friend, who witnessed the countless verbal spats and viewed the many bruises Ms. Bustamante would have on her body after her husband's assaults. In 2013, a psychologist who specialized in intimate partner battery evaluated Ms. Bustamante and found sufficient evidence to meet the criteria for intimate partner battery, and that at the time of the crime, "Ms. Bustamante felt an immediate and imminent danger of death at the hands of her husband."

Ms. Bustamante is now 62 years old and has been incarcerated for almost 32 years. She has no prior criminal history and has never been disciplined for any misconduct in prison. Ms. Bustamante has shown a genuine determination to rehabilitate herself and become a positive role model. Ms. Bustamante has completed many self-help programs, including Pathways to Hope, Conflict Resolution, Breaking Barriers, and Anger Management. In 2014, she served as Chairperson for the Convicted Women Against Abuse. A sponsor for the group wrote, "Ms. Bustamante is the Chairperson of this group, a challenge she has taken on more than once. She puts a lot of thought and effort into each meeting, asking others for input or feedback." In the same year, Ms. Bustamante participated in the Pathways to Hope dog training program. Her sponsor wrote, "Bustamante has shown great care, determination, reliability, unconditional love/ care, consistency, commitment, dedication, perseverance and is to be commended for her commitment to rehabilitation herself, through the care and training of these dogs to help autistic children." She has the support of her family.

I do not discount the significant nature of this crime, but it is clear that Ms. Bustamante was suffering from severe effects of intimate partner battery at the time of the crime and has since distinguished herself by her exemplary conduct in prison and her commitment to rehabilitation. For all of the foregoing reasons, I conclude that she deserves a chance to make her case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute Susan Bustamante's sentence to 25 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. **If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Susan Bustamante Date of Birth: [redacted]55 Inmate ID: W-27953

Address: 16756 Chino-Corona Rd Corona CA 92880 Facility: CIW M328L

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including in any other states or countries. Attach additional pages as necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of Conviction(s):**	**Sentences(s):**
1st degree murder w/ Special Circumstances	5/17/1980	Los Angeles	LWOP

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see attached Petition for Habeas Corpus filed May 31, 2013 Section I: Introduction. Marked: "Question 2."

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please see: Petitioner's Exhibit I: Memorandum of Points and Authorities Supporting the Traverse Including Appendix of Exhibits in Support of Petitioner's Petition for Habeas Corpus. Marked "Question 3" Also Attachment #1, "3"

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I have spent three decades in prison. I have watched my daughters grow up and have children. I am thoroughly accountable for my role in Stephen Bustamante's death and have used this time in prison to heal and grow and give back to community at the institution and outside. Please read my statement in Exhibit C of Appendix Also Attachment #1 "4" marked "Question 4" Also Attachment #2, Letters of Support

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list the name, address, and amount paid or given (required by penal code section 4807.2):

None

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

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I, Susan Bustamante *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of* Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a commutation.*

(Print Full Name)

(Name of County)

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Susan Bustamante
Applicant's Signature

6/17/17
Date

*** If applicable, list additional counties here (send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to all counties listed)**

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County:

Please take notice that I, Susan Garcia Bustamante, was convicted of the crime of 1st Degree murder w/special circumstances committed in Los angeles County, California on the date of 6 30 87 / sentenced 11 30 87. I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

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Susan Bustamante
Applicant's Signature

April 12, 2017
Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, Barbara Wolff HP, District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles, do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Susan Garcia Bustamante, that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence

Signed Barbara Wolff

Date 4/27/17

District Attorney: Please return this notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814

Attachment #1

Susan Bustamante
Application for Commutation

3) I am requesting a commutation so that I can reconnect physically with my daughters grandchildren and great-grandson. I am also very determined to be an asset in the greater society. Particularly, I feel I could help survivors of intimate partner battering and child sexual abuse. I have learned so much about how my experiences shaped me and how to heal through them. I want to share that. I have developed myself as a speaker and participated consistently with advocacy groups outside and inside the prison. Were I to be released, I would continue to dedicate myself to my own healing, that of my family and for the greater society. Additionally, I have developed a viable skill of training of service dogs for disabled people.

4) Over the duration of 30 years of incarceration, I have remained disciplinary free. I have availed myself of every self-help group and program appropriate for me, not for the paperwork, but in order to learn and grow as a human being. I was one of the 13 women who originally formed the group Convicted Women Against Abuse and have demonstrated leadership skills by serving as chair of the group several times over the years. Not only has CWAA provided an avenue of healing and support for women inside, we are also responsible for ground-breaking advocacy and policy work that led to Battered Women's Syndrome becoming a legal defense. We were instrumental in passing legislation that has led to release of many women serving life sentences for whom that defense was not available when they were sentenced to life in prison.

Self Help Groups

Adult Survivors of Child Molestation (4 years) Facilitator: Linda Hayes Licensed therapist
I took this group because i was molested by my own father from the age of 12-18. I was able to heal and understand that I was a child and it wasn't my fault. The group helped me understand that I had learned to dissociate and was able to separate from trauma as if it was a different me. This was the tool my child mind used to shield myself from unbearable confusion and pain. One of the activities in this group was to write out all of my emotions. I actually mailed the letter to my father. He wrote a short but meaningful apology which allowed me closure and helped me work on forgiving him as well as myself. No longer consumed with shame, I was able to explain what I had experienced to my daughters in hope that the cycle could be broken.

Through work in this group, I gained insight into how I grew up viewing myself as a victim and that my brother Alex was my "hero". I tried to make myself invisible and clung to my mother. She did not know what I was going through and I was afraid I would break up our family if I told. I both loved and hated my father. I have come to see how that pattern of tolerating and inexcusable behavior from those in whose hands I place my entire well-being, played a part in my relationship with Stephen. It was normal to fear and be controlled by a man. I did not have an example of nurturing parents. Insight has also allowed me the grace to know they did their best.

Convicted Women Against Abuse
Determination to understand and heal my short-comings and to break the cycle of abuse with my daughters was my goal in founding this group with 12 other survivors. When I began

attending CWAA I thought that my abuse wasn't as bad as others. I now understand that minimization is a common defense mechanism to shield oneself from the magnitude of the trauma inflicted on them by a loved one. Sharing in the group allowed me to feel all of the emotions that I had not been aware of, not only from abuse by Stephen but from childhood, because I had buried them. The healing took years. Part of it was from being a voice of hope for others. It means everything to finally realize that nobody needs to complete me or control me. I know that I am a strong, loving woman that has a lot to give back to society.

Domestic Violence Therapy, Facilitator; Dr. Ponath
I was part of a 3 year therapy session that went from beginning, intermediate then advanced therapy with Dr. Ponath. I really understood the dissociation and how I mentally shut down when things got too tough. I learned how things in my life were stepping stones to the next decision I would make. My decisions were not healthy as they evolved from a dysfunctional experience and foundation that I took for granted as being normal.

VIP Veteran's In Prison
I have been a part of this program for a year. We are the first post in the prison system. I go because my husband was a Vietnam veteran. It helps to hear how PTSD effects people. My daughter also is retired from the Army as is her husband. Our work in the group supports veterans in the CIW community. I also give support to stand-downs and homeless veterans by crocheting blankets for them. That is a fulfilling feeling to know that someone will have warmth from something I took the time to make.

Puppy Program
This program that I have been involved with for almost 13 years, has allowed me to appreciate all that I can do for those who can't do for themselves. To train a service dog is one of the most gratifying things I know of. I love knowing that I can spend my time nurturing and giving structure to a developing being that will be such a critical part of another human being's life. IT is also invaluable to be learning a marketable skill. I am a certified trainer. I would be able to pick up my card from CST should I be able to be released. This work is so special as it allows me to care for a being in a way I missed out on with my children, which has been the biggest loss of my life.

Happy Hats
I have been involved with Happy Hats, which are hats for children who loose their hair due to illness. We make the whimsical hats to give them a smile on their faces. I have been a participant in this program since the late 90's. Nothing is as meaningful as giving back to the community in a tangible way. This work also helps me appreciate the good health of my own family. Gratitude is indispensable to maintaining emotional health in any environment, but especially critical for me in order to stay hopeful while serving a life sentence with no possibility of parole through the legal system.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Valerie Campbell

On December 14, 1991, Carl Sampson, who was armed with an Uzi, and Valerie Campbell forced their way into the house occupied by Andrea Johnson, Jewell Sutton, Michael Ward, and several other people. Mr. Sampson confronted Ms. Johnson, who was in the living room, shot at her, and then sprayed the living room with bullets. Ms. Johnson died of three gunshot wounds. Ms. Sutton and Mr. Ward were also shot, but survived. On July 19, 2001, the Alameda County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Campbell to 39 years to life for first degree murder, two counts of attempted murder, and firearm enhancements.

Ms. Campbell is now 67 years old and has been incarcerated for nearly 18 years. Her current sentence would not give her any chance of parole until age 74. She lives on the honor yard at the California Institution for Women and during her many years of incarceration, has never been disciplined for misconduct. Ms. Campbell has participated in self-help programing, including the Long-Term Offenders program, Restorative Justice, and Emotional Healing.

In an investigation conducted by the Board of Parole Hearings, Ms. Campbell reported that she was suffering from the effects of intimate partner battery at the time of the crime, as a result of a prior abusive relationship and abuse from her codefendant. She explained, "He threatened me, beat me with a chain, locked me in his apartment and wouldn't allow me to go see my mother." She goes on to report that she tried to leave Mr. Sampson after he threatened to kill her and her daughters, but that shortly before the crime, Mr. Sampson "snatched" her up from the street, kept her with him for several days, and forced her to have sex before allowing her to leave. Two individuals who had lived with Ms. Campbell and Ms. Sampson during their cohabitation observed physical and verbal abusive on a regular basis; several others saw signs of physical abuse, including extensive bruising on Ms. Campbell's body. A boyfriend who lived with Ms. Campbell in the year after she left Mr. Sampson recalled that Ms. Campbell had "a life or death fear" of Mr. Sampson and a niece reported that the abuse "was pretty much every day. It became normal." Ms. Campbell would like an opportunity to obtain parole so that she can spend time with her daughters and other family members.

One of Ms. Campbell's victims has written to oppose a commutation of sentence. While the profound impact of Ms. Campbell's crimes cannot be overlooked, I am moved by Ms. Campbell's exemplary conduct in prison and her advanced age. I believe she deserves an earlier opportunity to make her case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Valerie Campbell to a total of 18 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Valerie Campbell Date of Birth: [redacted]/50 Social Security Number: _____

Address: 16756 Chino Corona Rd, Corona CA 92880 LB329U

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
187 - Count 1	December 14, 1991	Alameda	25 years to life
~~187 - Count 2~~	~~December 14, 1991~~	~~Alameda~~	~~15 years to life~~
187 - Count 3	December 14, 1991	Alameda	15 years to life

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I am now 65 years old. I had been incarcerated in the State of California Prison for the last 17 years. I just got the new from a doctor of Kaiser Hospital in Corona of California that I will have between six(6) months to 12 months to live due to the deteriorating

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary): (see Page 1 cont.)

I am requesting a pardon or commutation because I am innocent and I had been in prison and serving times for the last 16 years .. for the crimes I did not committed. I may not have a lot of time left to live and I just wanted to be home with my grand kids.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I should be granted a pardon becasse I was wrongfully convicted. I was never in trouble with the law before and I was never violated any rules while serving time in prison. I am also dying and I would like to ask the mercy of the government to grant me the clemency.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

None

of my heart. During the time of the offenses mentioned above, on December 14, 1991. I was in an abuse relationship with my boyfriend, the main defendant of this case. He dragged me out of my car and dragged me into the apartment where the shootings were taken place and killed my best friend.

I was just at the wrong place. I was not the one who had the gun and shooted the victim.

At trial, the jury came to the conclusion that I did not have a firearm. I had been serving times of the last 16 years for the crimes I did not commit.

Few years ago, I filed the appeal and the federal court issued the opinion that I did not receive the fair trial.

My attorney supposed to follow up to get me a new trial and it did not happen.

I don't have any money and could not afford to hire a lawyer to follow up with my case.

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I, Valerie Campbell (Print Full Name), *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Alameda (Name of County*) *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or commutation.*

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Valerie Campbell
Applicant's Signature

July 25, 2015
Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Alameda County: Please take notice that I, Valarie Campbell,

was convicted of the crime of 187 - Count 1, 187 - Count 2 664, 187 - Count 3 664,

committed in Alameda County, California, on the date of 03/22/2001.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

☒ Pardon

☐ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number:* W 91013.

Valarie Campbell — 7/25/15

Applicant's Signature — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____, District Attorney of the County of _____,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Robert Crain

On July 17, 2005, Robert Crain drove Nathaniel Blanch and Lamar Elzy in a stolen car to a gang area. Mr. Blanch and Mr. Elzy were both armed and got out of the vehicle. Several nearby police officers heard two gunshots and saw Mr. Blanch and Mr. Elzy running away from where the shots were fired. All three individuals were arrested. Percy Lenle was hit in the head by one of the gunshots but survived. On December 13, 2007, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Crain to five years for attempted murder plus a 10-year gang enhancement – a total term of 15 years in prison.

On May 26, 2016, the Board of Parole Hearings held a parole consideration hearing for Mr. Crain, where he was found suitable for parole. During Mr. Crain's parole hearing, the Commissioners applauded him for his initiative in upgrading his education and participating in self-help. The Commissioners remarked how Mr. Crain "came in with nothing, and developed a support network." In speaking about Mr. Crain's insight into the crime they noted "it's obvious that you were – you are remorseful for what you did." In granting parole, the Commissioner told Mr. Crain he "did not pose an unreasonable risk of danger or threat to public safety." However, due to an error in the calculation of when Mr. Crain could have a parole hearing, his grant of parole was later rescinded.

Mr. Crain has been incarcerated for more than 12 years and is deeply remorseful for his participation in this crime. During that time, he renounced his gang affiliation and devoted his time and efforts to self-improvement. He told a Board of Parole Hearings investigator that prison "peeled away the things that were rotten about me and it nourished what I believe a man is supposed to be. It helped me develop character. It helped me develop abilities to cope with the negative stressors in my life. ... I did not have self-esteem and I did not have confidence, and it gave me both of those things." Mr. Crain earned his GED in 2006 and has participated in self-help programs including Substance Abuse, Anger Management, Victim Awareness, Breaking Barriers, and Criminal Thinking. He routinely received satisfactory to above average work ratings. Mr Crain has not been disciplined for a serious rule violation since 2011 and has completed several vocational training programs. A re-entry program has guaranteed resources for him including housing, therapy, and a scholarship to continue his education.

Mr. Crain committed a very serious crime, but he has shown a clear rejection of violence and gang activity for many years. In light of his age at the time of the crime, his positive conduct in prison, and the Board of Parole Hearings' determination that he would not pose any danger to the community if released, I see no reason to continue his incarceration.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute Robert Crain's sentence to a total of 12 years.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Com 2882-16

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

Office of the Governor
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN BLUE OR BLACK INK

I.
APPLICANT INFORMATION
To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
CRAIN	ROBERT	ELLIS

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]/1989	LOS ANGELES	[redacted]	G02705

Current Residence

Address	Apt, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
California Substance Abuse Treatment Facility & State Prison	P.O. BOX 5244

City	State	Zip Code
CORCORAN	CALIFORNIA.	93212

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

- ☐ Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01
- ☑ Commutation of current sentence
- ☐ Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☐ Compassionate Release
- ☐ Other

Why are you requesting clemency?

To achieve and continue to develope a more, powerfully meaningful, growth and maturity, free of the mentally and emotionally corrosive nature of a "negative" State Prison enviornment; according to a Board of Parole Hearing finding of suitability and subsequent granting of parole.

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? ☐ Yes ☑ No	
If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number:	
First and last name:	Telephone number:
Address:	

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? ☐ Yes ☑ No	
If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number:	
First and last name:	Telephone number:
Address:	

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE Complete this section if you are presently in prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.	
Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency:	
Your current physician's name:	Physician's telephone number:
Physician's address:	
Have you applied to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation or the Board of Parole Hearings for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
If yes, what was the result?	

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered **after** conviction and explain its importance.

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

Was this evidence presented at trial?

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

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The BOARD OF PAROLE HEARINGS (BPH) issued a rescission memo stating those facts supporting the action taken. My parole was rescinded, and I was informed that I would not be released to parole until my EPRD.

This clerical error initiated more than just an early hearing. It initiated the prospect of HOPE. NOT solely within myself, but in the community of people that I have been blessed to be surrounded by. Our hopes were affirmed when the process furthered and my suitability was found; I was deemed by prudent representatives of the State of California, to **NOT** represent a risk to the safty and security of the People of the State. Their core conclusions of law, as to the diminished culpability of a minor as compared to adults, and the minors inability to extract themselves from such negative enviornments; are still valid "in spirit". My work to make the core of myself better, so as to engender a a greater meaningful change towards a healthy MAN-HOOD, and responsibility are still my guiding moral. Even after the hope of seeing an "early" freedom was removed, due to an error made not of my own. Dispite the devistating affects (and effects) of the BPH's subsequent decision on my mental and emotional health - including those of the people who love and support me - there is an understanding and acceptance of the FACTS. I hope - WE HOPE - that you may, in your own prudent discretion; look to the "spirit" of the BPH's original decision, (dispite the fact of any such clerical error, and its implication) and find **as a matter of Executive clemency**, that my sentence be commuted to the BPH's action to release to parole immediately... Thank you.

Respectfully Submitted.

Executive Department
State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Emile DeWeaver

On March 20, 1998, 18-year-old Emile DeWeaver and Robert Evans got in a dispute over a street dice game. After Mr. DeWeaver demanded that Mr. Evans return winnings from the game at gunpoint, he went to a friend, Timothy Nash, who encouraged Mr. DeWeaver to kill Mr. Evans before Mr. Evans could retaliate. Mr. Nash and Mr. DeWeaver found Mr. Evans and shot him, killing him. Mr. DeWeaver then saw a witness, Valerie Jordan, and shot her twice. Ms. Jordan survived. On April 21, 2000, the Alameda County Superior Court sentenced Mr. DeWeaver to 67 years to life for first degree murder, attempted murder, and firearm and great bodily injury enhancements.

Mr. DeWeaver has been incarcerated for nearly 20 years, more than half of his life. Mr. DeWeaver has left violence behind and he has no history of gang activity in prison. Instead, Mr. DeWeaver has whole-heartedly sought to rehabilitate himself. He has earned an associate's degree, a certificate in paralegal studies, and he has dedicated himself to journalistic and artistic pursuits. Mr. DeWeaver contributes to San Quentin's "Ear Hustle" podcast and to San Quentin News, he is a published poet and author, and has participated in San Quentin Shakespeare productions. An executive producer with Audible praised Mr. DeWeaver's "emotional intelligence," and indicated that she would like to have the opportunity to hire him in the future. Mr. DeWeaver cofounded the non-profit organization Prison Renaissance, which uses the arts to strengthen community ties and increase public safety. He also serves as the Vice Chairman of KidCAT, an organization of youth offenders who work to advocate for criminal justice reform.

As a result of his efforts and accomplishments in prison, Mr. DeWeaver has earned the commendation and support of correctional staff and numerous members of the journalism and arts communities in the Bay Area. Lieutenant Sam Robinson, the Public Information Officer at San Quentin State Prison, supports commutation. He writes: "...in my assessment of Mr. DeWeaver, the man who committed those unfortunate crimes against his community is not the same man that is coming before you today. Mr. DeWeaver's life-walk is indicative of someone who has undergone a wholesale value and character change. He consistently demonstrates this new man, every day." Lieutenant Robinson goes on to say that Mr. DeWeaver is "a mature, level-headed, goal-oriented adult, who has educated and socialized himself to assimilate back into society. He is definitely a role-model for other incarcerated men and at-risk youth." A San Quentin correctional officer who has served for eight years also wrote supporting commutation: "I write in the strongest possible support of Mr. DeWeaver's application for commutation... Over the years, Mr. DeWeaver has shown himself to be a person committed to kindness, rehabilitation, and public safety... Mr. DeWeaver's record in prison demonstrates that he has left violence behind, and from what I've observed, Mr. DeWeaver is doing everything humanly possible to take responsibility for the life he took and the people he hurt." Another San Quentin correctional officer who has served for 16 years wrote, "A review of Mr. DeWeaver's prison record and accomplishments shows a consistent pattern of not just self-improvement but taking his moral gains realized and finding ways to invest them into his community... I support Mr. DeWeaver's application for commutation because I believe the community would be better served with Mr. DeWeaver's industry in it and because the community work [he will do] will be an extraordinary example of the value of second chances."

In his application for clemency, Mr. DeWeaver noted that "there is no excuse" for his crimes and that he is "deeply sorry." It is clear to me that Mr. DeWeaver has made a serious commitment to his rehabilitation and deserves an earlier opportunity to make his case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Emile DeWeaver to a total of 20 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Emile DeWeaver **Date of Birth:** [redacted]-79 **Inmate ID:** P-78987

Address: 1 Main St., San Quentin, CA 94974 **Facility:** San Quentin State Prison

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
187	3-20-1998	Alameda	25 Years to Life
12022.53 (b)	3-20-1998	Alameda	10 Years

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

On March 20, 1998, I argued with Mr. Robert Evans over a dice game. The argument culminated with me retrieving a gun and robbing Mr. Evans in front of his sister who sat in her car with her child in the back seat. Mr. Evans was understandably angry, and so as I left, he quoted a "street adage" about never pulling a gun on

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I'm requesting a commutation of my sentence for good behavior. I've served 20 years, and I've committed no violence in prison. Although I've committed no violence, I do have several disciplinary infractions. The reason is that although I resolved early in my term to become a moral person, and I had a strong desire to change, I lacked

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

It's safe to grant me a commutation because I've become a responsible citizen who won't committ more crimes. I won't committ more crimes because I'm not the angry youth I was when I committed my crimes. Not only have I matured, I've allowed upright

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney <u>before</u> submitting this application to the Governor's Office.

I, Emile DeWeaver *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)

have served the District Attorney of the County of Alameda *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)

commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Applicant's Signature — Date: 9-9-17

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California
County of MARIN
Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 9TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2017, by EMILE DEWEAVER, proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

Signature _____ (Seal)

TODD LEE WENDEROTH
Commission # 2102271
Notary Public - California
Marin County
My Comm. Expires Mar 6, 2019

Application for Commutation of Sentence

1. Conviction Summary, continued

12022.5	3-20-1998	Alameda	Stayed
187/664	3-20-1998	Alameda	7 Years
12022.53 (d)	3-20-1998	Alameda	25 Years to Life
12022.5	3-20-1998	Alameda	Stayed

2. Circumstances of Crime, continued

someone without using it. Guided by distorted views of masculinity, I took Mr. Evans' words as a challenge, and because onlookers heard him challenge me when I felt like I should be the person who had the power because I had the gun, I felt embarrassed. To distance myself from the feeling of embarrassment, I worked myself into a rage, convinced myself that Mr. Evans had threatened me, and recruited Timothy Nash and Jacob Bonales to help me murder Mr. Evans. Bonales drove us to Mr. Evans' residence where Mr. Nash and I shot Mr. Evans to death. As I fled the scene, I stopped and shot Ms. Valerie Jordan twice because she was a witness to my crime. She survived my attempt on her life.

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation, continued

most of the tools until I arrived at San Quentin State Prison. Before San Quentin's intensive rehabilitative atmosphere, I had identified goals related to non-violence, compassion, and education and channeled my energy into improvement. However, without an understanding of why I felt things like abandonment, shame, and anger or why I made bad decisions, I struggled to remain disciplinary free. For instance, I didn't understand why I continued to relapse in my struggle with addiction. ~~I didn't understand why I continued to relapse in my struggle with addiction~~. I didn't understand that when I quit marijuana for seven years but became addicted to cell phone use, I was suffering from cross-addiction. Because I used drugs so infrequently, I didn't realize I had an addiction problem until my last rules violation

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3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation, continued

report on 4-16-14 for refusing to take a urinalysis because I'd abused marijuana. Subsequently, I graduated from two addiction recovery programs where I learned the tools to remains sober.

Despite my setbacks, I've worked to become a productive member of society. I co-founded Prison Renaissance, a nonprofit organization dedicated to using the arts to build empathy and strengthen community ties in order to increase public safety. I'm the contributing editor of Easy Street Magazine. I'm a professional writer with over 20 essays, short stories, and poems published in literary magazines. Several of my works are taught in universities (to over 430 students in 2017). In addition, I have over 30 articles and op-eds published in newspapers, and I'm an executive member of the Society of Professional Journalists. I obtained an AA Degree in General Studies in 2017, and I graduated from Blackstone Career Institute as a paralegal in 2004. I've been participating in rehabilitation programs for 15 years -- although due to lack of program accessibility, the majority of the time I've spent in rehabilitative programs has occurred in the past five years. In these programs, I traced my formal criminal thinking to distorted needs for "masculine" power, acceptance, and esteem. I discovered that my distorted views and habitual overreactions evolved from trauma I experienced when I was three-years-old. My house was broken by intense domestic violence, and during one incident my mother used me as a human shield. I carried the fear from that moment with me through childhood, but in my household, "men" weren't allowed to be afraid. So with fear came a lot of shame. My mother ran away from my father, fearing for her life, and I internalized this as abandonment. Fear of abandonment brought more shame and feelings of inadequacy that I internalized as ~~me~~ not being manly enough. I discovered in a frustrated outburst that rage "empowered" me to behave violently which fit my distorted idea of masculinity. I, of course, was not empowered. My reliance on rage to avoid feeling vulnerable was selfish, self-defeating, and dangerous; but rage became my habitual reaction to powerlessness, shame, and embarrassment. Although I was in denial about it, I directed much of my rage at my father because he beat me and because I felt like I didn't measure up to his standards. I grew to hate my father and myself. I had a hard time

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3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation, continued

reconciling my hate and love for him, and I had a hard time reconciling my hate for myself with his, or anyone's, love for me. Amidst this confusion, I rejected my father and his values and joined a street gang. I created a gangster personae for myself, believeing that would make me tougher than my father. My street gang accepted me, but a part of me understood that they accepted an image I'd created. I knew they would reject me in the same way I'd convinced ~~myself~~ myself that my father and mother had rejected me if my gang saw through my image. I clung to that image, doing horrible things to maintain it, until I felt hollowed out by my crimes. Eventually, the image felt like all I had in the world, and losing it became unthinkable. Maintaining the image became a selfish pathology that destroyed my community, cost a man his life, and almost cost a woman hers.

None of this is an excuse for my crimes. There is no escuse for killing Mr. Evans and shooting Ms. Jordan because I chose not to face my character flaws. I'm deeply sorry for murdering Mr. Evans. I'm deeply sorry for trying to murder Ms. Jordan. I'm also sorry for hurting my community and being a cancerous role model that lured the next generation of confused youth in my footsteps.

I can't ameliorate the damage to people's lives I've caused, but I've committed my life to being a postive role model that guides people to better lives. In service to this committment, I've taught other incarcerated people both in rehabilitative programs and in my personal life. In addition, I've been actively involved in community service for four years. My service includes San Quentin News Forums where I worked with District Attorneys to build bridges between urban communities and law enforcement. I was also Vice Chairman of Kid CAT, a volunteer group of men who came to prison as teens and are dedicated to restoring the communities they once harmed.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation, cont.

and honest people to teach me how to identify and remedy the character defects that let me hurt people. I'm confident that I won't committ another crime because (1) I have a strong desire and the tools to be a productive citizen, (2) I'm deeply aware of the causes of criminal behavior, and (3) I've consistently employed the psychological and social tools to neutralize these causes. For example, I used to

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4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation, cont.

hang out with gangs becasue I sought validation from destructive people. Today, I seek validation in understanding who I want to be (a model of compassion whose mission is to confirm the dignity of the people I meet) and measuring that against my daily actions. I've found validation in academic circles that value my intelligence, in literary circles that value my writing, and in friends who value my open, honest heart.

It's safe to grant me a commutation because I understand my triggers that in the past led to violence and I've developed healthy, nonviolent responses to my triggers. **Failure, feeling like someone has taken something from me,** and **perceived threats to my image** are my biggest triggers. I know when I'm triggered because I experience tingling across my skin and I become hyper aware of people looking at me and what they might be thinking. When I begin to get angry, I have difficulty breathing, I get an intensely closed feeling in my body, and I become hyper focused on my object of irritation. I practice a number of strategies to break the causative chains that escalate anger. I draw my shoulders back to recover a sense of openness in my body and engage in meditative breathing. I also engage in positive self-talk. For example, when I imagine people are thinking negative things about me, I acknowledge that people are just as likely thinking things that aren't negative. To underscore this fact, I imagine three positive things they could be thinking and three positive things I should be thinking. When my body practices and self-talk aren't enough, I contact a friend and express whatever shame, hurt, or anger I'm feeling. If I can't reach a friend, I engage in healthy activities that help me feel empowered like writing or community service and later attempt again to contact a friend.

It's safe to grant me a commutation because I'm deeply sorry for murdering Mr. Robert Evans. I took him from his family. I was a sore loser who made up a reason to blame Mr. Evans because I couldn't win a dice game. He didn't deserve that, and I'm sorry. I took Mr. Evans from his two daughters when they were very young. Being young, they might not have understood that it was only my fault that their father was gone. I imagine they felt abandoned. Feelings of abandonment can

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4. Provide a brief summary explaining why you should be granted a commutation, cont.

have a huge negative impact on people's lives, and I understand how dangerous a life position in which I put Mr. Evans' daughters. For the rest of my life, I will wake up wishing I could take back what I did.

I'm also deeply sorry for attempting to murder Ms. Valerie Jordan. I took her right to feel safe, and I'm sorry. To love someone is to feel their pain, so when I shot Ms. Jordan, I also shot her friends and family. I took their rights to feel safe. I will spend the rest of my life working to make communities safer, working to ~~restire~~ restore people's sense of safety.

Another reason it's safe to grant me a commutation is because I'm prepared to succeed in society. I have offers for jobs, and I've already secured professional help that will assist me in securing transitional housing. In addition, I have friends and family who are willing to let me live with them. As you'll see from from letters of support from Ellen Horne, Dr. Donna L. Roberts, and Stephen Parrish; I'm already working for both Amazon Audible and Easy Street Magazine. My letter of support from comedian and friend Mike Larsen attests to his willingness to hire me. I'm also a freelance journalist and literary writer with strong ties to NBC, Snap Judgement, and Life of the Law.

In addition, as both the co-founder of Prison Renaissance and a person with grant writing experience, I'll be able to employ myself as Prison Renaissance's Executive Director. As an alternative employment plan, I've secured the services of an Impact Coach at Rubicon Programs who will not only help me secure housing, but he will help me ~~sucure~~ secure employment. HIs name is Eric Faulks (ericf@rubicon prgrams.org, Rubicon Programs, 101 Broadway, Richmond, CA). Finally, my friend Camille Griep (phone: 425-673-7799) has agreed to supply financial assistance upon request, and I have a support network which includes the Ella Baker Center for Human Rights who will help with my reentry.

I believe granting me a commutation will benefit communities struggling through cycles of violence ~~becasue~~ because I've dedicated my life to ending such cycles. I've survived these cycles, and with my survival came a survivor's tools: empathy, insight,

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4. Provide a brief summary explaining why you should be granted a commutation, cont.

and the passion to shape the world into a place where others don't suffer from cycles of violence. I'm convinced these tools are teachable. I've dedicated my life to giving these tools to others. I co-founded Prison Renaissance to spread these tools. I want to return to society and spread these tools to failing schools. I want to use the empathy I've developed to connect with the gang member on the corner and the insight to transform the gang member into a survivor with a passion to match mine.

I know that none of this has earned me a second chance. But I would be eternally grateful for one.

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Alameda County: Please take notice that I, Emile DeWeaver,

was convicted of the crime of Murder and Attempted Murder,

committed in Alameda County, California, on the date of ~~3-20-17~~ 2-15-00

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

Applicant's Signature 9-9-17 Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, David Cook for the, District Attorney of the County of Alameda,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Emile DeWeaver,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed

Date 9-26-17

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Candace Lee Fox

In 1984, Lewis Levy owed Janet Meyer money for sexual services. Wanting to collect the money she was owed, Ms. Meyer, along with Candace Fox and Scott Peters, drove to Mr. Levy's home. They watched television and drank together for some time, then the group held Mr. Levy at gunpoint and took his wallet and traveler's checks. Mr. Peters pistol-whipped Mr. Levy, and Ms. Meyer decided that she would not leave the apartment until Mr. Levy was dead. She stabbed him many times with a knife and Mr. Peters and Ms. Meyer tried to strangle Mr. Levy. At one point, Ms. Fox used a beer bottle to hit him over the head. Mr. Levy ultimately died from his injuries.

Ms. Fox was arrested a day after the crime. She agreed to plead guilty to second degree murder in exchange for her testimony against Mr. Peters. She testified for hours against Mr. Peters and was sentenced to 15 years to life. At her sentencing hearing, the prosecutor told Ms. Fox that she would be eligible for parole in 7½ years. However, after serving approximately five years in prison, Ms. Fox learned that she would not be eligible for a parole hearing for 10 years and that she would be on lifetime parole. Because Ms. Fox had agreed to contradictory terms as part of her plea agreement, the court issued an order in 1989 allowing her to withdraw her plea and get a new trial. Despite these circumstances – Ms. Fox's limited role in the crime, the prosecutor's initial promise that she could be released in 7½ years, and her testimony that resulted in the conviction of Mr. Peters for second degree murder – the Los Angeles District Attorney's Office decided to pursue first degree murder charges against Ms. Fox. On May 29, 1992, Ms. Fox was sentenced to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder and first degree burglary, with the special circumstance that the murder was committed during the course of the burglary.

I note that the Los Angeles District Attorney's office maintains that Ms. Fox "has not paid her debt to society." Others disagree. A correctional officer called her a "model inmate" and wrote, "I believe Inmate Fox has paid her debt to society and is ready for life after the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. Inmate Fox would be a welcomed asset back to her family and her community." The officer continued, "I don't perceive Inmate Fox to be a threat or menace to society-at-large. I fully and whole-heartedly believe with no reservations that Inmate Fox is 100% suitable for parole and ready for release at the earliest possible date." A former deputy district attorney who worked on one of Ms. Fox's cases supports clemency because she remains troubled by the outcome of the case. She wrote, "Fox has been on a very torturous journey through the legal system. ... Clemency is the power to provide a more balanced outcome to those who warrant it. I believe Ms. Fox's case falls squarely within that realm where justice truly demands clemency." Similarly, a Los Angeles County Superior Court judge wrote a thoughtful letter noting Ms. Fox's "long and twisted" journey through the criminal justice system, remarking on the "gross disparity in the sentences imposed on the perpetrators," and concluding that "the interests of justice favor the granting of executive clemency."

In August 2016, the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals denied Ms. Fox's habeas corpus petition. However, each of the three judges on the panel expressed concern about the justice of this outcome. Judge Smith wrote, "the circumstances of this case are unfortunate." He continued, "The others convicted of the offense for which Fox is serving a life sentenced [sic] received lesser terms, and she kept her promise of cooperation to the State." Judge Hurwitz concurred in the decision, noting, "having had a hand in producing an outcome that disfavored the one defendant who cooperated with the prosecution, the State could remedy this situation either through clemency or by once again offering Fox the chance to plead guilty to second-degree murder." Judge Reinhardt dissented from his colleagues and wrote, "If the State had kept its word, Fox would have been released from prison over two decades ago. Instead, because the State brazenly broke its promise to her and lied about it to the courts, Fox will now likely spend the rest of her life in prison, unless the governor commutes her sentence."

It is clear that Ms. Fox's crime partners were primarily responsible for the murder of Mr. Levy. Mr. Peters remains in prison, but has had many opportunities to appear before the parole board. Ms. Meyer was first eligible for parole in 1995, and in 2011, the Los Angeles District Attorney's office recommended parole for Ms. Meyer. The Board of Parole Hearings agreed and released her from prison. Ms. Fox helped prosecutors obtain these convictions and has now been incarcerated for more than 33 years. Justice is not served by continuing to deny her the opportunity she was promised decades ago – the chance to show that she is worthy of release.

For all of the foregoing reasons, I conclude that it is appropriate to mitigate her sentence so that she can appear before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can determine whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Candace Lee Fox to a total of 15 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. **If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Candace Lee Fox **Date of Birth:** [redacted]1960 **Inmate ID:** W21134

Address: CCWF 506-14-1L, PO Box 1508, Chowchilla, CA 93610 **Facility:** CCWF

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Cal. Penal Code §§ 187(a), 459, 190.2(a)(17),	June 14, 1984,	LA County,	Life Without Parole.

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Exhibit 2 at pages 6-8 (attached)

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

My personal statement is attached as Exhibit 1, along with a letter from counsel and further exhibits.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

Also attached as Exhibit 1, along with a letter from counsel and further exhibits.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

None.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office.

I, Candace Lee Fox *, declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

/s Candace Lee Fox — August 11, 2017
Applicant's Signature — Date

Michael Parente
Deputy Federal Public Defender

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

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Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr.
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA. 95814

Dear Governor Brown,

Good day Sir. I would like to first introduce myself, my name is Candace Fox, W21134. I have been incarcerated since June 1984, (33 yrs, 1 mo.), convicted of 1st. degree murder under the felony murder rule.

I'm writing this letter asking you to please grant me a chance of going to the the Parole Board and showing that I have worked hard for 33 yrs in prison to serve my community, better myself by taking many self help groups, gaining insight into the crime and my own personal responsibility for what happened to Mr. Lewis Levy.

It is important to me to emphasize my deepest regret and continual remorse for the death of Mr. Levy. I think about the victim and his family almost everyday. My soul is tortured by the memory of those events and I will always be, no matter where I am. I still to this day cry over what happened to Lewis Levy, his family and my family. This tragedy was a disease that continues to affect many people, and has changed so many lives. I'm sure this has been said by many in prison, but I wish I could turn back time and done things differently.

I really can't make amends for the loss of his life and all the people I have hurt, but I want you to know I am profoundly sorry. My only way of trying to make amends in some way was to work hard in prison for the authorities, as well as helping my peers, and to grow in every way, including spiritually.

I earned my G.E.D. in the early 1980's, attended college classes given by the University of LaVerne, continued with Coastline Community College and obtained my Associate's Degree in Behavioral and Social Sciences with high grades, I was certified as a tutor for adult education by the Literacy Volunteers of America, I've been certified by the State of Calif. to educate my peers in HIV/AILS and communicable diseases and did all of the above. I also took approx. 3 yrs. of American Sign Language through an accredited missionary college to interpret for the Deaf community in and out of prison, I interpreted at worship services and on the yards. I've taken Hazardous Material Classes, Janitorial Services, Word Processing, and am approximately 20-30 units into my Bachelor's degree. I have also served on the Women's Advisory Council for many years, was educated by the Mental Health Dept. to be a peer counselor to the CCCMS inmates where we counseled them and conducted self-help groups for them. I was also a member of Victim's Services, Breaking Barriers, and Served in the Long Termer's Organization [illegible].
I have always tried to better myself and my community knowing that it would never be acknowledged by the Board, but would be by my God and the people I helped.

My daughter had just turned 6 and my son 4 yrs. old when this happened, they are now 39 and 37, respectively. My daughter Danielle is a single mother of my beautiful grandbaby Isabella, 2 yrs. old, and my son and his wife have two beautiful children, Ire and Hailey.

I am humbly asking you for a commutation/clemency after 33 years knowing that I can be a worthy member of society and be a mother and Grandmother to my children. I was 23 when I came to prison, and now am almost 57 yrs old. I suffer from severe pain due to a debilitating spinal disease and have been medically disabled for 13 yrs. My condition is degerative in nature and I want to be of service to my family while I'm relatively capable. My daughter and grandbaby could use my help.

I am a Christian and our belief is based upon love, forgiveness and grace, but I must confess I don't believe I will ever forgive myself for the people I hurt, but I come before you to ask for mercy.

Respectfully,

Candace Fox

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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

CANDACE L. FOX, *Petitioner-Appellant*, v. DEBORAH K. JOHNSON, *Respondent-Appellee.*	No. 13-56704 D.C. No. 2:04-cv-06933-AG-SS OPINION

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Central District of California
Andrew J. Guilford, District Judge, Presiding

Argued March 5, 2015
Submitted August 1, 2016
Pasadena, California

Filed August 8, 2016

Before: Stephen Reinhardt, N. Randy Smith,
and Andrew D. Hurwitz, Circuit Judges.

Opinion by Judge N.R. Smith;
Concurrence by Judge Hurwitz;
Dissent by Judge Reinhardt

SUMMARY*

Habeas Corpus

The panel affirmed the district court's denial of a California state prisoner's habeas corpus petition challenging her conviction for first-degree murder and first-degree burglary.

The petitioner pleaded guilty to second-degree murder and, pursuant to a plea agreement, was sentenced to fifteen years to life imprisonment. She later successfully petitioned to withdraw her guilty plea after establishing that the sentencing court failed to inform her that she would receive a mandatory term of lifetime parole as a direct consequence of her plea. At her subsequent trial, she was convicted of first-degree murder and first-degree burglary and was sentenced to life imprisonment without the possibility of parole.

In her federal habeas petition, the petitioner sought specific performance of an alleged plea agreement in which the state promised her a term of imprisonment no greater than seven and one-half years in exchange of her plea. The panel held that because the petitioner chose in the state habeas proceedings to seek vacation of her conviction, rather than specific performance of the purported plea agreement, she had no due process right to specific performance of the rescinded agreement.

* This summary constitutes no part of the opinion of the court. It has been prepared by court staff for the convenience of the reader.

Concurring, Judge Hurwitz wrote that the case was troubling and that, having had a hand in producing an outcome that disfavored the one defendant who cooperated with the prosecution, the state could remedy the situation either through clemency or by once again offering the petitioner the chance to plead guilty to second-degree murder.

Dissenting, Judge Reinhardt wrote that the proceeding was fundamentally unfair, and due process required specific performance of the plea agreement and vacation of the petitioner's unconstitutional sentence of life without the possibility of parole.

COUNSEL

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David Wildman (argued) and Jason Tran, Deputy Attorneys General; Lance E. Winters, Senior Assistant Attorney General; Kamala D. Harris, Attorney General; Office of the Attorney General, Los Angeles, California; for Respondent-Appellee.

OPINION

N.R. SMITH, Circuit Judge:

Candace Lee Fox pleaded guilty to second-degree murder in 1984 in California Superior Court and, pursuant to a plea agreement, was sentenced to a term of imprisonment of fifteen years to life. Approximately five years later, Fox successfully petitioned to withdraw her guilty plea after establishing that the sentencing court failed to inform her that she would receive a mandatory term of lifetime parole as a direct consequence of her plea. At her subsequent trial, Fox was convicted of first-degree murder, first-degree burglary, and the special circumstance that the murder was committed in the course of a burglary. She was sentenced to life imprisonment without the possibility of parole. In this 28U.S.C. § 2254 habeas proceeding, Fox now argues that the State originally promised her a term of imprisonment no greater than seven and one-half years in exchange for her plea, and asks for specific performance of that purported agreement.

We refuse Fox's request and affirm the district court, because Fox chose in the state habeas proceedings to seek vacation of her conviction, rather than specific performance of the purported plea agreement. She therefore has no due process right to specific performance of the rescinded agreement.

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

In June 1984, Fox, Janet Meyer, Scott Peters, and Eddie Rangel drove to Lewis Levy's apartment to collect $100 that Levy allegedly owed Meyer for sexual services. Meyer told

the others that Levy had $20,000 to $30,000 in travelers checks in his apartment. The group forced their way into the apartment and held Levy at gunpoint while they searched for cash and travelers checks. After they found Levy's wallet and $20,000 in travelers checks, Meyer and Rangel departed to purchase cocaine, leaving Fox and Peters with Levy.

Levy took this opportunity to run for the door. Peters struck Levy over the head with the barrel of his revolver until the handle broke. Peters then attempted to shoot Levy, but his gun jammed. Fox handed Peters a large steak knife from Levy's kitchen. Peters attempted to stab Levy twice, but the blade bent and did not penetrate. At that point, Levy fell to the ground nearly unconscious. When Meyer and Rangel returned with the cocaine, Levy remained semiconscious on the ground. After Rangel left, Peters explained to Meyer that Levy had tried to escape.

After Fox, Peters, and Meyer used the cocaine, Meyer stated that she was not leaving the apartment until Levy was dead. Meyer took a Swiss Army knife from her pocket and repeatedly stabbed Levy. Fox struck Levy over the head with a beer bottle, and Peters attempted to strangle Levy with a phone cord. Nonetheless, Levy was still alive. Peters then left the apartment and waited in Fox's car. Twenty minutes later, Fox and Meyer left the house with two shopping bags containing the gun and knives used in the attack. They told Peters that Levy was dead.

The next day, the group cashed several of Levy's travelers checks and purchased drugs. The following morning, Meyer's roommate called the police after overhearing an argument between Meyer and Fox about the murder. The police questioned Meyer, who disclosed the location of Levy's

body. After further investigation, the police arrested Fox, Meyer, and Peters.

PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

A. Fox's Guilty Plea and Sentence

Fox, Meyer, and Peters were charged with first-degree murder, first-degree burglary and robbery, and the special circumstances of (a) murder during the commission of a robbery and burglary and (b) use of a deadly weapon in the murder, making them eligible for the death penalty. Fox agreed to plead guilty to second-degree murder[1] in exchange for testifying against Peters.[2]

The plea agreement was not reduced to writing. Fox argues that she was promised she "would be paroled after serving 7.5 years with good behavior." The State contends that Fox was promised she would be sentenced to fifteen years to life in prison, but would be eligible for parole consideration after seven and one-half years. Fox's change of plea hearing on November 6, 1984, supports the State's contention:

> PROSECUTOR: By way of sentence . . . you're going to receive as we discussed,

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[1] When Fox pleaded guilty, second-degree murder in California was subject to a mandatory minimum of fifteen years to life. Cal. Penal Code § 190(a).

[2] On November 9, 1984, Fox testified for nearly five hours at Peters's preliminary hearing. Peters later pleaded guilty to second-degree murder. Meyer also pleaded guilty to second-degree murder.

> you're going to receive 15 years to life on this case. Do you understand that?
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> FOX: Yes.
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> PROSECUTOR: That is the sentence for second degree murder. There are no enhancements. It's a straight second degree and you're going to receive a sentence from [the court] of 15 years to life.
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> FOX: Yes.
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> PROSECUTOR: And do you understand that it's up to you how much time you will do. It's indeterminate. We can make no promises or representations on what the Board of Prison Terms will or will not do or when they will release you. There is a life-time top. Do you understand that?
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> FOX: Yes.

After being so advised, Fox pleaded guilty. The court accepted her plea as knowing and voluntary. There is thus no contest that Fox agreed to a sentence of fifteen years to life. But, Fox was not advised during the plea colloquy that she also faced a lifetime term of parole when released.

At the sentencing hearing, Fox's counsel asked for a continuance to amend the probation report. The court responded: "I don't understand exactly what you're doing here, Mr. Ficht. She is going to receive a sentence of fifteen to life, is that correct? Fifteen to life, and that's going to be

her sentence." In response, Ficht stated that Fox's probation report was "the most outrageous document I've seen." The court told Ficht to "file an amendment. She's going to be there for quite awhile. I don't understand what the difference is. She should get going. She's losing time." Any parole consideration was only discussed during the following exchange:

> FICHT: Also, if I may, for the record, Your Honor, I believe the People have indicated as part of the plea bargain that [Fox would] be looking at obtaining probation parole, excuse me, in seven and a half years. Is that correct, [prosecutor]?
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> PROSECUTOR: That's correct.
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> TRIAL COURT: All right. Understand that?

Fox now argues that this exchange "modified the plea agreement" to require that she be paroled after seven and one-half years in prison. However, neither the parties nor the court acknowledged any modification of the plea agreement at the hearing. Following the exchange between Ficht and the prosecutor, the court sentenced Fox to fifteen years to life in state prison without any reference to parole eligibility or release on parole, stating: "All right. Miss Fox, the court has read and considered the probation report. Probation is denied. You are sentenced to the state prison for the term prescribed by law, which in this case is fifteen years to life." Fox did not object.

B. Post-Conviction Proceedings

On July 1, 1986, Fox filed her first petition for a writ of habeas corpus in state Superior Court. Rather than seeking specific performance of the alleged plea agreement, Fox instead sought to withdraw her plea of guilty on two grounds.

First, Fox alleged that, when she entered her plea, she "did not understand that her term could exceed seven and one-half years even if her prison behavior were good." Instead, Fox claimed that she believed that she was "*entitled* to release after seven and one-half years, provided that she behaved properly in state prison." Fox acknowledged that such a belief was contrary to California law, because a petitioner "is not *entitled* to release after serving the minimum period of incarceration." Fox also acknowledged that "no firm promise . . . was given [to her] before her actual sentencing" as to eligibility for parole in seven and one-half years. However, Fox maintained (citing the portion of the sentencing proceedings excerpted above) that the "the parties understood that if [Fox] was cooperative and fully truthful in her testimony, she would be eligible for parole after 7 1/2 years . . . and in fact would receive parole if she behaved herself in state prison." Fox also argued that, before entering her plea, she "was not advised of the mandatory post-incarceration parole term." Fox asserted that, had "she known the full consequences of her guilty plea, she would not have pled guilty."

Second, Fox asserted that she had received ineffective assistance of counsel during the plea process and that she was

"not in fact guilty of second degree murder."[3] Fox argued that her previous attorney "erroneously" told her that, if she went to trial, she could not use a defense of duress; her new counsel, on the other hand, assured her that she "had a good defense of duress." Fox argued that her former attorney failed to "comprehend and/or advise her of the defenses available" and that she entered her plea after "rel[ying] upon [such] erroneous legal advice." The Superior Court denied this first habeas petition, citing the guilty plea transcript.

On August 26, 1986, Fox filed a second petition in the Court of Appeal, alleging "that her sentencing was unlawful and the matter should be remanded for resentencing." In this petition, Fox repeatedly insisted that she sought "withdrawal [of] her plea of guilty," making the same arguments as those in her Superior Court petition. On September 4, 1986, the Court of Appeal denied the petition as not ripe, because Fox had not yet served seven and one-half years in prison.

On January 24, 1989, after serving just over four and one-half years in prison, Fox filed a third habeas petition in the state Superior Court. The arguments echoed those in her previous petitions. Fox asked to withdraw her guilty plea, asserting that it was not voluntary and that her counsel was ineffective. Fox also argued that (1) newly discovered evidence exonerated her of the murder;[4] (2) defense counsel

[3] The dissent states that Fox "never seriously denied her guilt." Dissent 60. However, Fox specifically claimed in her first habeas petition that "she [was] not in fact guilty of [the] offense and was unaware of [the defense of duress] at the time she entered her plea."

[4] Fox also alleged that she received letters from Peters, in which he took full responsibility for the murder.

failed to throughly investigate and advise her regarding a viable duress defense; (3) she was not advised of a mandatory parole term after incarceration and "would not have entered a guilty plea if she had known of this lifetime parole"; and (4) she did not understand that her period of confinement would exceed seven and one-half years with good prison behavior. Importantly, this petition again did not seek specific performance of the alleged plea agreement. On October 13, 1989, the Superior Court granted the habeas petition, setting aside Fox's conviction and granting her a new trial on the basis that she had not been informed before entering the plea that she faced lifetime parole. The court did not address Fox's other arguments.

On November 26, 1990, shortly before the new trial was to begin, Fox filed a motion seeking, for the first time, to enforce the previous plea agreement as she understood it that is, assuring release after seven and one-half years or, in the alternative, preventing the State from seeking more than a second-degree murder conviction at trial. The State argued that, because Fox had successfully withdrawn her plea of guilty, there was no plea agreement to enforce. The Superior Court denied "specific performance of the original case settlement."

Fox was tried on the original charges of first-degree murder, first-degree burglary, and the special circumstance that the murder was committed in the course of a burglary. On January 28, 1992, the jury returned guilty verdicts on all charges. On May 13, 1992, Fox again requested that the court order specific performance of her prior plea bargain, arguing she was entitled to eligibility for parole in seven and one-half years. On May 29, 1992, the court denied the motion and

sentenced Fox to life imprisonment without the possibility of parole.

Fox appealed, asserting, among other things, that "the trial court erred in denying appellant's motions for specific performance of her plea bargain," citing *Santobello v. New York*, 404 U.S. 257 (1971), for the proposition that specific performance is a remedy for breach of a plea agreement.[5] On March 30, 1994, the California Court of Appeal affirmed Fox's conviction. The court concluded that Fox was not entitled to specific performance of her plea bargain, stating that:

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[5] The dissent states that the State changed its position at this point and "admitted for the first time that, pursuant to the plea agreement, Fox was to serve 'about 7 1/2 years.'" Dissent 36. We disagree with this characterization of the State's argument.

From the beginning, the State has maintained that the parties bargained for a sentence of fifteen years to life for second-degree murder. The State has conceded that, pursuant to the plea agreement, Fox would be *eligible* for parole after seven and one-half years, though the only evidence in the record of such a promise was the exchange between Fox's counsel and the prosecutor at the sentencing hearing. The State has also argued that, notwithstanding such a promise, the minimum parole eligibility under California case law for Fox's sentence was ten years, and thus a promise of eligibility before that time would have been unenforceable.

Before the California Court of Appeal, the State argued that the plea agreement was no longer enforceable because Fox had withdrawn her plea. The statement in the State's brief that, "pursuant to the plea agreement, [Fox] would serve about 7 1/2 years" was not, as the dissent puts it, evidence that the State had previously lied, but rather a shorthand version of the plea agreement between the parties. The California Court of Appeal then based its decision on the State's statement in its brief.

> When Fox pled guilty in 1984, she got what she bargained for, a sentence of 15 years to life, with a promise of parole in seven and one-half years. Five years into her sentence (with only two and one-half years to go), Fox decided she didn't like the deal she'd made, petitioned for a writ of habeas corpus and succeeded in having her plea set aside, on the ground she had not been fully advised of the consequences of her guilty plea (her alternative ground of duress was rejected). She clearly felt very strongly that the obligation of a lifetime on parole was not something she could accept . . . . She got exactly what she asked for her plea was set aside and the People were required to prove the charges against her.[6]

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[6] The Court of Appeal acknowledged "the inevitability of a habeas petition attacking the competency of the attorney who filed the petition to set aside Fox's guilty plea." However, it noted that such a claim would necessarily require "an evidentiary hearing to determine what Fox's attorneys told her at the time the decision was made to attack the guilty plea [given that she had already served over four years of her sentence]." Thus, such a "petition should be addressed to the trial court, not to us."

The Court of Appeal concluded that Fox received "a sentence of 15 years to life, with a promise of parole in seven and one-half years," and thus "got what she bargained for." However, as Fox acknowledged in her first habeas petition, she was not entitled to parole after seven and one-half years under her original sentence. This error is not consequential, because the Court of Appeal's ultimate conclusion—that Fox "got exactly what she asked for" when her habeas petition was granted and the original conviction set aside—is correct.

Fox then filed a petition for review in the California Supreme Court, which was summarily denied on June 30, 1994.

On April 22, 1997, Fox filed a new habeas petition in the Superior Court, which was denied on May 14, 1997. Fox filed another habeas petition in the Court of Appeal on April 23, 1998. On July 24, 1998, that court remanded for an evidentiary hearing on whether Fox received ineffective assistance of counsel in connection with the habeas petition that resulted in her guilty plea being withdrawn. The Superior Court "cabined" its inquiry to the question of whether counsel had advised Fox that, if she successfully withdrew her plea, she could face a new trial and a longer sentence, including a potential life sentence without the possibility of parole. During the two-day hearing, Fox's habeas counsel, Rowan Klein, testified that he had advised Fox that, if her habeas petition were granted, she would go back to square one and face the possibility of a sentence of life without parole. When asked if he considered seeking specific enforcement of the original plea bargain prior to seeking to withdraw the plea, Klein responded,

> I'm sure I did but . . . [the reference to obtaining parole in seven and a half years wasn't] a plea bargain because it's an attorney uttering incompetent words at the time of sentencing. It's not something that is legally binding on The Court or the District Attorney, unfortunately. I mean, you can try and turn it into that through alliance and whatever, but, legally, it probably isn't the strongest argument. And that's why I sought relief on the stronger argument, which was the failure to advise her of the parole consequences. . . .

> My assessment was that the comments of Bruce Ficht [Fox's counsel at sentencing] are . . . an indication that he didn't know what he was taking about . . . with respect to the meaning of a 15-to-life sentence. To me, a plea bargain is when the parties may have a discussion at the time of the plea, not when an attorney makes a gratuitous comment at the time of sentencing.

The Superior Court denied Fox's petition, finding that she had been advised prior to the 1989 grant of habeas "of all the possible ramifications that were legally available, including and it may even have been the death penalty but certainly the option of life without the possibility of parole; that she'd go back to square one."

On February 9, 2001, Fox filed a new habeas petition in the California Court of Appeal, which was denied without explanation or citation to authority on August 15, 2001. On November 24, 2003, Fox filed a habeas petition in the California Supreme Court, which was denied on July 14, 2004, in an order stating: "Petition for writ of habeas corpus is DENIED. (*See In re Robbins* (1998) 18 Cal.4th 770, 780.)."

Fox filed a pro se 28 U.S.C. § 2254 habeas petition in the district court on August 13, 2004, claiming that the state courts denied her due process rights by failing to specifically enforce her 1984 plea agreement. A magistrate judge ultimately recommended denying the petition, noting that Fox had "successfully moved to withdraw her guilty plea before she was eligible for release on parole; therefore, the State could not have actually breached the parole agreement in the manner petitioner claims." The district court adopted the

report and recommendation, denied the petition, and issued a certificate of appealability on the question of the specific performance of Fox's 1984 plea agreement. This appeal timely followed.

STANDARD OF REVIEW

The district court's denial of a petition for a writ of habeas corpus is reviewed de novo. *Jones v. Taylor*, 763 F.3d 1242, 1245 (9th Cir. 2014). "[A] federal district court's findings and its adoption of the findings of a federal magistrate judge are reviewed under the clearly erroneous standard." *Sanders v. Ratelle*, 21 F.3d 1446, 1452 (9th Cir. 1994).

Under the Anti-Terrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act ("AEDPA"), a federal court may not grant a habeas petition filed by a person in state custody:

> with respect to any claim that was adjudicated on the merits in state court proceedings unless the adjudication of the claim (1) resulted in a decision that was contrary to, or involved an unreasonable application of, clearly established Federal law, as determined by the Supreme Court of the United States; or (2) resulted in a decision that was based on an unreasonable determination of the facts in light of the evidence presented in the State court proceeding.

28 U.S.C. § 2254(d). However, where "no state court has adjudicated [the] claim on the merits, and the state has established no procedural bar to its consideration, the

strictures of 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d) do not apply, and our review is *de novo*." *Riley v. McDaniel*, 786 F.3d 719, 723 (9th Cir. 2015); *see also Chaker v. Crogan*, 428 F.3d 1215, 1221 (9th Cir. 2005) (applying de novo standard of review to a claim in a habeas petition that was not adjudicated on the merits by the state court); *Lewis v. Mayle*, 391 F.3d 989, 996 (9th Cir. 2004) (same).

AEDPA applies "to a single state court decision, not to some amalgamation of multiple state court decisions." *Barker v. Fleming*, 423 F.3d 1085, 1093 (9th Cir. 2005). "When more than one state court has adjudicated a claim, we analyze the last reasoned decision." *Id.* at 1091 (citing *Ylst v. Nunnemaker*, 501 U.S. 797, 803 04 (1991)). Under *Ylst*, we only look through the last state court decision to a prior decision on the merits if the last decision is unreasoned, that is, if the decision "does not disclose the reason for the judgment." 501 U.S. at 802; *see also Castellanos v. Small*, 766 F.3d 1137, 1145 (9th Cir. 2014) ("[A] state supreme court's summary denial of discretionary review, which generally does not state a reason for that denial, is not a 'reasoned' decision under AEDPA, and we must 'look through' that unexplained decision to the last court to have provided a 'reasoned' decision.").

The last "reasoned" decision here was the California Supreme Court's 2004 order denying Fox's habeas petition with a citation to *In re Robbins*, 18 Cal. 4th 770, 780 (1998). However, the citation to *Robbins* indicated that the decision rested on the untimeliness of Fox's petition, not on the merits of her constitutional claims. *See Walker v. Martin*, 562 U.S. 307, 313 (2011) ("A summary denial citing . . . *Robbins* means that the petition is rejected as untimely."). The State has now waived the affirmative defense of procedural default

that formed the basis of the 2004 California Supreme Court's reasoned decision. The last reasoned decision on the merits of Fox's current claims is the affirmance of her conviction on direct appeal by the California Court of Appeal in 1994.

The State urges that we apply AEDPA deference to the 1994 Court of Appeal decision. But, we need not decide that issue. We may "deny writs of habeas corpus under § 2254 by engaging in *de novo* review when it is unclear whether AEDPA deference applies, because a habeas petitioner will not be entitled to a writ of habeas corpus if his or her claim is rejected on *de novo* review." *Berghuis v. Thompkins*, 560 U.S. 370, 390 (2010). We conclude that, even under de novo review, Fox cannot prevail.

DISCUSSION

Fox claims she has a due process right to specific performance of her original plea deal, in which she alleges the State promised to release her from prison after seven and one-half years. For purposes of our analysis, we assume (without deciding) that the State promised Fox release after seven and one-half years and that the State breached that promise. Nevertheless, Fox is not entitled to specific performance of her plea agreement, because she voluntarily chose to withdraw her guilty plea, thereby voiding her plea agreement. There is thus no plea agreement to enforce. Under these circumstances, there is no precedent suggesting that Fox was denied due process by denying her specific performance.

As the Court of Appeal observed, Fox's successful habeas petition sought only to withdraw her guilty plea as not knowing and voluntary, rather than to enforce a plea agreement. At no point in the habeas proceedings, which

culminated in the state court's order allowing Fox to withdraw her plea, did Fox seek to enforce the plea agreement; rather, she sought to set it and the accompanying guilty plea aside. Although Fox argued that she was serving a longer sentence than she expected, she advanced that argument solely to show that she was not advised of the extent of the sentence she would serve if she pleaded guilty. She simultaneously argued both her actual innocence and that the plea was invalid because she was never informed of the possibility of a parole term following release. The record indicates that Fox sought to withdraw her plea so that she could assert defenses to the charges against her. Indeed, Fox's habeas counsel testified he made a strategic decision not to seek to enforce the alleged plea agreement. Fox did not attempt, until the eve of her trial, to hold the State to the deal she believed it made with her.

Fox's current petition rests on the theory that a criminal defendant has a due process right to bind the government to a plea agreement even after choosing to withdraw the plea rather than seek specific performance of the plea agreement. Fox identifies no precedent recognizing that right, nor have we found any. Indeed, the weight of persuasive precedent cuts the other way. We have instead explained that "[w]hen the district court exercises its power under the Federal Rules to reject a plea agreement or permit a defendant to withdraw his plea, it is clear by implication that the parties are consequently released from their obligations under the plea agreement." *United States v. Partida-Parra*, 859 F.2d 629, 634 n.6 (9th Cir. 1988). Moreover, a defendant who "chose of his own accord to challenge an aspect of the proceedings against him, . . . [takes] a calculated risk of" having the original charges reinstated. *Taylor v. Kincheloe*, 920 F.2d 599, 603 04 (9th Cir. 1990). The Sixth Circuit has come to

the same conclusion, holding that when a defendant succeeds in withdrawing a guilty plea entered pursuant to a plea agreement, the plea agreement is "nullified" and "the government [is] no longer bound by its promises therein." *United States v. Jones*, 469 F.3d 563, 566 (6th Cir. 2006). In the course of discussing prosecutorial vindictiveness, the Fifth Circuit noted "[we] see no distinction between a defendant's refusal to plead guilty and a defendant's successful withdrawal of a guilty plea . . . . In both circumstances the defendant has, in essence, refused the Government's offer of a plea and exercised his right to force the Government to prove its case." *United States v. Saltzman*, 537 F.3d 353, 361 (5th Cir. 2008). Fox rescinded her plea agreement; there was nothing left to enforce.[7]

Fox urges us to apply state contract law. *See United States v. Barron*, 172 F.3d 1153, 1158 (9th Cir. 1999) (en banc) ("[W]e have frequently analyzed plea bargains on contract principles."). However, doing so does not aid her. Under California law, "[r]escission extinguishes a contract, rendering it void *ab initio*, as if it never existed." *DuBeck v. Cal. Physicians' Serv.*, 184 Cal. Rptr. 3d 743, 750 (Ct. App. 2015). By obtaining a writ of habeas corpus nullifying her plea as not knowing and voluntary, Fox also nullified her plea agreement. Whatever terms were in that agreement are no longer operative.[8]

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[7] Fox does not claim prosecutorial vindictiveness in this habeas proceeding.

[8] There are limits to the analogy to contract law: "A plea bargain is not a commercial exchange. . . . On rescission of the agreement, the prisoner can never be returned to his 'original position': he has served time by reason of his guilty plea and his surrender of basic constitutional rights." *Barron*, 172 F.3d at 1158. In that case, which involved a 28 U.S.C. § 2255

In *Santobello v. New York*, the Supreme Court held that the remedies for a breach of a plea agreement were either specific performance of the agreement or rescission of the entire agreement and withdrawal of the guilty plea, to be determined by the state court based on what "the circumstances of [the] case require." 404 U.S. 257, 263 (1971). Where rescission is unable to repair the harm done by the government's breach, and where the defendant has upheld her end of the bargain, we have held that "specific performance [is] the only viable remedy." *Brown v. Poole*, 337 F.3d 1155, 1161 (9th Cir. 2003). Indeed, we have mandated specific performance as a remedy even where the sentence the prosecutor promised to a defendant was not a sentence allowed for under state law. *Buckley v. Terhune*, 441 F.3d 688, 699 (9th Cir. 2006) (en banc).

But, here, rather than seek specific performance, Fox chose to withdraw her guilty plea, voiding the plea agreement. She sought one of the remedies under *Santobello*, and received it.[9] Even if she had sought specific performance,

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petition, this court sitting en banc refused to require a retrial, that is to completely void the guilty plea, when one of the counts of conviction later turned out to be unlawful. *Id.* at 1161. However, *Barron* turned on an interpretation of the scope of the relief available under § 2255. *Id.* at 1159. Fox seeks relief under § 2254. Thus, we are called on to determine what due process requires, not what relief Fox might be afforded were she a federal prisoner.

[9] Our recent decision in *Cuero v. Cate*, —F.3—, 2016 WL 3563660 (9th Cir. 2016), is not to the contrary. In *Cuero*, the defendant had pleaded guilty pursuant to a written plea agreement. The day before sentencing, the State moved to amend the complaint in a manner that would substantially increase the defendant's sentence. The Superior Court granted the motion and allowed the defendant to withdraw his guilty plea. The defendant argued in his subsequent habeas petition that the State had breached the

Santobello "leave[s] to the discretion of the state court" whether the circumstances of the case require specific performance or an opportunity to withdraw the plea. 404 U.S. at 263. No binding Supreme Court decision finds a constitutional violation when a state court chooses the remedy a petitioner expressly chose or when she maintains her innocence of the original charges. Nor does any decision of which we are aware find that a state court abuses its discretion by declining to enforce a plea agreement which would impose a term of parole to which the defendant claims she was never made aware and to which she steadfastly objects.

Fox now asserts that rescission of the plea agreement (1) was forced by the State's breach and (2) she never waived her right to assert a breach of the plea agreement. We have found no authority, and Fox cites none, to support her first

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plea agreement and sought specific performance. The panel granted the petition, finding that permitting the defendant to withdraw his guilty plea was not an adequate remedy and that the Superior Court unreasonably failed to apply principles of California contract law to the plea agreement.

Unlike the defendant in *Cuero*, Fox opted not to seek specific performance in her first habeas petition. Therefore, the Superior Court here did not fail to reasonably apply the principles of California contract law when it granted Fox the very remedy she requested.

The dissent disagrees with our characterization of *Cuero*, stating that "[h]ere, as in *Cuero*, the state breached its agreement, and here, as in *Cuero*, the breach resulted in the withdrawal of the plea agreement." Dissent 59. This is incorrect. Nowhere in Fox's first habeas petition did she seek specific performance or argue that the government had breached the agreement. Instead, from the outset, Fox sought to *withdraw* her plea, arguing that "she did not understand" the terms of the agreement and that her lawyer had provided ineffective assistance. In short, Fox got exactly what she requested. Cuero did not.

contention. In any event, the State did not coerce Fox to seek to withdraw her plea, rather than seek to enforce the alleged agreement. Rather, the State steadfastly maintained that Fox was entitled to no relief at all. At the time Fox sought state habeas relief, *Santobello* was the law of the land. Nothing prevented Fox, acting with the assistance of counsel, from seeking specific performance. Yet, she chose not to do so; her counsel, whose effectiveness is not today at issue, testified that he considered but rejected that option.

Fox maintains that, even after withdrawing her plea, she had a due process right to assert a breach of the plea agreement, and this right was never waived. We agree that Fox had a constitutional right to enforce the plea agreement, *see Doe v. Harris*, 640 F.3d 972, 975 (9th Cir. 2011) (en banc), and that a waiver of a constitutional right must be knowing and voluntary, *see Schell v. Witek*, 218 F.3d 1017, 1023 (9th Cir. 2000). But "even constitutional rights can be waived if not timely asserted." *Hill v. Blind Indus. & Servs. of Md.*, 179 F.3d 754, 758 (9th Cir. 1999). If there were a time for Fox to assert a breach of her plea agreement, it was before the guilty plea was withdrawn and the agreement was rescinded.

By the time Fox sought specific performance, the plea agreement had been rescinded. We confronted similar circumstances in *United States v. Burdeau*, 168 F.3d 352 (9th Cir. 1999). In *Burdeau*, the defendant entered into a plea agreement that specified he was to receive a maximum of ten years' imprisonment on a robbery count and would have a gun charge dismissed. *Id.* at 355. The defendant later withdrew his plea and asserted a new defense to the charges. *Id.* After the district court ruled that the defense was unavailable, the defendant sought to reinstate his original plea

deal. *Id.* The State refused, and we held that the district court was not required to reinstate the plea. *Id.* at 358. *Burdeau* stands for the proposition that, once a plea agreement is rescinded, the State need not reoffer the same terms, and the trial court is not required to enforce the agreement's now-defunct provisions.

We agree with our dissenting colleague that the circumstances of this case are unfortunate. The others convicted of the offense for which Fox is serving a life sentenced received lesser terms, and she kept her promise of cooperation to the State. Indeed, she would have been better off had the state court never granted her habeas petition; she would at least now be eligible for parole. But she chose to rescind a plea agreement that treated her as well as her co-defendants, despite her counsel's advice that this could return her to ground zero. No Supreme Court authority or other precedent establishes that the Due Process Clause requires the enforcement of a plea agreement under these circumstances. Accordingly, the district court did not err in denying Fox's § 2254 petition.

AFFIRMED.

HURWITZ, Circuit Judge, concurring:

Candace Fox committed a gruesome and senseless crime. She was ultimately convicted of first-degree murder, and does not argue in this § 2254 proceeding that she did not receive a fair trial.

Nonetheless, as both Judge Smith and Judge Reinhardt note, this is a troubling case. Fox originally pleaded guilty to second-degree murder in exchange for her testimony against a co-defendant. She held up her end of the bargain, testifying for five hours in a preliminary hearing. Yet both that co-defendant and another received lesser sentences than the one Fox is now serving. Moreover, the record of the plea bargaining process is, to put it charitably, a mess. At one point the record suggests that Fox was promised release from prison after seven and one-half years, and at another reflects that Fox was clearly advised that her sentence was indeterminate, and that the parole board would ultimately decide when she would be released.

But, all this became moot when the superior court granted Fox's habeas petition, setting aside her guilty plea and conviction. That is the remedy she repeatedly sought. Indeed, her habeas counsel testified that he thought about seeking specific performance of the purported plea agreement, but decided against it. That decision was motivated by the lack of clarity about precisely what the purported deal was; although we have assumed today that the State promised Fox release after seven and one-half years with good behavior, the record does not clearly establish that the agreement entitled Fox to release, rather than only parole consideration.

Fox does not today urge that she received ineffective assistance of counsel in the state habeas proceedings, and the state courts have found that she did not. Indeed, the record suggests that, when she sought habeas relief, Fox was unwilling to accept the original bargain. She claimed that she never would have pleaded guilty had she known of the required term of lifetime parole upon release, and asserted

actual innocence. The State might well have chosen in the interests of justice to proceed only with second-degree murder charges against Fox on retrial. But, as Judge Smith explains, its decision not to do so was not unconstitutional. Still, having had a hand in producing an outcome that disfavored the one defendant who cooperated with the prosecution, the State could remedy this situation either through clemency or by once again offering Fox the chance to plead guilty to second-degree murder. But, we cannot order such relief; our role in this matter is constrained.[1] In a § 2254 habeas petition, we are limited to determining whether the Constitution was violated. Judge Smith clearly explains why it was not, and I concur in his opinion in full.

REINHARDT, Circuit Judge, dissenting:

Candace Fox's crime was not a pretty one. Yet, in 1984, California made her a promise in exchange for her promise of consideration it badly wanted from her. It promised her that, if she testified against her co-defendant and pleaded guilty to second degree murder, she would be paroled, assuming good behavior, in seven and one-half years. If the State had kept its word, Fox would have been released from prison over two decades ago. Instead, because the State brazenly broke its

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[1] Judge Reinhardt's dissent is premised on the notion that, although Fox chose to vacate her plea agreement rather than to specifically enforce it, the state court violated the Due Process Clause by giving her exactly what she sought. But neither *Cuero v. Cate*, — F.3d —, 2016 WL 3563660 (9th Cir. 2016), nor any other case Judge Reinhardt cites so holds. Absent ineffective assistance, a defendant whose plea agreement is breached is not limited to the remedy of specific performance; she may seek to vacate the plea and go to trial. That is the unfortunate choice Fox made here.

promise to her and lied about it to the courts, Fox will now likely spend the rest of her life in prison, unless the governor commutes her sentence.

Thirty years ago, in 1986, when Fox filed her first habeas petition, this case should have had a simple resolution. There would be no petition before us today if the State had simply assured Fox that she would receive the term of imprisonment that she and the State had agreed to when she forfeited her freedom, or if the State courts that heard Fox's 1986 petitions had fulfilled their obligation, under *Santobello v. New York*, 404 U.S. 257 (1971), to determine the appropriate remedy for the State's breach of its plea agreement. Instead, the state prosecutors repeatedly denied promising Fox even the possibility of a release in seven and one-half years, despite the clear evidence to the contrary. The state courts for their part entirely disregarded her petitions, although the state court of appeal later found that she had been promised the parole to which she had repeatedly told them she was entitled. Frustrated with the struggle, Fox sought to withdraw from the terms of the "agreement" that the State unilaterally imposed upon her. Instead, although she had already fulfilled her part of the bargain, the court withdrew her entire plea agreement, and after serving almost her full seven and one-half year prison term, Fox found herself involuntarily facing trial anew this time on an even more serious charge, one that the State had promised not to bring.

In the thirty-odd years since Fox first sought to hold the State to its bargain, she has been failed by many people: the state prosecutors who abused her trust, the state judges who failed in their obligation to provide her with an appropriate remedy for the State's broken promise, and the attorney who sought to "withdraw" her plea rather than seek the remedy

she had desired from the beginning specific performance of her bargain. The majority, while purporting to recognize that this is an "unfortunate" situation, concludes that it cannot provide Fox with a remedy due to the procedural posture of this case. While it comes as no surprise that my colleagues honestly believe that our habeas jurisprudence's rigid adherence to procedural rules demands a result so antithetical to justice, I cannot in good conscience concur. In my opinion, due process, at its core, requires that every judicial proceeding be fundamentally fair, *see Lassiter v. Dep't of Soc. Servs.*, 452 U.S. 18, 24 25 (1981) and what happened to Candace Fox is not fair, not by any possible conception of the word. If due process means anything, it means that the promise that the State made over thirty years ago should be enforced and Fox's unconstitutional sentence of life without the possibility of parole should be vacated. Fox has more than served her time. I respectfully dissent.

I. BACKGROUND

The story of this case is one of repeated falsehoods by the state prosecutors and repeated errors by the state courts, each condemning Fox to untold years in prison in violation of the State's original bargain. While the majority opinion describes the procedural posture of this case at great length in order to explain why it believes there is nothing it can do for Fox or for justice its cold recitation of the facts does not adequately capture the injustice that has occurred. Nor can the majority opinion or any other obfuscate the plain fact that after Fox carried out her part of the bargain, the State obdurately and willfully refused to carry out its.

In 1984, Candace Fox struck a plea agreement with California prosecutors. The agreement was not reduced to

writing but its terms were clear. Fox would plead guilty to second-degree murder and testify against her co-defendant. In exchange, the State would drop all additional charges against her. Under this plea, the State promised, she would be sentenced to 15 years to life, and would be paroled at the end of seven and one-half years of imprisonment if she conducted herself properly while incarcerated. Although the State for many years denied ever making Fox any such promise, the transcript of her sentencing hearing reveals the truth, and the state court of appeal ultimately recognized that it did. As the transcript shows, after the sentencing judge announced Fox's sentence of fifteen years to life, defense counsel objected, and the following exchange occurred:

> [Counsel]: [I]f I may, for the record, Your Honor, I believe the People have indicated as part of the plea bargain that [petitioner would] be looking at obtaining probation parole, excuse me, in seven and a half years [¶] Is that correct, [prosecutor]?
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> [Prosecutor]: That's correct.
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> [Trial Court]: All right . . . Also, the court will order a transcript of these proceedings to be sent with [petitioner] to the state prison just in an abundance of caution.

Fox fulfilled her end of the bargain. She testified at the preliminary hearing against her co-defendant for over five

hours. Subsequently, she pleaded guilty to second-degree murder and commenced serving her sentence. In the course of doing so, she learned that the state prosecutor had made a false promise a promise the State ultimately asserted that it could not fulfill. A representative of the parole board informed Fox that under California law she would not be eligible for parole until she had spent at least ten years in prison. Further, she learned that after her release she would be on parole for the rest of her life. Understandably dismayed to discover that the State had misrepresented the truth to her, Fox began her thirty year struggle to hold the State to its word as it turned out, a hopeless Sisyphean task.

A. 1986 Habeas Petitions

In 1986, Fox filed her first habeas petition in the Los Angeles Superior Court seeking to ensure that the State would fulfill its end of the bargain. In it, she explained that, at the time she entered her plea, she understood that "she would be *entitled* to release after seven and one-half years, provided that she behaved properly in state prison" because of statements made by "her counsel and by the deputy district attorney" at the time of her plea. Further, she explained, she had never been advised that she would be placed on lifetime parole after release from prison. The superior court denied her petition on the same day that it was filed, citing only "page 4 of the plea transcript."

Immediately thereafter, Fox filed another habeas petition, this time with the California Court of Appeal. Once again, she advised the court that the prosecutor had told her that "she could not serve more than 7-1/2 years of actual incarceration unless she failed to 'behave herself' in state prison" and that "until recently, [she] ha[d] been unaware that

her sentence entail[ed] a potential life-long period of parole." She *did not* request withdrawal of her plea. Instead, she told the court that her "*sentencing* was unlawful," and that she wished the matter to be "remanded for resentencing."

The resolution of these petitions should have been simple. At the time, *Santobello v. New York*, 404 U.S. 257 (1971) had been the law of plea bargains for over a decade. In that case, the Supreme Court held that plea bargains were entitled to constitutional protection, and that "when a plea rests in any significant degree on a promise or agreement of the prosecutor . . . such promise *must be fulfilled*." *Id.* at 262 (emphasis added); *see also Buckley v. Terhune*, 441 F.3d 688, 694 (9th Cir. 2006) (en banc) ("Under *Santobello v. New York*, 404 U.S. 257, 261 62 (1971), a criminal defendant has a due process right to enforce the terms of his plea agreement."). Further, when the government breaches its promise, the courts have an independent duty to determine that the defendant receive what he is "reasonably due." *Santobello*, 404 U.S. at 262. That is to say, it is the constitutional responsibility of the courts to determine whether, under the circumstances of the case, the defendant should receive specific performance of his plea agreement or be given the opportunity to withdraw his plea. *Id.* at 264; *see also id.* at 267 (Douglas, J. concurring) ("One alternative may do justice in one case, and the other in a different case."). Despite the State's clear breach of the plea agreement in this case, however,[1] neither the superior court nor the court of

[1] Although there has been some debate as to whether Fox was promised merely consideration for parole in seven and one-half years or entitlement to parole (assuming good behavior) in seven and one-half years, in either case the State had breached the agreement by informing her that she would not even be considered for parole until she had served ten years in

appeal ever conducted a *Santobello* inquiry to determine the appropriate remedy for the breach of Fox's plea agreement. Instead, both summarily dismissed Fox's petition.[2]

B. 1989 Habeas Petitions

Three years later, Fox again petitioned the superior court for a writ of habeas corpus, this time with new counsel. In contrast to her earlier petition, Fox's new counsel asked to have her guilty plea set aside on the ground that there had been newly discovered evidence exonerating her of the murder, and that her prior counsel had ineffectively advised her about a potential duress defense. Shortly thereafter, Fox replaced her counsel, because the woman had "what appeared to [Fox] like a nervous breakdown" when she had began "cracking up and laughing" and "talking to herself" in the courtroom.

The replacement counsel filed a supplemental brief in support of Fox's petition in which Fox asked to have her

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prison. Because the state court of appeal found in the course of a later appeal that the promise was one of entitlement to release in seven and one-half years, that term is used to describe the promise throughout this dissent.

[2] Although a copy of the state court of appeal's denial is not on record, both parties have stipulated that the petition was denied as "unripe"—a highly questionable proposition considering that Fox had been informed that her minimum eligible parole date was set for 1994, which would require her to spend at least ten years in prison before being considered for parole. This strongly indicates that the State had anticipatorily breached the plea agreement. Any state law to the contrary would unduly burden Fox's attempt to vindicate her constitutional rights, as it would require her to remain in prison longer than her promised sentence, and continue to remain in prison, while state courts resolved her claim.

guilty plea set aside on two bases. The first ground for relief was that Fox's plea was involuntary because she "did not understand that her period of confinement would exceed seven and one-half years with good prison behavior." Although Fox's petition termed the plea "involuntary," the context of her argument shows that she was actually asserting that the State was applying a plea agreement to which she had not agreed and that it had breached its agreement as to the true plea. The plea was involuntary only to the extent that the court deemed it to be the agreement that the State claimed it to be (i.e., no promise of eligibility or entitlement to parole after seven and one-half years had been made). The plea was breached, however, if the terms were what Fox asserted they were and what they actually were: that a promise of entitlement for parole was part of the plea agreement. As the excerpt of the sentencing hearing described, and as the California Court of Appeal later found, under the agreement that Fox actually entered into, her incarceration could *not* exceed seven and one-half years with good behavior; instead, she would be paroled at that time. *See Brown v. Poole*, 337 F.3d 1155, 1159 62 (9th Cir. 2003). Thus, the State's refusal to even consider Fox for release until she had served ten years in prison did *not* render Fox's plea involuntary, but rather, constituted a breach of the plea agreement. *See Puckett v. United States*, 556 U.S. 129, 137 (2009) ("When the consideration for a contract fails that is, when one of the exchanged promises is not kept we do not say that the voluntary bilateral consent to the contract never existed . . . we say that the contract was broken."). That Fox sought to "withdraw" her purportedly "involuntary" plea on this basis makes it plain that Fox was seeking to "withdraw" only from the terms of the agreement that the State was attempting to impose upon her unilaterally, not from the terms of the true agreement. Moreover, as is explained below, a request to

withdraw includes a request to enforce in cases in which a plea agreement has been breached by the State. *See* discussion *infra* at 53 67. The second ground for relief alleged in the supplemental petition was that Fox had not been advised that she faced a potential lifetime period of parole after her sentence.

A hearing was held in July 1989 at which the prosecutor denied that Fox had *ever* been promised that she could be released on parole in seven and one-half years. Indeed, it was disclosed at the hearing that Fox had been assigned a minimum release date in 1994 which would require her to spend at least ten years in prison before even being considered for parole, despite the terms of her agreement. The superior court then granted Fox's petition on an entirely different basis, holding that her plea was involuntary because she had not been advised of the lifetime parole period, and ordered that Fox's entire plea be set aside. It did so without reaching the question of whether the State had breached the agreement or whether, if a breach occurred, withdrawal or enforcement would be the appropriate remedy. Indeed, it announced its decision without ever asking Fox if she had a preferred remedy for the breach, or attempting to determine whether her request to "withdraw" her plea after she had already served a substantial portion of her sentence was knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily made. Instead, upon announcing its decision, it immediately set a trial date.

C. Trial, Sentencing, and Appeal

Twice before trial once two years before the jury was empaneled, and another six months before that time Fox filed motions asserting that the court should not have withdrawn her plea because, under *Santobello*, specific

performance was a remedy that the court should have considered. (In fact, in Fox's case, it was the only appropriate remedy.) At the time of her second motion, Fox had served virtually the entirety of the sentence she had been promised would be her maximum, assuming good behavior. In its opposition, the State continued to maintain that Fox was never promised that she would be entitled to parole in seven and one-half years, and that under California law it had never been possible for her even to be eligible for parole in seven and one-half years. The superior court denied both of Fox's motions without comment and in a form order. On January 28, 1992, a jury convicted her of first degree murder and first degree burglary, charges which the State had previously dropped pursuant to the terms of the plea agreement that it breached. At this time, of course, Fox had served the entirety of the promised seven and one-half year term.

Before sentencing, Fox once again asked that she be given the benefit of her bargain. As she explained, she had been promised parole in seven and one-half years in exchange for her testimony against her co-defendant and her plea of guilty, but had been denied the benefit of her bargain by the State after she had complied fully with her promise. The due process clause, she argued, required that she be given an appropriate remedy for the breach of the promises made to her, but, she asserted, she did not receive such a remedy. Instead, after serving almost the full seven and one-half years, just months before she was entitled to release, the state court subjected her to a trial on a more serious charge a charge on which the State had promised it would not prosecute her. That prosecution was in no way just or fair. As she told the court in her brief, "[e]ven if acquitted she had already done the time she bargained for in the beginning." The State, she argued, got what it bargained for, and should be "estopped"

from denying the same to Fox after she had detrimentally relied on its promises throughout her years in prison. Further, she contended, since the superior court had already vacated her plea she should be allowed to plead to a lesser charge that would give effect to the original agreement of the parties in compliance with California law. The court denied her motion and sentenced her to life imprisonment without the possibility of parole.

Fox appealed and again argued that under *Santobello* she was constitutionally entitled to a remedy for the breach of her plea agreement, and that "[a]fter she had served in excess of 7 ½ years, it was unjust" for the court to allow her only the option of withdrawing her plea; in doing so, she contended, it offered her no remedy; rather it presented her with the fundamentally unfair choice of either accepting a sentence that increased the period of incarceration provided for by her original agreement or going to trial in which case she faced even far greater punishment if convicted. She argued that rather than a coerced withdrawal, she should have been given specific performance as the only appropriate remedy for the State's breach of the plea agreement.

In response, the State did not deny its promise to Fox, nor did it claim as it had in the past that its promise to her was unenforceable under California law. Instead, it admitted for the first time that, pursuant to the plea agreement, Fox was to serve "about 7 ½ years," but asserted that its promise was now unenforceable because the court had withdrawn Fox's plea agreement at her request.

In its unpublished 1994 decision, which the State contends is the last reasoned decision and thus the decision

that we must examine under habeas law,[3] the state court of appeal agreed that Fox had been promised release in seven and one-half years. It found that Fox "bargained for[] a sentence of 15 years to life, *with a promise of parole in seven and one-half years*." Then, ignoring the fact that the State had repeatedly denied ever making this promise *and* that Fox's parole eligibility date had been set well after the expiration of her seven and one-half year term, the California Court of Appeal inexplicably found that the *only* reason Fox had asked to withdraw her plea was that "she didn't like the deal she'd made."[4] It then concluded that she had no right to the bargained-for sentence limited to seven and one-half years in prison, even though she had fulfilled her part of the bargain, because she had voluntarily rescinded the plea agreement. Fox again appealed, and the California Supreme Court denied her petition for review without comment.[5]

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[3] *See, e.g., Ylst v. Nunnemaker*, 501 U.S. 797, 803–04 (1991).

[4] Fox, of course, *did* like the deal she had made. Although the court determined that she did not like the length of the parole term, her "deal" said nothing about the length of the term of parole that would follow her sentence, only that she would be released in the promised seven and one-half years. Fox had no problem with this deal—her problem was that the State continuously denied that she could or would be released in accordance with her deal. *See infra* pp. 45–49.

[5] As this court recently noted in *Curiel v. Miller*, the California Supreme Court must rule on a "staggering number of habeas petitions each year," and addresses this otherwise insolvable workload problem "by issuing unelaborated summary denials." *Curiel v. Miller*, No. 11-56949, Slip Op. at 7.

D. Post-Trial State Habeas Petitions

Following the denial of her direct appeal, Fox filed yet another habeas petition in superior court, once again raising her claim that she was entitled to specific performance of the original plea agreement. She also asserted that her prior habeas attorney had provided ineffective assistance of counsel in seeking to set aside her plea in 1989 rather than seeking specific performance or resentencing. Her petition was denied without comment or citation of authority.

Fox again returned to the California Court of Appeal, which remanded for an evidentiary hearing on the issue whether Fox received ineffective assistance of counsel by filing a habeas petition that resulted in her guilty plea being withdrawn. In that hearing, the superior court limited its inquiry to the question whether counsel advised Fox about the risk that she could face a new trial or a longer sentence. It did *not* examine whether the attorney should have advised Fox about her right to specific performance of her original bargain.

During the two-day hearing, Fox's former habeas counsel testified that he had asked to withdraw her plea because he believed that the District Attorney would offer a second plea bargain. He further testified that he had declined to seek specific performance because he did not believe that the statements made about the promise of parole during Fox's sentencing hearing were "legally binding on The Court or the District Attorney." Accordingly, he believed that asking for

withdrawal on the basis that Fox's plea was involuntary was a stronger argument.[6]

Fox's testimony revealed that the advice given to her by her habeas counsel was muddled at best. Specifically, she explained that, although she knew her 1989 habeas petition asked to have her plea "withdrawn," she understood that if that petition were successful, the court would give her the seven and one-half year period of incarceration that she had been promised. She testified that, on the basis of the advice of her counsel, she believed that the court would "adjust some kind of plea bargain" so that she could receive the promised seven and one-half years. Fox explained that she had been informed that by requesting "withdrawal" of her plea, she would enable the court to invalidate the terms of the bargain as the prosecutor wrongfully described them and that the court would then be able to enforce specific performance of the true agreement by allowing her to change her plea to that of a lesser charge, one which, under California law, would allow her to be paroled upon completion of the promised seven and one-half years.[7] Her testimony, in this respect is,

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[6] That procedure, of course, could still obtain the same result as specific performance (a seven and one-half year term followed by parole) if Fox had been allowed to replead after the plea had been withdrawn. As described below, this appears to be the result Fox hoped to obtain.

[7] Although, as the majority reports, Fox was apparently also told that "if [she] went to trial" she could get a sentence of life without the possibility of parole, that statement is of little significance in light of the fact that Fox testified that she was also informed that, if her petition were successful, she would not have to take the case to trial and could, at the worst, choose the option of again pleading to second degree murder. She testified that she had been told that she "could always plead out to second-degree" which would come with a fifteen-years-to-life sentence. Indeed, she testified, her attorney told her that the opportunity to plead out to second-

of course, credible because the minimum ten year eligibility date for parole on which the State insisted was based on a provision of state law of which the prosecutor was apparently unaware when he promised her parole after seven and one-half years. Changing Fox's plea to a lesser charge would have enabled the State to comply with its own rules as well as with the Constitution.

The superior court denied the petition from the bench on June 2, 1999. Ignoring almost all of the facts set forth above, it found that Fox's habeas attorney was not ineffective because he had advised her that setting aside her plea agreement could result in a new trial that would expose her to a sentence longer than the one she was serving, "up to and including life without the possibility of parole." Subsequently, Fox once more moved her way through the hierarchy of the California courts. The California Court of Appeal denied her petition without comment, and the California Supreme Court denied it as untimely.

E. The Federal Petition

After two decades of litigation in the California courts, Fox finally turned naively to the federal judiciary. Proceeding pro se, she filed a habeas petition under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 on August 13, 2004. The State moved to dismiss the petition as untimely, but the district court held that Fox was entitled to equitable tolling based on the misconduct of her habeas lawyer who had resigned from the practice of law after masterminding what the California Court of Appeal

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degree would "always" be "on the table." According to Fox, however, neither the prosecution nor the court ever gave her that opportunity or otherwise complied with the dictates of *Santobello*.

described (in another case) as a habeas corpus "writ mill," designed to "systematically . . . abus[e] the writ process for his own pecuniary gain." *In re White*, 121 Cal. App. 4th 1453, 1458 (2004).[8]

Originally, in October 2009, a magistrate judge issued a report and recommendation which concluded that Fox was

[8] Richard Dangler, the attorney in question, represented Fox through her third round of state habeas petitions, those that were filed after her trial. According to the district court, Dangler was paid $5,000.00 and it was agreed that he would promptly appeal any denial by the Los Angeles Superior Court, and then, if those petitions were unsuccessful, promptly file a federal petition within AEDPA's one year statute of limitations. Despite Dangler's assurances, it took him over 11 months to file a new petition in the state court of appeal, at which point he filed a petition that essentially simply copied the petition he had originally filed in the superior court. Following the court of appeal's denial, Dangler waited another 27 months to file a petition in the California Supreme Court, and again, filed a petition that simply mirrored the one that the court of appeal rejected. During this time, Fox wrote Dangler numerous letters about the length of time he was taking to file her petitions, and Dangler repeatedly assured her that she had nothing to worry about. After Dangler had resigned from the practice of law, *and* after the California Supreme Court denied Fox's petition as untimely, Dangler sent Fox a letter informing her that she should file another habeas petition in the California Supreme Court and that his associate, C. Roman Rector would be willing to represent her in connection with that petition at no charge, provided that Rector was retained to file a federal petition for $8,250.00. (Although this opinion refers to the process of going through the California appellate system after the completion of proceedings in the superior court as "appealing" the denial of a petition, the California system consists simply of filing a new petition with the next level of the judicial system. For almost all purposes, California treats the post-conviction petitions filed at the second and third levels as appeals. There is a difference not relevant here, however, in cases in which the order of filing the petitions is different, for example filing the first petition in the state supreme court, which is permissible under California law).

entitled to relief on her request for specific performance. The magistrate judge reasoned that Fox's agreement with the State plainly entitled her to be eligible for release on parole after seven and one-half years. Contrary to the opinion of the California Court of Appeal, the magistrate judge held that Fox clearly did not receive the benefit of her bargain. She did not, as the state court had reasoned, "decide[] she didn't like the deal she'd made," but instead sought relief because the State informed her that she was not going to receive the benefit of the deal she had made. Indeed, the magistrate judge found, the state court of appeal's decision was contrary to clearly established Supreme Court law *and* based on unreasonable determinations of the facts, and therefore failed even the highly deferential standard of review established under both 28 U.S.C § 2254(d)(1) and (d)(2). Further, the magistrate judge recommended, that since Fox had served more than five years of her promised seven and one-half year sentence at the time her plea was withdrawn in October 1989, the only appropriate remedy was to enforce, not withdraw, the bargain.

The State filed objections and the magistrate judge revised his report. In the amended report and recommendation, issued in March 2012, the magistrate judge ruled that Fox had not shown that the state court's decision was contrary to or an unreasonable application of clearly established Supreme Court *law*, and therefore could not survive the deferential standard of review established under 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d)(*1*). As explained *infra* Part II, such a finding would require that the federal court deny Fox relief *only if* she could not overcome the equally deferential standard set forth in 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d)(*2*), which governs unreasonable findings of *fact*. Inexplicably, however, although he had previously relied on both 28 U.S.C.

§ 2254(d)(1) and (d)(2) in his original report and recommendation, the magistrate judge did not address whether Fox met the standard with respect to unreasonable findings of fact under 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d)(2). The district court nevertheless adopted the revised report and recommendation, denied Fox's petition, and issued a certificate of appealability. This appeal timely followed.

II. STANDARD OF REVIEW

The majority carefully avoids deciding whether the strictures of the Anti-terrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act ("AEDPA") requiring deference to the state court's decision apply here. That Act bars further review of any claim "adjudicated on the merits" in state court, unless the State's decision falls within an exception contained in 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d)(1) or (d)(2). *Harrington v. Richter*, 562 U.S. 86, 98 (2011). Those exceptions permit a grant of habeas relief in cases in which the relevant state-court decision is (1) "contrary to, or involved an unreasonable application of, clearly established Federal law, as determined by the Supreme Court," or (2) "based on an unreasonable determination of the facts in light of the evidence presented to the State court proceeding." 28 U.S.C. §§ 2254(d)(1) and (2).

As the majority correctly states, AEDPA's limitations apply "to a single state court decision, not to some amalgamation of multiple state court decisions," and when more than one state court has adjudicated the claim, we analyze only "the last reasoned decision." *Barker v. Fleming*, 423 F.3d 1085, 1091, 1093 (9th Cir. 2005) (citing *Ylst*, 501 U.S. at 803 04). Thus, when a decision "does not disclose the reason for the judgment," we will "look through"

it and apply AEDPA deference to a prior decision on the merits. *Ylst*, 501 U.S. at 802. If the last reasoned decision states a procedural reason for the judgment, however, we ordinarily do not apply AEDPA deference and instead, review the claim de novo if the petitioner can show cause and prejudice to overcome the procedural default.

Here, the California Supreme Court's 2004 denial of Fox's petition rested on a procedural ground. The State, however, believes that we should "look through" that decision both because it has waived Fox's procedural default and because the procedural ground in question was merely a failure to file a timely petition, a ground that would not disturb the underlying decision on the merits. It therefore urges that we instead treat the 1994 court of appeal decision (which was the last decision to announce the reason for its judgment prior to the 2004 California Supreme Court's denial), as the last reasoned decision in this case. Because that decision addressed the merits of Fox's claim, it argues, we cannot grant relief unless that decision falls within one of the exceptions set forth in 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d).

I, like the majority, do not believe that we need to resolve the question of which opinion is the last reasoned decision in this case, and I, like the majority, apply de novo review to Fox's claim. I do so because, even assuming that we must, as the State urges, "look through" the California Supreme Court's timeliness decision and give deference to the 1994 court of appeal's resolution of Fox's claim on the merits, that decision is so unreasonable that it fails even AEDPA's highly deferential test, and therefore, de novo review applies. *See Hurles v. Ryan*, 752 F.3d 768, 778 (9th Cir. 2014) (holding that, once the court has found that the state court's decision meets one of the exceptions listed in 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d),

"we evaluate the claim de novo"). Accordingly, even under the State's argument as to the last reasoned decision, de novo review applies.[9]

In this case, the California Court of Appeal plainly misapprehended, and indeed, ignored, material facts, and as a result based its decision on factual findings that are entirely unsupported by the record and are for that reason alone wholly unreasonable. It thus falls within the exception set forth in Section 2254(d)(2). *See Milke v. Ryan*, 711 F.3d 998, 1008 (9th Cir. 2013) ("[W]here the state courts plainly misapprehend or misstate the record in making their findings, and the misapprehension goes to a material factual issue that is central to petitioner's claim, that misapprehension can fatally undermine the fact-finding process, rendering the resulting factual finding unreasonable.") (quoting *Taylor v. Maddox*, 366 F.3d 992, 1001 (9th Cir. 2004)). Ironically, in resolving Fox's claim adversely, the California Court of Appeal determined that Fox had been promised "a sentence of 15 years to life, *with a promise of parole in seven and one-half years*," a critical factual finding that *was* reasonable and supported by Fox's representations as to her plea bargain, by the transcript of her sentencing hearing, and by the State's concession on appeal that under the plea agreement, Fox

[9] If the California Supreme Court's 2004 decision were the last reasoned decision, of course, Fox would not need to overcome either of the exceptions listed in 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d) because that decision was not a decision "on the merits." The normal course of action in such case is to allow the petitioner the opportunity to show cause and prejudice for his procedural default, and then, if such a showing is made, to review the claim de novo. Here, because the State has waived any argument that Fox's relief is procedurally defaulted, *Franklin v. Johnson*, 290 F.3d 1223, 1230 (9th Cir. 2002), we would proceed directly to the merits and review the claim de novo.

would serve "about 7 ½ years." The remainder of that court's resolution of Fox's claim, however, is riddled with unreasonable factual findings. Although it agreed that Fox had been promised parole in seven and one-half years, it wrote that Fox "got what she bargained for," and that she asked to have her deal set aside only because she "didn't like the deal she'd made." Those findings not only directly conflict with the court's immediately preceding finding as to the contents of Fox's plea bargain, but could be made only by ignoring or overlooking substantial portions of the record, the State's concession, and all of the evidence of the State's breach of its plea agreement.

Contrary to the state court of appeal's findings, the record clearly reflected that at the time she filed her 1989 petition, Fox was not, in fact, going to get what she bargained for. As described above, in both her 1986 and 1989 petitions, Fox asserted that she had pleaded guilty after the deputy district attorney promised that she would be released on parole, assuming good behavior, after seven and one-half years, and that only after she was in the midst of serving her sentence was she informed that she could not even be considered for release at the bargained-for time. Specifically, she asked to withdraw her plea only after representatives from the State informed her that the prosecutor had made a false promise and that, under California law, she could not receive the benefit of her bargain. Indeed, as her 1989 petition made clear, she filed her petitions for relief because she was informed by the State that her "minimum eligible release date [wa]s almost ten years, contrary to seven and one-half years as stated by [the] Deputy District Attorney." In fact, in responding to Fox's petitions, the prosecution had taken the position that Fox could not be considered for parole until she had spent at least ten years in prison, and that any promise

made to the contrary was contrary to California law. The state court of appeal, however, ignored this and all other evidence that showed that Fox was *not*, in fact, "g[etting] what she bargained for."

Indeed, the state court of appeal did not even mention that Fox sought relief in her 1989 habeas petition on the basis that she was not going to receive parole after seven and one-half years of incarceration as the State had promised. Instead, it wrote that there were only two bases for Fox's 1989 petition (that she had not been fully advised of the consequences of her guilty plea, and that she had been ineffectively advised about her potential duress defense) while ignoring the primary, most substantial and repeatedly asserted basis for Fox's habeas petition (that she was being forced to remain in prison for at least ten years, in violation of the prosecutor's promise regarding parole). Without wholly ignoring this primary ground and the evidence that supported it, the court of appeal could not have concluded that "[f]ive years into her sentence (with only two and one-half years to go), Fox decided she didn't like the deal she'd made." The record shows exactly the opposite: Fox sought relief not because she did not like the deal she had made, but because the State refused to acknowledge the deal into which it had entered and also contended that it lacked the power to deliver on its part of the bargain.

The state court of appeal also unreasonably found that Fox was granted "the relief she so desperately wanted" withdrawal of her plea and a trial at which the State could try to prove the charges against her. Fox's pre-trial motions, which were filed *well* in advance of the actual trial, make clear that a new trial was not the relief she desired. She tried vigorously to avoid a new trial and sought

reinstatement of all parts of the plea bargain that she insisted she had made. This was not a case in which the defendant gambled a life in prison in the hope of being acquitted and later regretted the outcome. It was one in which the defendant had, from the very beginning, surrendered her right to trial in exchange for a promise of parole after serving seven and one-half years of imprisonment and, for decades thereafter continuously sought to enforce that promise. The state court of appeal, however, did not even discuss the contents of Fox's pre-trial attempts to secure a remedy consistent with her original plea bargain.[10]

Most troubling, the state court of appeal unreasonably found that Fox's "predicament" that is, a lifetime in state prison without the possibility of parole was "entirely a result of her own actions without any fault of the prosecutor or the court." Indeed, it stated, the prosecutor "did nothing to breach the plea agreement." The record clearly and affirmatively establishes, however, that Fox's "predicament" was, in fact, exclusively the fault of the State. Fox pleaded guilty on the basis of the prosecutor's representations that she would be paroled in seven and one-half years, assuming good behavior. As it turned out, however, the prosecutor had misinformed her on that critical point. Whether through negligence or incompetence, the prosecutor failed to inform

[10] Both the majority and the concurrence apparently agree with the state court of appeal that Fox "got what she asked for" when the state court withdrew her plea. The facts and extensive procedural history of this case make clear, however, that Fox had, at all times, sought to receive the benefit of the bargain she had originally made. *See supra* at pp. 30–40; *see also infra* at pp. 61–64. Further, as explained *infra* pp. 53–67, because the State had breached its promise to Fox, the state courts had a duty to independently determine the appropriate remedy for this breach, which the courts did not do here.

Fox that state law prohibited a release at the promised time. After she had performed her part of the bargain, Fox learned, from a representative of the State, that, contrary to the prosecutor's promise, she would not be paroled until she had spent at least ten years in prison. When she tried to explain her "predicament" to the State and to its judiciary, the prosecution falsely denied ever making such a promise, and further denied having the authority to do so. The state court of appeal ignored all of this critical information when determining that "her predicament [was] . . . without any fault of the prosecutor," and that the prosecutor "did nothing to breach the plea agreement."

The evidence that the California Court of Appeal ignored was vital to Fox's claim. The entire basis of her appeal was that she was entitled to specific performance of the State's obligations following her performance of her part of the bargain and that the court had unlawfully withdrawn her plea after the State's breach without offering her that option. The state court of appeal had before it, "yet apparently ignore[d]," all the evidence that was central to Fox's claim that the State had breached the plea agreement. Thus, we do not accord AEDPA deference to its decision. *See Milke*, 711 F.3d at 1008 1010. Rather, we must review Fox's claim de novo. *See Hurles*, 752 F.3d at 778 ("If we determine, considering only the evidence before the state court, that the adjudication of a claim on the merits . . . was based on an unreasonable determination of the facts, we evaluate the claim de novo, and we may consider evidence properly presented for the first time in federal court.").[11]

[11] In the alternative, I would also find that the California Court of Appeal decision was contrary to and an unreasonable application of clearly established Supreme Court law because it made no mention of, or

III. DISCUSSION

The enforcement of promises that are made in exchange for defendants' waivers of their freedom is a matter of sound public policy and profound constitutional importance. Well over ninety percent of criminal convictions are based on plea bargains, and each of those convictions depends on public faith in the integrity of the government's promises. More important, defendants surrender their fundamental rights and liberties in exchange for these promises, and robust constitutional protections must be in place to ensure that the entirety of the plea process is just and fair. *See, e.g.*, *Missouri v. Frye*, 132 S. Ct. 1399 (2012); *Santobello*, 404 U.S. 257. Accordingly, a guilty plea vests the defendant with "a due process right to enforce the terms of his plea agreement," ensuring protections for his sacrifice of fundamental freedoms and for the integrity of the government's word. *See Buckley*, 441 F.3d at 694 (citing *Santobello*, 404 U.S. at 261 62); *see also Cuero v. Cate*, 2016 WL 3563660 (9th Cir. June 30, 2016); *Doe v. Harris*, 640 F.3d 972, 975 (9th Cir. 2011) ("Under the Due Process Clause, criminal defendants have a right to enforce the terms of their plea bargains."); *Brown*, 337 F.3d at 1159 (9th Cir. 2003).

This case, which comes before us after decades of litigation, started off with a relatively simple premise that

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reference to, California contract law in determining whether the State had breached its promise. *See Ricketts v. Adamson*, 483 U.S. 1, 5 n.3 (1987); *see also Buckley*, 441 F.3d at 695 ("Thus, under *Adamson*, California courts are required to construe and interpret plea agreements in accordance with state contract law."). In addition, I believe that it was an unreasonable application of *Santobello* to fail to analyze whether specific performance was the more appropriate remedy for the State's obvious breach.

should have had a relatively simple resolution. In exchange for Fox's agreement to waive her fundamental right to a trial by a jury of her peers and her agreement to testify against her co-defendant, the State promised her that she would be paroled, assuming good behavior, in seven and one-half years. Then, after it received everything it needed from her her testimony and her freedom the State breached its promise. It informed her that she would not be considered for parole until she had spent at least ten years in prison, and indeed, denied ever agreeing to anything different. After this breach, Fox had an indisputable right to enforce her plea bargain.

While the majority correctly states that Fox's counsel did not expressly request specific performance until after her plea had already been withdrawn, in her 1986 petition to the California Court of Appeal, she had contended that her sentencing was unlawful and had requested that the case be remanded for *resentencing* in accordance with her plea. Further, under *Santobello v. New York*, state courts have a duty to determine whether due process requires specific performance of the broken plea agreement, regardless of whether the defendant expressly requests only withdrawal. 404 U.S. at 262; *id.* at 267 (Douglas, J. concurring). In this case, the state courts did not consider the appropriate remedy for the State's breach of the plea, and indeed, did not even acknowledge the fact that the State breached its agreement. Instead, the Los Angeles Superior Court withdrew Fox's plea agreement and forced her to go to trial after she had already delivered the consideration required by her plea bargain and had served the majority of the promised seven and one-half years. As a result of the court's rulings and the State's continuing misrepresentations, Fox was condemned to pursue a series of legal actions that resulted in her being where she

is today behind bars for life, in violation of the State's promise.

Had the state court fulfilled its obligation to determine the appropriate remedy for the breach the first time Fox requested relief, it undoubtedly would have concluded, as has every court that has faced the question, that under the circumstances, the only remedy that satisfies the demands of due process is specific performance of the breached plea agreement. *See, e.g., Cuero*, 2016 WL 3563660; *Brown*, 337 F.3d at 1161. Although, in making the determination of the proper remedy, "considerable" weight must be given to the defendant's specific request, that weight is of no force unless the court is satisfied that the defendant understands and has considered the effects of choosing one option rather than the other. Here, the court never presented Fox with her options, nor did it assure itself that her waiver of the right to specific performance was knowing, intelligent, and voluntary. To the contrary, the record shows that Fox's request for "withdrawal" was coerced and that, given the choice, she, like any other rational person, would have selected specific performance. Indeed, the transcripts from her 1999 evidentiary hearing show that the only reason she sought to "withdraw" her plea was so that she could be given the opportunity to plead to a lesser charge, one that would entitle her to the promised seven and-one half years without causing the State to violate California law. In short, she wanted specific performance all along.

The majority apparently believes that, simply because Fox's plea was withdrawn by unconstitutional means or otherwise there is nothing we can do to fix this injustice. That is incorrect. *See Cuero*, 2016 WL 3563660 (holding that a defendant may be given the benefit of his original bargain

even after the plea has been withdrawn). In my view, the state courts acted arbitrarily, unreasonably, and contrary to law by withdrawing Fox's plea without conducting an adequate inquiry as to the appropriate remedy for the State's breach. Fox was entitled to a meaningful remedy, and as every court since *Santobello* has concluded, withdrawal *cannot* remedy a breach when a defendant has, like Fox, already cooperated with the government or served a substantial portion of her sentence. Because Fox did not knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily waive her constitutional right to that remedy, her 1992 conviction which was secured over her objections and in violation of her rights cannot stand. Specific performance of the original bargain should now be granted, and Fox, who has served a sentence exponentially in excess of the seven and one-half years that she was promised, should be released immediately.

A. Fox had a Constitutional Right to Enforce the Terms of her Agreement after the State's Breach

In *Santobello v. New York*, the Supreme Court first held that "when a plea rests in any significant degree on a promise or agreement . . . such promise must be fulfilled." 404 U.S. at 262. There, New York prosecutors struck a deal with a defendant, and promised that if he pleaded guilty to a lesser-included offense, the prosecutor would make no recommendation as to the defendant's sentence. *Id.* at 260. After considerable delay in scheduling his sentencing hearing, the petitioner sought to withdraw his guilty plea. In turn, a new prosecutor neglected his predecessor's promise, and recommended the maximum sentence allowable. *Id.* The Supreme Court held that the defendant was constitutionally entitled to a remedy for the prosecutorial breach. *Id.* at 264.

It then remanded to the state court to determine "whether the circumstances of this case" and the "interests of justice" required specific performance of the promise, in which case the petitioner would be resentenced, or withdrawal of the plea, the relief sought by the petitioner. *Id.* As Justice Douglas explained in his critical concurrence, "[o]ne alternative may do justice in one case, and the other in a different case." *Id.* at 267.[12]

When Fox sought to enforce her bargain, *Santobello* had been the governing law with respect to plea bargains for over a decade. Fox's habeas petitions made clear that her plea rested in significant part on the prosecutor's promise that she would be entitled to parole in seven and one-half years, but that she had been expressly advised by prison authorities that she would *not* even be considered for parole at the agreed-upon time. In fact, she had been informed by state authorities that she could not be made eligible for parole until after ten years. Thus, it was clear that the State had no intention of keeping its promise. Indeed, state prosecutors repeatedly denied ever agreeing to the evident terms of their bargain.

[12] *Santobello* was decided 4–3, with Justice Douglas's concurrence serving as the critical fourth vote. (From September 1971 until roughly one month after *Santobello* was decided in December 1971, the Supreme Court functioned with only seven justices. This was not a result of any Senate obstructionism, however. Rather, in September 1971 Justice Black resigned, and six days later, Justice Harlan died). The dissenting justices did not disagree with the Court's central holding that the constitution guarantees a remedy for broken plea bargains. Instead, they believed that, in this case, the defendant needed to be permitted to withdraw his guilty plea, particularly because, unlike Fox, he had not yet been sentenced for the crime. Thus, in *Santobello*, withdrawal would have had minimal, if any, prejudicial effect on either the defendant or the State.

Thus, under *Santobello*, Fox had a constitutional right to a meaningful remedy for the State's breach, and the state courts had a duty to ensure that Fox received what she was "reasonably due" to determine whether, under the circumstances of this case, the interests of justice required specific performance of the bargain or withdrawal of her plea. The state courts declined to do so. There is no indication that, at any point in the decades-long state proceedings, the state courts ever considered what remedy would appropriately rectify the State's breach or that they ever considered specific performance. By failing to do so, the State denied Fox the remedy to which she was constitutionally entitled: specific performance of her plea agreement.

B. The Only Appropriate Remedy for this Breach was Specific Performance

Had the State inquired into the appropriate remedy for the breach of Fox's plea agreement, it undoubtedly would have come to the conclusion that the *only* appropriate remedy in this case was to grant specific performance. Fox had fulfilled her end of the bargain. She testified for several hours against her co-defendant and, by all accounts, comported herself as a model inmate in the years she spent in prison before filing her habeas petitions. Unlike the defendant in *Santobello* who had not yet been sentenced at the time of the breach, *see* 404 U.S. at 259 60, Fox had already forfeited her freedom and spent a substantial amount of time in prison before she learned of the state's breach. In these circumstances, as courts across the country had recognized at the time of Fox's petitions, specific performance was the *only* just and meaningful remedy. Withdrawal simply would not provide the return to the status quo that a proper remedy requires because "[e]radicating the impact of [Fox's] testimony is

impossible," and giving her the opportunity to replead after such a long confinement is, at best, "superficial and unrealistic." *Geisser v. United States*, 513 F.2d 862, 871 (5th Cir. 1975); *see also United States v. Finkbeiner*, 551 F.2d 180, 184 (7th Cir. 1977) ("Under the circumstances of this case it would be unjust to simply vacate the guilty plea, which theoretically would allow the state to reindict [the defendant.] Since he has already performed his side of the bargain, fundamental fairness *demands* that the state be compelled to adhere to the agreement as well.") (emphasis added); *United States v. Duff*, 551 F.2d 185, 187 (7th Cir. 1977) ("Since Ferris has substantially begun performing his side of the bargain, it would not be fair to vacate the plea and require him to go through the procedure anew."); *Palermo v. Warden*, 545 F.2d 286, 296 97 (2d Cir. 1976) ("Remand for withdrawal of the guilty plea would indeed have been meaningless[.]"); *Krager v. United States*, 388 F. Supp. 595, 599 (D. Mass. 1975) ("To vacate [the defendant's] plea, after he has already served more than four years, would be an empty gesture."); *State v. Tourtellotte*, 88 Wash. 2d 579, 585 (Wash. 1977) (en banc) ("If we do not enforce the agreement, the state would be permitted to play fast and loose with an accused's constitutional rights to its advantage and his detriment.") (internal quotation omitted).

The three decades that followed have only served to reinforce the notion that when a defendant has already served a substantial prison term or has already provided the bargained-for cooperation with the government, specific performance is the *only* remedy for the governmental breach. Indeed, this court held as much in *Brown v. Poole*, 337 F.3d 1155 (9th Cir. 2003), a case remarkably similar to this one. There, as here, a petitioner in California custody had been promised parole eligibility in seven and one-half years

despite the fact that state law required her to be in prison for at least ten years before being considered for parole. Although the agreement was evident on the face of the state court transcripts, the State asserted that the prosecutor had no right to, and in fact did not, promise eligibility for or entitlement to parole in seven and one-half years. In *Brown* we held that the petitioner was "entitled to a remedy" for the breach of her plea agreement, and that because she "ha[d] met the terms of the agreed-upon bargain, and paid in a coin the state cannot refund," "[r]escission of the contract [wa]s impossible[.]" *Id.* at 1161. Accordingly, specific performance was "the only viable remedy." *Id.*; *see also Buckley*, 441 F.3d at 699 (holding that, in similar circumstances, "[r]escission of the plea agreement cannot repair the harm caused by the state's breach").[13]

Even more recently, in *Cuero v. Cate*, this court held that a defendant who has performed his part of the bargain is entitled to specific performance after a state's breach *even after* he has already withdrawn the bargain. 2016 WL 3563660. There, the defendant pleaded guilty to two felonies pursuant to an agreement with the state that he would receive a maximum of 14 years, 4 months in prison and 4 years of parole. *Id.* at *1. After he pleaded guilty, the state prosecutor

[13] This is also the approach that has been taken by state courts that have followed *Santobello*'s mandate and inquired as to whether specific performance is an appropriate remedy. *See, e.g.*, *Shanklin v. Commonwealth*, 730 S.W. 2d 535, 537 (Ky. Ct. App. 1987). This has been true even where, as here, the plea agreement was originally erroneously set aside. *See Brooks v. Narick*, 243 S.E. 2d 841, 843 (W.V. 1978) ("We hold that withdrawal of his guilty plea was a coerced act caused by the state's breach of the plea bargain, and Brooks is entitled to reinstatement of the guilty plea and specific performance of the agreement.").

moved to amend the criminal complaint to allege additional prior charges which, if allowed, would result in an indeterminate 64 years to life under California's three strikes law. *Id.* at *2. This amendment clearly breached the plea agreement and undoubtedly violated the defendant's rights, but the California Superior Court permitted it, and as a result, Cuero withdrew his guilty plea. *Id.* As we explained, allowing Cuero to withdraw his guilty plea "was no remedy at all" because it did not "'repair the harm' caused by the prosecutor's breach." *Id.* At *7 8. To the contrary, we explained, the withdrawal "exposed Cuero to the risk of going to trial and receiving an indeterminate 64 years to life sentence. This is hardly the 'remedy' Cuero would have elected had he been given a choice." *Id.* "Because Cuero had already performed, 'fundamental fairness demands that the state be compelled to adhere to the agreement as well.'" *Id.* at *8. Further, we explained, specific performance was "necessary to maintain the integrity and fairness of the criminal justice system" because "'[i]f a defendant cannot rely upon an agreement made and accepted in open court, the fairness of the entire criminal justice system would be thrown into question. No attorney in the state could in good conscience advise his client to plead guilty and strike a bargain if that attorney cannot be assured that the prosecution must keep the bargain.'" *Id.* at *8 n.14. (quoting *State v. Tourtellotte*, 564 P.2d 799, 802 (Wash. 1977) (en banc). In other words, because withdrawal of the plea bargain had been coerced by the State's breach and because withdrawal was an inadequate remedy for that breach, specific performance of the withdrawn plea was required.

The majority believes that *Cuero* is distinguishable because of the procedural posture of that case, namely, that Cuero initially argued breach and sought specific

performance in state habeas court. That distinction, however, is without a difference. Here, as in *Cuero*, the state breached its agreement, and here, as in *Cuero*, the breach resulted in the withdrawal of the plea agreement. In both cases, the withdrawal "exposed" the defendant to the fundamentally unfair risk of a potential life sentence. In both cases, the withdrawal of the plea was meaningless, as it afforded "no remedy." *See id.* at *7. Accordingly, in both cases the proper result as a matter of law was to enforce the original terms of the bargain, not to withdraw the plea. In *Cuero*, however, we reinstated the defendant's withdrawn bargain, and here, we do not. Put simply, the majority's theory that withdrawal of the plea "nullifies" the defendant's ability to specifically enforce a bargain, even though the withdrawal had been coerced by the State's breach, is inconsistent with our holding in *Cuero*.[14]

In short, in every case to have addressed the question, courts have recognized that, when the State breaches its plea

[14] Indeed, the difference between the procedural posture in *Cuero* and this case is not so great as the majority suggests. Both requested specific performance only after their plea had already been withdrawn. In *Cuero*, the defendant pleaded guilty to the charges in the amended complaint subsequent to the withdrawal of his original plea, but before he requested specific performance. *See id.* at *2 ("[T]he Superior Court allowed Cuero to withdraw his guilty plea and enter a new plea agreement[.]"); *see also Cuero v. Cate*, 2011 WL 7769328, at *2 (S.D. Cal. 2011) (explaining that, subsequent to the amended complaint "Cuero withdrew his previous guilty plea, and entered into a negotiated plea to the charges contained in the . . . amended complaint, admitted two prior felonies contained therein, and a stipulated 25-years-to-life-sentence."). Cuero did not request specific performance until his post-conviction habeas petition before the California Court of Appeal. *See Cuero*, 2011 WL 7769328, at *6. In contrast, Fox first requested specific performance at an even earlier procedural stage: after the withdrawal of her plea, but before her subsequent conviction at trial.

agreement after the defendant has already substantially performed his part of the bargain, withdrawal of the plea is *no remedy* at all. Accordingly, by failing to give Fox specific performance of her bargain and instead withdrawing her plea, the State denied her the constitutional remedy to which she was entitled.

The majority would apparently distinguish all prior reported cases on the patently erroneous assumption that Fox voluntarily decided in 1989 to abandon the plea deal the State had guaranteed her in order to seek to establish her innocence in a new trial. It simply defies all logic and reason to believe that Fox, having bargained for her release on parole following seven and one-half years of imprisonment, having delivered the testimony the State demanded in return for her relatively short period of incarceration, and having served five years of that seven and one-half year term, would have voluntarily decided to refuse to serve her remaining two and a half years in order to undergo a new trial on a more serious charge with a possible, indeed almost certain, term of life without parole. This is particularly obvious as she had little if any evidence of innocence, had never seriously denied her guilt, and the evidence of that guilt was overwhelming. Under a proper reading of the record in this case, nothing whatsoever supports the majority's counter-factual conclusion or suggests so unlikely and irrational an intent on Fox's part. Rather, at all times her effort was to obtain, by one means or another, the state-promised limitation of seven and one-half years to the sentence she was serving and was close to completing. *See supra* pp. 39 40; *see also infra* pp. 61 64.

C. The State is not Excused from its Obligation to Provide A Meaningful Remedy by the Coerced Withdrawal of Fox's Guilty Plea

The majority believes that the State's withdrawal of Fox's plea was appropriate because that was the remedy she sought. There are several problems with this conclusion. First, it is directly contrary to *Santobello*, which held that the remedy must be selected by the state court based on the circumstances of the case, *not* dictated solely by the defendant's request. *Santobello*, 404 U.S. at 262 63; *id.* at 267 (Douglas, J. concurring). Although a defendant's request for a specific remedy is to be given "considerable" weight, that choice is meaningless where, as here, the court does not know whether the defendant has been fully advised of the possible options and where the court has failed to determine the voluntariness of the defendant's request. Second, the context of Fox's request for withdrawal shows that she did not want to withdraw the plea to which she had agreed, or to face trial on the charges to which she had pled, let alone to a more serious charge on which the State had agreed not to prosecute her. Rather, she believed that her motion to "withdraw" from the State's version of the agreement would allow her to replead to an offense that would ensure that she would receive the benefit of her bargain. Third, Fox's request for "withdrawal" was coerced by the State's false representations regarding the nature of the plea agreement she would not have filed a petition at all if not for its repeated false denials of its promise to her. Finally, as already discussed, specific performance was the only proper remedy for the State's breach under the circumstances of the case. Fox's request for a different remedy constituted, at most, an involuntary, unknowing, and uninformed waiver of her constitutional right to the only true remedy: specific performance. The "waiver"

thus is void, or at the least voidable, and cannot serve as the basis for denying Fox the constitutional remedy to which she is entitled.

Under *Santobello*, courts have an obligation to determine independently which remedy comports with due process and fundamental fairness, regardless of the defendant's initial request.[15] *Id.* at 262 63; *id.* at 267 (Douglas, J. concurring). Indeed, a number of cases since *Santobello* have recognized that due process requires specific performance in circumstances similar to Fox's: i.e., in cases in which the defendant initially requested withdrawal of his plea. *See, e.g.*, *Cuero*, 2016 WL 3563660; *Duff*, 551 F.2d at 186 87; *Brooks*, 243 S.E. 2d at 843.

Of course, as Justice Douglas's critical concurrence in *Santobello* suggests, a defendant's choice of relief should ordinarily be given "considerable" weight in determining which remedy due process requires, but that choice is without force unless it was voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently

[15] This requirement serves a practical purpose. That withdrawal of the plea is, in cases like Fox's, not a constitutionally valid remedy is now established. Thus, a defendant who requests withdrawal may, in fact, be waiving a right to which he is constitutionally entitled. Judges, who understand the consequences, legal and practical, of particular remedies, are in the best position to ensure that the defendant understands his options and constitutional rights before the plea is withdrawn—just as a judge must ensure that the defendant understands his options and his constitutional rights before his plea of guilty is accepted in the first place. In fact, in many cases, the judge may be the *only* person capable of ensuring that the defendant understands his options, because many defendants are not represented by counsel during state collateral proceedings. Moreover, those who are represented are not afforded constitutional protection against the incompetence of their counsel. *See Pennsylvania v. Finley*, 481 U.S. 551, 554 (1987).

made. Here, although Fox asked to "withdraw" the plea, the context makes clear that she wished to "withdraw" only from the terms of the agreement that the State sought to unilaterally enforce against her, not from the plea bargain as she (correctly) understood it. Her petition stated that she "did not understand that her period of confinement would exceed seven and one-half years with good prison behavior." The truth was, of course, that her confinement *could not*, under the terms of the actual plea agreement, be longer than seven and one-half years with good behavior. *See Brown*, 337 F.3d at 1161. Indeed, the state court of appeal found as much following the State's concession on Fox's direct appeal. It was only under the State's fallacious version of the agreement, which it attempted unilaterally to enforce against her, that Fox could be imprisoned for longer than seven and one-half years without parole.

Fox simply had no objective reason to seek to invalidate the actual plea agreement that promised her parole after the agreed-upon period, nor is there any reason to believe that she would have agreed to do so but for the State's breach of its promise. At no point prior to withdrawal did the superior court ask Fox whether she wished to withdraw her plea and face the possibility of trial or whether she wished to seek specific enforcement. Further, as she testified at the 1999 hearing, she believed her motion to "withdraw" would guarantee her the mutually agreed-upon seven and one-half years by allowing her to receive the opportunity to replead to a lesser offense one that would permit compliance with California sentencing law while still allowing her the promised limited term of imprisonment. Indeed, shortly after the court withdrew Fox's plea, she moved for specific performance, making clear that she had only sought to "withdraw" from the plea that the State represented to be the

bargain a plea to which she in fact had never agreed. Thus, it is impossible to conclude, as the majority so facilely does, that Fox voluntarily withdrew her plea. Indeed, Fox's request to withdraw was coerced by the State's repudiation of the bargain. If not for the State's actions, she in all likelihood would not have filed the motion to withdraw, and even if she had, the withdrawal would have been unlawfully coerced or, to put it differently, unknowing, uninformed, and involuntary.

Finally, the state court cannot be excused from its duty to consider, and ultimately, grant specific performance as a remedy simply because another ground existed for withdrawal separate and apart from the State's breach regarding its promise of parole after seven and one-half years. The court withdrew Fox's plea without addressing the State's breach. It did so on the ground that Fox had not been advised of a different parole term required by state law to be included in her sentence: lifetime parole. State law at the time permitted a defendant who had not been advised of the length of the parole term following his release from prison to withdraw his plea. *See In re Carabes*, 144 Cal. App. 3d 927, 928, 933 (Ct. App. 1983). *Carabes* did not, however, address the case in which there has been both a failure to advise the defendant about a term of the plea agreement *and* a breach of the agreement itself; it certainly did not address a case in which the plea had been breached after the defendant had already substantially performed his part of the agreement. Even if Fox could withdraw her plea on the basis of the failure to advise her of the duration of parole, doing so would not provide a constitutionally adequate remedy for the breach of the plea agreement, and would, in effect, allow the State to breach the agreement with impunity.

In my view, the result under the Due Process Clause is clear: when there has been both a breach of the plea agreement and some other, non-constitutional violation, (or even a constitutional one) the state court must consider the violations together in determining the appropriate remedy, or at the least it cannot rule on the remedy for the other violation without also considering the proper remedy for the breach of the plea agreement. *Santobello* clearly states that a defendant *must* be provided with a remedy for the State's breach, and that, in a number of circumstances, withdrawal will not be proper even when the defendant requests it. 404 U.S. at 262 63; *see also id.* at 267 (Douglas, J. concurring). Numerous cases since *Santobello* have held that when a defendant has substantially performed his end of the bargain, withdrawal is no remedy at all. *See, e.g.*, *Cuero*, 2016 WL 3563660; *Brown*, 337 F.3d at 1161. It therefore follows that, when there has been a breach *and* some other procedural plea violation, courts *must* consider whether specific performance is the appropriate remedy, even if withdrawal would be appropriate for the procedural violation alone. Any other result would deny defendants who have performed their part of the bargain the constitutional remedy for the State's breach of the plea agreement to which they are entitled.[16] Here, the

[16] It may, of course, be the case that a defendant truly wishes to withdraw his plea, even despite a breach. In such circumstances, a defendant's knowing, voluntary, and intelligent waiver of his constitutional right to specific performance is something that the state courts should consider when devising an appropriate remedy. *See Buckley*, 441 F.3d at 699 n.11 ("[I]n a case in which the state has already received the benefit of the bargain, the harm caused by its breach is generally best repaired by specific performance of the plea agreement, although a defendant may, if he so chooses, elect instead to rescind the agreement and take his chances from there."). A court cannot know whether the defendant has made an appropriate "choice" of withdrawal,

state court failed even to consider the State's breach of the plea agreement, and disposed of Fox's claim solely on the basis of the procedural violation. In doing so, it deprived Fox of her right to due process of law.

Two years after the state superior court revoked Fox's plea agreement, the California Supreme Court cautioned lower courts against the very sin committed by the superior court when it withdrew Fox's plea without addressing the State's breach. The court explained that in "any given case, there may be a violation of both the advisement requirement, or the plea bargain, or both" and that when both types of error are present and the defendant has already begun serving his sentence, the defendant's agreement should be specifically enforced, rather than withdrawn because "permitting him to withdraw his guilty plea *cannot* restore the status he enjoyed before sentencing." *People v. Walker*, 819 P.2d 861, 864 (Cal. 1991).[17] Thus, the California Supreme Court belatedly recognized, as a matter of state law, what courts across the country had previously held as a matter of federal constitutional law: when a defendant has substantially performed his end of the bargain, or served a substantial

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however, if it never informs the defendant of his rights, presents the defendant with his options, and makes the inquiry necessary to determine whether the request for withdrawal is voluntary. In this case, Fox's efforts to enforce the agreement pre-trial demonstrate clearly her preference for enforcement over withdrawal of the plea.

[17] *Walker* was subsequently overruled to the extent that it had held that failure to advise a defendant of restitution where the plea bargain was silent as to restitution was not a breach of the agreement, but merely a failure to advise. *See People v. Villalobos*, 277 P.3d 179, 185 (Cal. 2012) (in bank). That does not affect the result here, however. In fact, it makes the constitutional violation even clearer.

portion of his sentence, withdrawal of the bargain cannot provide the constitutional remedy for the State's breach that due process requires.

The superior court had two opportunities to remedy its failure to provide Fox the constitutional remedy to which she was entitled when, post-*Walker,* Fox filed her pre-trial motions explaining that withdrawal was an inadequate remedy for the breach of her plea. The court failed to take advantage of those opportunities, and instead, without discussing whether the earlier withdrawal was appropriate or constitutional, denied both motions by means of a form order. The court then had a third opportunity when Fox asked for the benefit of her original bargain at sentencing, where she explained that "there is and was no way that allowing her to withdraw her plea" after so many years in prison "was fair or just." The state court again did not correct its prior errors, and instead, sentenced Fox to life imprisonment without the possibility of parole. These orders also were arbitrary and capricious and furthered the State's deprivation of her right to a constitutional remedy for the State's breach of the plea agreement.[18] Moreover, barring commutation of her sentence by the governor, they sealed Fox's fate for life.

D. The Appropriate Remedy is Now to Grant Fox the Relief She Sought Thirty Years Ago

In short, Fox's plea agreement should never have been withdrawn by the state court. Doing so was contrary to the mandate of *Santobello*, its progeny and due process (as well

[18] No prejudice to the court or the State could even arguably have been used to justify the denial of Fox's pre-trial (or even post-trial) motions existed.

as to California law). Further, it allowed the State to breach its agreement with impunity, and instead, forced Fox alone to bear the burden of the State's constitutional errors. That burden is a heavy one. Even though the State originally agreed that the service of a prison sentence of seven and one-half years prior to release on parole was sufficient for the crime to which she pled, Fox will now likely die in prison for that very same conduct.

The majority believes that its decision is unavoidable because even if Fox was, at one point, entitled to specific performance, the time for that remedy has long passed. Once the state court withdrew her plea bargain (whether voluntarily or not), the majority argues, there was no longer an agreement for it to enforce. This decision is in conflict with our recent decision in *Cuero v. Cate*, in which we granted specific performance after a plea had already been withdrawn. Even absent the existence of *Cuero*, however, I do not believe that the fundamental fairness that due process requires can be so simply disregarded in the guise of adherence to a prior unfair and unconstitutional judicial action. An injustice cannot become just merely through the State's compounding of its error and the passage of time.

Because the state court withdrew Fox's plea without considering the remedy of specific performance and because withdrawal of her plea was involuntary, Fox was denied the constitutional remedy required for the State's breach. Her subsequent efforts to reinstate and enforce that plea agreement were also unconstitutionally denied. The resulting conviction of Fox for a more serious crime on which the State had promised not to prosecute her cannot stand. Accordingly, this court should now do what should have been done three decades ago: enforce the plea agreement upon which Fox and

the State mutually agreed. It necessarily follows that we should vacate the conviction on the charge of first degree murder.

Fox, who has served over twenty-five years in excess of the seven and one-half years that she was promised, should be released forthwith. She has already suffered more than enough from the State's violation of her constitutional rights. I agree that we are incapable of remedying this travesty entirely, because we cannot give Fox back the extra twenty-five years she has spent in prison. I do not agree, however, that we are unable to prevent the further perpetuation of this inexcusable travesty of justice and become parties to the unprecedented violation of Fox's constitutional rights. I respectfully dissent.

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Re: Application for Commutation of Sentence: Candace Lee Fox

Dear Governor Brown,

On behalf of Candace Lee Fox, I submit her application for a commutation of sentence from life-without-the-possibility-of-parole to a parole-eligible sentence of fifteen years to life.[1] (Ex. 1, Candace Fox's Personal Statement.) The circumstances of the crime are set forth in *Fox v. Johnson*, 832 F.3d 978, 980-81 (9th Cir. 2016). (Ex. 2 at 6-8.)

In 1984, Fox and two codefendants (Janet Meyer and Scott Peters) pleaded guilty to second degree murder following their participation in a robbery that resulted in the death of the victim, Lewis Levy. Fox cooperated with the government and testified for five hours at Peters' preliminary hearing. Peters thereafter pleaded guilty to second degree murder with a gun enhancement and received a sentence of twenty-one years to life in prison. Fox and Meyer pleaded guilty to second degree murder and were sentenced to fifteen years to life in prison. At Fox's sentencing, the prosecutor and Fox's defense counsel affirmed on the record that, as "part of the plea bargain," Fox would be eligible for parole in seven

[1] The requested commutation to a fifteen-years-to-life sentence is consistent with Candace Fox's original sentence in 1984 and the sentence received by her codefendant Janet Meyer, who has since been released on parole. Fox does not, however, condition her request for clemency to any particular term.

and a half years. (Ex. 2 at 10.) As Fox would later learn, however, this understanding was contrary to California law, which required her to serve a minimum of ten years before she would become eligible for parole.

Prompted by the uncertainty surrounding her sentence, Fox's mother hired a habeas lawyer, and, in 1989, five years into her sentence for second-degree murder, Fox withdrew the plea agreement as constitutionally involuntary in Los Angeles Superior Court. The prosecution reinstated the original charges of first degree felony murder and residential burglary, and a special circumstance allegation that the murder occurred during the burglary. Cal. Penal Code §§ 187(a), 459, 190.2(a)(17). Fox, as the only defendant standing trial for these crimes, was convicted of these charges and received a *mandatory* sentence of life without the possibility of parole.

A. In denying habeas relief over Judge Reinhardt's dissent, the Ninth Circuit deemed the case "troubling" and "unfortunate" and suggested that clemency may be appropriate.

A divided Ninth Circuit panel denied Fox's habeas petition seeking relief under the federal constitution. (Ex. 2 at 6-26.) Fox argued that the government breached the plea agreement by failing to abide by the seven-and-a-half-year promise of parole. Judge Reinhardt wrote in dissent that "what happened to Candace Fox is not fair, not by any possible conception of the word," and "[i]f due process means anything, it means that the promise that the State made over thirty years ago should be enforced and Fox's unconstitutional sentence of life without the possibility of parole should be vacated." (Ex. 2 at 30.) Judge Reinhardt also raised the prospect of clemency as a possible remedy, stating, "Fox will now likely spend the rest of her life in prison, unless the governor commutes her sentence." (Ex. 2 at 29 (emphasis added).)

Although the majority denied federal habeas relief, concluding that because Fox "chose in the state habeas proceedings to seek vacation of her conviction . . . she therefore has no due process right to specific performance of the rescinded agreement" (Ex. 2 at 6), the majority agreed with Judge Reinhardt regarding certain inequities in Fox's case:

> We agree with our dissenting colleague that the circumstances of this case are unfortunate. The others convicted of the offense for which Fox is serving a life sentence received lesser terms, and she kept her promise of cooperation to the State.

> Indeed, she would have been better off had the state court never granted her habeas petition; she would at least now be eligible for parole.

(Ex. 2 at 26.)

Judge Hurwitz wrote separately that because the State "had a hand in producing an outcome that disfavored the one defendant who cooperated with the prosecution, the State could remedy this situation either through clemency or by once again offering Fox the chance to plead guilty to second-degree murder." (Ex. 2 at 28 (emphasis added).) Fox seeks that relief here through her request for a commutation of sentence, returning her to the fifteen-years-to-life sentence for second degree murder to which she was originally sentenced in 1984.

Just as three appellate judges in the Ninth Circuit saw inequities in Fox's case, so too did the district judge who reviewed her case below. Magistrate Judge Fernando Olguin (now a United States District Judge) originally issued a report and recommendation granting Fox habeas relief and ordering her release from prison. (Ex. 2 at 43-44.) After the State submitted objections under the Antiterrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act ("AEDPA"), Judge Olguin amended his report and concluded that he was required to deny federal habeas relief. (Ex. 2 at 43.) The United States Supreme Court has observed that cases which are denied federal habeas relief because they fail to meet AEDPA's stringent requirements—requirements which prohibit federal habeas relief even in cases of "clear error," *White v. Woodall*, 134 S. Ct. 1697, 1702 (2016)—may nonetheless merit executive clemency. *See Cavazos v. Smith*, 565 U.S. 1, 8-9 (2011) (per curiam) (denying habeas relief under AEDPA but acknowledging "grounds to seek clemency . . . to help ensure that justice is tempered by mercy").

Due to uncertainties surrounding Fox's original plea agreement, which the State "had a hand in producing" (Ex. 2 at 28) and because of her misguided decision to rescind the plea agreement, Fox is now serving a grossly disproportionate sentence to that of her codefendants. Meyer was *released* on parole more than five years ago without opposition from the district attorney. (Ex. 8 at 298-307.) Peters has had four parole hearings, though he refused to attend his most recent hearing in 2014, during which the parole board cited his "continued . . . intermittent acts of violence throughout his incarceration." (Ex. 9 at 335.) Unlike her codefendants, Fox has no opportunity to appear before a parole board, yet she has lived an exemplary life in prison aimed at rehabilitation, education, and service to others. Given the opportunity, Fox will readily demonstrate her suitability for parole.

B. If the requested commutation is granted, Fox will demonstrate her suitability for parole.

Fox has used her time in prison to better herself and her community, and she has earned the support of prison staff, family and friends. Correctional Officer Ed Harris wrote in 2013 that he "wholeheartedly believe[s] with no reservations that Inmate Fox is 100 percent suitable for parole and ready for release at the earliest possible date." (Ex. 3 at 72.) The executive assistant to the warden at the California Institution for Women, Tracie Shaw, also supports this request for a commutation, writing, "[t]here are many inmates who should spend the rest of their life in prison, but I do not believe Candace is one of them." (Ex. 3 at 73.) Shaw added, Fox "has accomplished a great deal while incarcerated" and she "has used the opportunity to become a better person, to help her fellow inmates, and to reach out through programs to make life better for people inside and outside of prison." (Ex. 3 at 74.) Fox's prison records show that the remarkable support she has received from prison staff is well-earned.

Good behavior. Fox has incurred only two documented rule violations over the past fourteen years, none of them violent or indicative of dishonesty. In 2002, when Fox was scheduled for a transfer from the California Institution for Women (CIW) to Central California's Women's Facility (CCWF) based on reclassification of these facilities, "CIW staff request[ed] that Inmate Fox be approved for retention at [CIW]," noting "Fox is a good role model for the other inmates and a stabilizing influence on her housing unit." (Ex. 7 at 296.)

Prior convictions. Fox has no prior convictions nor juvenile adjudications. (Ex. 7 at 296.)

Education. Fox earned her GED in prison in 1985 and an Associate of Arts degree, majoring in Social & Behavioral Science, in 2009. (Ex. 4 at 116-17, 119-20.) Her instructors variously describe her as "intelligent," "conscientious," and "cooperative," (*id.* at 129-134), a student who "demonstrate[s] a high degree of knowledge about the course material" and "applie[s] herself very well" (*id.* at 131). One instructor stated simply, Fox is "[a] good writer, a good reader, a good thinker," while another described her as "[f]ully capable of doing good work anywhere." (*Id.* at 130, 132.) When a medical injury forced Fox to miss part of a class, the instructor observed, Fox "worked hard to make-up work missed and performed quite well on her examinations." (Ex. 4 at 133.)

In addition to her coursework, Fox completed several certifications enabling her to teach others, and the prison has repeatedly recognized her work teaching

literacy, tutoring inmates in pursuit of their GEDs, and facilitating classes on HIV prevention, mental health issues, and other self-help programming. (Ex. 5 at 170-73; 189, 196, 204, 207, 212-16, 220.)

Ministry. Fox considers herself a born-again Christian and has maintained a close relationship with the prison chaplain for decades. Chaplain Mrotzek writes that Fox "has helped countless inmates to change their lives and do their time differently." (Ex. 3 at 75.) She recounts that "inmates have shared with me over the years that Candace set the example for them and took time to mentor them." (*Id.*) Fox has completed courses in American Sign Language and Religious American Sign Language, which she has used to translate for hearing-impaired inmates. (Ex. 5 at 147, 253.) Chaplain Mrotzek notes that of "thousands of inmates" to whom she has ministered throughout her career, she places Fox "at the top of the list of inmates I fully believe in and want to see have the opportunity to go home." (Ex. 3 at 76.)

Programming. Correctional Officer M. Arrington writes that throughout the time that he has personally observed Fox in custody, she has maintained a "good attitude" and has been "focused on bettering herself." (Ex. 5 at 144.) Fox has participated in extensive programming both as a participant and facilitator. In May 2016, she completed a 96-hour course called "Life Scripting," conducted by the non-profit organization, Women 4 Change. (Ex. 5 at 145.). Significantly, a ten-year study revealed that the recidivism rate for alumnae of this program is less than four percent. (*Id.*) Fox has also participated on the Women's Advisory Council as a liaison between inmates and prison staff, a role for which the warden recognized her hard work and dedication in 1998 and 2000. (Ex. 5 at 174-83, 234, 240.) Among other activities, Fox has made piñatas for the Mexican American Resource Association and has volunteered with "Happy Hats for Kids," a program in which inmates make silly hats to deliver to children with serious illnesses in hospitals to lift their spirits. (Ex. 5 at 148, 157, 166).

As with her educational pursuits, Fox has used programming opportunities to teach others what she has learned. She completed a nine-month course to become an Inmate Assistance Clerk so she could help other inmates cope with physical and mental disabilities. (Ex. 5 at 185, 190-92, 196-98.) She completed an Inmate Peer Counseling Workshop so she could lead self-help groups. (Ex. 5 at 221.) She participates in the Big Sister Mentorship Program and has co-facilitated the Victim Services Program, for which she also organized Walk-a-Thons to further benefit the program. (Ex. 5 at 222-28, 199-200, 209.) As James Whitehouse, an attorney who has helped inmates at CIW with parole hearings for decades observed, Fox has participated in these activities despite knowing that she

"has never been eligible for parole." (Ex. 3 at 98.) Her work for others simply reflects "the type of person she is." (*Id.*)

Work Supervisor Reports. Fox has worked as a sewing machine operator, stock clerk, cook, and mail clerk, for which she has continually received exceptional marks from supervisors. (Ex. 6 at 265-95.) As one supervisor commented, "[h]er hard work has resulted in the Miller unit placing first in cleanliness inspections week after week." (Ex. 6 at 272.) When she worked as a sewing machine operator, the supervisor described her as a person with "good work habits" who "associates well with the other workers." (Ex. 6 at 284.) The supervisor of her janitorial work said she does "an exceptional job" and is "an asset to the unit." (Ex. 6 at 294.)

The mail room sergeant took special notice of Fox's value to that department, which he described as "essential to the safety and security of the institution and requires an inmate clerk who is dependable, reliable, efficient, and who displays integrity and high moral principles." (Ex. 5 at 146.) He added, "Inmate Fox possess these qualities," and he requested that Fox remain in the assignment because it would be "extremely difficult" to replace her. (*Id.*)

Stable Social History. Fox has maintained stable social relationships throughout her time in custody. She has two children and three grandchildren. Her daughter, Danielle, was six years old at the time of the commitment offense in 1984 and was raised by Fox's parents with frequent visits to see Fox in prison. (Ex. 3 at 77.) Danielle has fond memories of her mother before the commitment offense, recalling "mom taking me to preschool, doing my hair so nicely each day with barrettes, her laying on the couch with me as we watched cartoons everyday snacking on fresh veggies and ranch dressing." (*Id.*) More than three decades later, Danielle writes that Fox has remained "a part of every aspect of my life even though she was in prison," and "[s]he has been my example all these years of a woman of morals, love, strength and faith." (*Id.*)

Fox has also bonded with her two-year-old granddaughter, Isabella, who regularly accompanies Danielle on visits with her mother. They are shown together in the photograph at Exhibit 10 (page 340). Fox uses these visits to teach Isabella sign language. (Ex. 3 at 85.) She also enjoys singing to Isabelle over the phone. (*Id.*) Fox's friends and family members uniformly state that Fox's primary desire is to be with her family and that her family warmly welcomes her return. (Ex. 3 at 77-96.)

Fox's son, Shaun Amundson, was even younger than Danielle at the time of the commitment offense. (Ex. 3 at 80.) He was raised by his father who lived in Washington State and did not initially maintain a close relationship with Fox. Seven years ago, after having his second child, Shaun traveled with his family to visit Fox in prison for the first time. "It was the most amazing moment I have shared with anyone," he writes. (*Id.*) They have shared a close relationship for seven years, and Shaun hopes to have more time with his mother in the future, stating "we need my mother in our lives." (*Id.*)

Both of Fox's parents passed away while she was in custody, but her father's brother, Richard Bausch, strongly supports her request for clemency, writing that "[l]ife without the possibility of parole should be reserved for hardened criminals whose release would be a threat to society. Candace is no hardened criminal and her release would be no threat to society." (Ex. 3 at 81.) Her twin sister, Bonnie, writes that she would welcome Fox to live with her, describing Fox as "a good citizen" who will "continue the good work for others that she has been doing in prison, on the outside." (Ex. 3 at 83.) Another sister, Darlene Bausch, writes that Fox "should have the chance to finally be with her family. . . . We love her and miss her." (Ex. 3 at 88.)

Remorse. Fox has separately written a statement in support of her application, emphasizing her "deepest regret and continual remorse for the death of Mr. Levy." (Ex. 1 at 1.) "I think about the victim and his family almost every day," she writes, and "my soul is tortured by the memory of those events." (*Id.*) Fox takes "personal responsibility" for the crime and acknowledges, "I really can't make amends for the loss of his life." (*Id.*) "My only way of trying to make amends in some way was to work hard in prison for the authorities, as well as helping my peers, and to grow in every way, including spiritually." (*Id.*) Chaplain Mrotzek observes, as have others, that Fox has "genuine remorse in her heart." (Ex. 3 at 75; *see also id.* at 78, 80, 111.)

Post-Release Plans. While Fox ultimately plans to live with her family, she has already been accepted for transitional housing at Vesper House in North Hollywood, California. (Ex. 3 at 100-01.) She plans to become actively involved in her local church, wherever she transitions, and to be an active grandmother for as long as her health permits. (Ex. 1 at 2.)

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C. Fox's diminishing health further supports her request for clemency.

Fox has been imprisoned more than 33 years and is 57 years old. She suffers from multiple health issues, including squamous cell carcinoma (skin cancer), spinal stenosis (pinching of the spinal cord), atherosclerotic disease (hardening of the arteries), and mild mitral valve regurgitation (a condition in which blood does not flow correctly within the heart and leaks back from the ventricle). She has a family history of heart disease, and her grandmother died of a heart attack at age 53, younger than Fox is today. (Ex. 11 at 341.) These conditions further show that Fox presents no danger to society, and her continued work on behalf of others, despite her diminishing health, further demonstrates her passion for service.

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In sum, Candace Fox is a loving grandmother, an avid learner, devout Christian, and tireless volunteer and mentor. She has demonstrated sincere remorse and is a model candidate for parole consideration. I join her many supporters, including prison staff, in requesting that you commute her sentence.

Sincerely,

Michael Parente
Deputy Federal Public Defender

Enclosure

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Hugo Gonzalez

Hugo Gonzalez claims that he was purchasing marijuana at an apartment building on February 29, 2000, when he was pistol whipped by a man in the building. He went home to retrieve a weapon, returned, and shot at Donja Brooks, Damon Sloan, and Tracy Woods. All three were injured, but survived. On October 3, 2001, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Gonzalez to 7 years to life for attempted murder with an enhancement of 25 years to life for the use of a firearm, a total term of 32 years to life.

Mr. Gonzalez was only 16 years old at the time of this crime and he has now been incarcerated for 17 years. He told an investigator, "I'm no longer the same individual I was before. I'm not that teenager that is out to prove something that he is not." Mr. Gonzalez has taken advantage of his time in prison and has taken many opportunities to change his life. He has turned away from gangs, avoided alcohol and drugs, and has only been disciplined for one rule violation in nearly two decades. He has routinely received positive work ratings. One of his supervisors recommended him for a commutation of sentence and commended him for being a model inmate. A correctional lieutenant praised Mr. Gonzalez for his "commitment to give back to his community in a positive way and for his personal dedication to positive change." He is working towards an associate's degree and has participated in self-help groups including Narcotics Anonymous, Criminals and Gangmembers Anonymous, Victim Mentality, and Alternatives to Violence. A volunteer coordinator thanked Mr. Gonzalez for his work mentoring youth offenders and wrote that his "honesty and dedication to the [program's] philosophy and [his] community service reflects his desire to live life giving back and [that he] should be commended for his selfless contribution in assisting the youth to examine the consequences of their own decisions and actions." Mr. Gonzalez has a plan for his life after being released from prison that includes guaranteed housing, therapy, and a scholarship to continue his education.

Mr. Gonzalez committed a very serious crime when he was a teenager and has since found a way to mature and grow into a young man committed to helping others and improving himself. For these reasons, I believe he deserves an earlier chance to make his case before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can decide whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Hugo Gonzalez to a total of 17 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: HUGO GONZALEZ Date of Birth: [redacted]83 Inmate ID: T-35017

Address: P.O. Box 689, Soledad, CA 93960 Facility: CTF CENTRAL

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
3 counts of 664/187	2-29-00	Los Angeles	(32 yrs. to life with parole)

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):
see attachment

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):
see attachment

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):
see attachment

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office.

I, Hugo Gonzalez, *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)

have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)

commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Applicant's Signature

5-17-17
Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Hugo Gonzalez,

was convicted of the crime of 664/187 (3 Counts),

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of 2-29-2000.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

Applicant's Signature 5-17-17 Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____, District Attorney of the County of _____,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CRIME

It's was the afternoon of Feb. 29,2000. I stood across the street of Chestnut and 17th as I intently observed the man that 'pistol whipped' me just moments before . My vision and motives as a 16 year old obnoxious teen were focused and fueled by the anger that masked my truest feelings of hurt and inadequacies that I immaturely constantly used to justify the wrongs I commited through out my life. I walked up as close as possible to Donja Brooks as his back was turned towards me. He continued his conversation with a female that was sitting in the drivers seat of her car (Tracy Woods). That was moment that I chose to shot Donja Brooks repeatedly until he dropped to the ground. I continued to shoot Tracy Woods and Damian Sloan purely on the criminal perspective that they were witnesses to the extreme crime took place. I then fled the scene. On April 12, 2000, I was arrested for three accounts of attempted murder, I was later sentence to 25 to life for attempted murder with premeditation.

EXPLAIN WHY YOU ARE REQUESTING A COMMUTATION: I rightfully deserve the sentence that I was given and with this fact I had a choice to make and that was, do I allow this consequence to mold me into a person that even my own loved ones fear? Or do I embrace this experience as lessons that help me understand and grow as a human-being? I've chosen to grow as a human being and to understand my reasons and purpose in life. To understand the "why" behind the mentality that, "the world owes me or that I have something coming". The result of this understanding has helped me mature into a person that focuses on what I have to give and give it whole heartedly. I write this request out of the encouragement of those that have had the opportunity to have known me for who I've become throughout the years in prison. Its people like Father Greg Boyle, Scott Budnick, and Michael Kennedy that has brought me before you making a request that I'm unworthy of saying I deserve, but with further investigating I'm hoping you'll consider

BRIEF STATE AS TO WHY I SHOULD BE GRANTED:
I find it almost impossible to begin my request with why I SHOULD be granted considering I'm in no position to express what should happen. I feel more comfortable with expressing what has happened since my arrest on April 12, 2000. I've earned my GED and later that year officially graduated High school. I currently have 89 units of college education and I'm confidently pursuing my Bachelor's Degree. I'm a certified CNC operator, fork lift operator, as well as very capable of reading blue prints. I'm OSHA certified and have participated in over 20 self-help groups in this prison alone, I've led and facilitated more than half of the 20 and currently sit on the Executive Body of Three of the groups I'm most passionate about. Groups like Success Stories, focuses on encouraging the younger inmate population in focusing the extreme ways of living into an living a life worth living, WE CARE, is a group that informs outside troubled youth of the consequences of bad choices and the tools to recognize the reasons behind bad behavior and SOLEDAD ARTS, where we create amazing artwork that is meaning and expressive and then we organize auctions to donate to the charity of our choosing. Participating, Leading and Organizing have become my passion and form of fulfillment. Raising the bar in my way of viewing and living life has liberated me regardless of how confined my location may be. I've been recently selected to give a speech sponsored by TEDX in September of this year. The speech revolves on expressing my in-depth experience with transformation.
I'll conclude by saying that, opportunities are either avoided or pursued at every moment. I just wanted to take this opportunity to say that, "transformation goes beyond a list of positive acts or behavior written on paper. The transformation that I've learned and embrace revolves on do the right thing even when no one is watching and even if no one will ever know what was done.
Whatever your decision is, I'll respect and agree with it. I just want you to know that regardless of what you decide I will continue on this path and with confidence I declare that you will get to know me in the coming future. Until then.....
Thank you your time and undivided attention.

Sincerely,

HUGO GONZALEZ #T35017

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Charles David Henry

Cynthia Washington and Charles Henry dated for 13 years before Ms. Washington broke up with him in August 2004. After the breakup, Mr. Henry left threatening messages on her answering machine, followed her in several different cars, and parked outside her home. On October 23, 2004, Ms. Washington was in a car with her daughter. They flagged down police officers and reported that Mr. Henry had been following them and approached their car, pointed a gun at them, and threatened to shoot them. Mr. Henry got out of the car, put his gun down as ordered by officers, and was taken into custody. On September 8, 2005, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Henry to 7 years to life for attempted murder plus a 10-year firearm enhancement – a total term of 17 years to life.

Mr. Henry is now 71 years old and has been incarcerated for 13 years. He has no prior criminal history and has never been disciplined for any misconduct in prison. Since committing this crime, he has committed himself fully to rehabilitation and helping others. He has participated in multiple self-help programs including Insight, Restorative Justice Roundtable, and Anger Management, along with programs designed to help him re-enter the community if released. He plans to apply to a transitional housing program in Los Angeles. Mr. Henry has been active in veterans support groups, participated in fundraisers and donation drives for veterans and homeless youth, and volunteered as a peer medical educator. He is currently a reporter for the San Quentin News, and joined the Northern California Chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists. Mr. Henry also participated in a series of forums sponsored by the publication, which brought inmates, judges, district attorneys, educators, and public safety officials together to discuss incarceration, rehabilitation, and successful reentry into society. In 2017, Mr. Henry's correctional counselor reported that he was trustworthy and polite, and that he stays out of trouble and mentors younger inmates whenever possible. A correctional lieutenant who supervised Mr. Henry for three years said that he went above and beyond on the job and had the education and skills to be gainfully employed when released. Both staff members believed that Mr. Henry was a top candidate for a commutation of sentence.

This is undeniably a troubling crime, but Mr. Henry has no history of violence before or after this offense. It is clear that he has taken his rehabilitation very seriously and has set himself apart through his exemplary conduct. Most importantly, Mr. Henry has made amends with his victim; she does not oppose Mr. Henry's commutation and feels that the situation was "blown out of proportion." For all of these reasons, I believe that Mr. Henry is ready to be released on parole.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Charles David Henry to a total of 13 years.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

COM – 745-11
also COM – 384-10

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

Office of the Governor
State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California 95814

This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.

Please TYPE or PRINT in blue or black ink.

I.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
HENRY	CHARLES	DAVID

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]46	LOS ANGELES	[redacted]	F-00408

Current Residence

Address	Apartment, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
Central Training Facility	F-Wing 139

City	State	Zip code
Soledad	California	93960

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

- ☐ Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☐ Commutation of current sentence
- ☐ Compassionate Release
- XX Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Other

Why are you requesting clemency?

Conviction Information

Commitment Offense			
Attempt Murder Penal Code 664/187			
Date of offense	Date of conviction	Arresting agency	County of conviction
10/23/04	08/12.05	Long Beach	Los Angeles
Superior court case number	Your trial attorney's name and address	Sentence	If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any?
NA063372-01	Joe Burkhardt Public Defender	Life with Poss	04/29/20

Did you appeal your case? XX ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, appellate case number and status of case

Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
N/A			

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.
First and last name:
Telephone number:
Address:

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.
First and last name:
Telephone number:
Address:

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE
Complete this section if you are presently in prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.

Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency:
Your current physician's name:
Physician's address:
Physician's telephone number:
Have you applied to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation or the Board of Parole Hearings for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? ❑ Yes ❑ No
What was the result?

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION
Complete this section if you have completed your sentence, you are requesting clemency based upon rehabilitation and you are not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Give a brief account of your offense.
Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration.
Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you)
When were you discharged from probation or parole?
Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release.
Why you are requesting a pardon?

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered after conviction and explain its importance.

See Attached Exhibits

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

See Attached Exhibits

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

Yes - See Attached Exhbits

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

Was this evidence presented at trial?

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this section if you are currently under sentence and requesting clemency for any reason not covered above.

Explain why you are requesting clemency.

Have you sought relief from the courts?

III
NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Penal Code section 4804 requires that you give the district attorney of the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon. You must complete the attached form and mail it to the district attorney before you submit this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each district attorney must be given notice.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the district attorney of the county of

Los Angeles ***with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon, as required by Penal Code section 4804.***

(Name of county)

(Applicant's signature)

08/22/10

(Date)

IV
DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This Application for Clemency may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code Section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the forgoing is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in denial of my application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

(Applicant's signature)

08/22/10

(Date signed)

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR CLEMENCY

This Notice is submitted pursuant to Penal Code section 4804

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: (County of Conviction)

Please take notice that I, Charles David Henry, (Full Name – First, Middle and Last) was convicted of the crime of Attempt Murder - P.C. 664/187, (Give offense and Penal Code section) committed in the County of Los Angeles, (County of Conviction) State of California, convicted on 08/12/05 (Date of conviction) and sentenced to Life With Possibility (Sentence)

I will submit an application to the Governor of the State of California requesting a

- ☐ Pardon based upon rehabilitation
- ☐ Commutation of current sentence
- XX Pardon based upon innocence
- ☐ Compassionate release
- ☐ Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- ☐ Other

If other, BREIFLY EXPLAIN

Charles David Henry
Full Name of Applicant – TYPED or PRINTED

Applicant's Signature

08/22/10
Month, Day, Year

Central Training Facility - (CTF) P.O. Box 689 F-Wing 139
Applicant's Street Address

Soledad, CA 93960-0689
Applicant's City, State, Zip Code

This Section to be Completed By District Attorney Only

State of California

County of _____ } *SS.*

I, _____ *District Attorney of the County of*

of _____ *, State of California, do hereby*

acknowledge receipt of notice from _____ *that*
Name of Applicant

he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a Traditional Pardon.

[Signed] _____

District Attorney of the County of _____

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

The Applicant's due process right was offended by sentencing him on a basis of unsubstantiated allegations which are denied and disputed by him.

He was convicted August 12, 2005. On September 12, 2005, at approximately 09:46;05 AM, Court Reporter Tracy J. Candall, CSR No. 5747 recorded his sentencing proceedings. The Honorable Judge James B. Pierce "call at this time the matter of People v. Charles David Henry." RT:1801 lines 14-15.

"This matter is on calendar today for purposes of sentencing. The Probation Department has prepared a report in this matter dated today's date. This Court has read and considered that report and will receive it into evidence at this time." RT:1801 lines 24-27.

According to Penal Code section 1203(E) - the report shall be made available to the court and the prosecuting and defense attorneys at least five days, or upon request of the defendant or prosecuting attorney *** nine days prior to the time fixed by the court for the hearing and determination of the report, and shall be filed with the clerk of the court as a record in the case at the time of the hearing.

It is imperative to understand that at no time did Applicant have an opportunity to refute the report when it was received into evidence at that time.

In September, 2009 ... four (4) years after being sentenced to prison, he requested an "Olsen Review". (This request allows an inmate an opportunity to review his "Central File" once a year.)

Information discovered in a probation report divulged a terrible set of facts related to his conviction. This prejudicial evidence was hearsay used in his trial proceedings and under no circumstances was he going to get a fundamentally fair trial.

According to California Code of Regulations (CCR) Title 15 section 3450(a) - "Any person who the department maintains a record of file containing personal information has the right to inspect their record or authorize any person to inspect such record on their behalf and to request amendment to correct outdated, inaccurate or incomplete information."

The Applicant prpeared an "Inmate Request For Interview" to a case manager at Ironwood State Prison for a copy of the report. Several weeks later, he received the copy.

These deceptions were narrated by Sharon Cross from the San Gabriel Probation Office ... taken from reports and false testimonies used by the prosecution at trial.

These exaggerations were so overwhelming ... the jury believed them to be true. These officer's statements were so convincing ... the panel of jurists were prejudiced beyond a reasonable doubt. Subsequently, after a very short deliberation ... they rendered a fundamentally unfair verdict.

The judge was surprised by the jury's decision, but later admitted that he had to insert himself as a "13th jurist" to carry out what he considered to be his duty and responsibility. Before making his decision, Judge Pierce received ... reviewed and used the contents of the probation report before he sentenced the Applicant to life

with the possibility of parole. "As we have held with respect to presentence probation report, fundamental fairness demands that such a report be founded on accurate and reliable information." People v. Patterson, 108 CR. 835, People v. Calloway, 112 CR. 745, People v. Tobia, 159 CR. 378

In the California Rules of Court Rule 4.437(a) is language which states in specific terms that "in the event the parties dispute the facts upon which the conviction rested, the court shall conduct a presentence correction, additions, or deletions in the presentence probation report or order a revised report."

Since the report was received the same day that he was sentenced, the Applicant did not have an opportunity to dispute these statements.

Ms. Cross overstepped her authority in prepraring this report and became an advocate against granting probation. "The probation officer acted improperly in this case." U.S. v. Sifuentez, 30 F.3d 1047, cited in U.S. v. Espalin, 350 F.3d 495.

"A defendant has the right to present evidence in mitigation of his punishment or to assist the court in determination of his application for probation, and if he believes probation officer's report to be insufficent or inadequate, he can present witnesses to counteract or correct any portion of the report." People v. Valdivia, 5 CR. 833, 834.

He filed a request to the administration at Ironwood State Prison to delete the inadequate statements. The case manager refused. The Applicant was subsequently told to notify the court. He filed a writ of habeas corpus in the Riverside Superior Court wherein

Honorable Judge J. Thompson Banks violated due process when he failed to follow the California Rules of Court Rule 4.551(g) instructions that specifically explains "any order denying a petition for writ of habeas corpus must contain a brief statement of the reasons for the denial. An order only declaring the petition to be "denied" is insufficent. He did not receive an explanation or a reason for the judge's denial.

The Applicant filed a second writ of habeas corpus in the California Supreme Court. Chief Justice George denied the petition on February 24, 2010.

Following are excerpts filed by Ms. Cross. He will also provide testimony from witnessess at trial as evidence and proof that her report was inaccurate and not true.

See **EXHIBIT A.** Read the **'ELEMENT AND RELEVANT CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE OFFENSE"** section wherein she stated "The defendant attempted to shoot the victim and her daughter."

In **EXHIBIT B.** is testimony from Cynthia Washington - the alleged victim taken during the trial proceedings. Review page 326 lines 22-28 through page 329 lines 1-28; page 338 lines 1-28, page 347 lines 1-28, page 358 lines 1-28 and page 359 lines 1-5.

The investigating officer - Victor Ortiz also provided testimonsy. **EXHIBIT C.** Reporter's transcripts page 643 lines 1-6 which further corroborated with the victim. His commentary will be a key statement of facts that contradicts the probation officer.

She exacerbated circumstances of the offense which exaggerated the incident ... alleging on page 03/13 line 13 that the "defendant at the time of arrest pointed a gun at officers."

Officer Ortiz testified that he "never saw the defendant point the gun at officers." **EXHIBIT C.** Reporter's transcripts page 643 lines 1-28, through page 649 lines 1-16.

Ms. Cross continued her rhetoric on page 03/13 ... second paragraph lines 18-22. **EXHIBIT A.** She maliciously stated The "defendant approached the victim's car with a loaded firearm, pointed the gun at the victim and fired howver the gun jammed."

Troy Ward a criminalist from the Long Beach Police Department Crime Laboratory explained in specific details that "if you pull the trigger and nothing happened, then it could be that the firearm was not loaded or did not have a cartridge in chamber. **EXHIBIT D. RT:683 lines 27-28, RT:684 line 1.**

When further questioned by defense counsel about the functionality of the firearm, Mr. Ward testified: "I found the firearm to be funetioning properly as it was designed. I loaded it with three cartridges. I inserted the magazine into the firearm and test fired three sequential shots. It fire fed normally and extracted and ejected properly all three times." He admitted that the firearm did not malfunction. **RT:684 lines 22-28.**

Probation Officer Cross's wrote statements without thoroughly investigating the truthfulness of these circumstances before sending this information to the court. "In Townsend v. Burke, (1948) 334 U.S. 736, 68 S.Ct. 1252, the Supreme Court made it clear that a sentence cannot be predicated on false information", cited in U.S. v. Weston, 448 F.3d 634.

The victim and Officer Ortiz told the truth. **EXHIBIT B.** Review

testimony of Cynthia Washington. See Reporter's transcripts page 326 lines 22-28 through page 329 lines 1-28, page 338 lines 1-28, page 347 lines 1-28, page 358 lines 1-28 through page 359 lines 1-5. Review Officer Ortiz's statement. **EXHIBIT C.** Reporter's transcripts page 643 lines 1-6.

Evidence offered by Officer Ortiz ... a non-commission officer in the United States Marines with four (4) years of experience as a weapon specialist ... far out weigh ... lies and deceptions prepared and written by an agent of the Probation Department who did not properly investigate the circumstances of the offense ... but relied on third party hearsay. "A court's reliance in it sentencing and probation decisions, factually erroneous sentencing reports or other incorrect or unreliable information can constitute a denial of the due process." People v. Eckely, 20 CR.3d 561.

These injustices were the same obstacles the Applicant could not overcome during trial. And but for those obvious reasons ... a prejudiced jury's perceptions were severally tarnished.

In the instant case, what makes these circumstances so unfair and unjust? The lies she reported in the report on page 03/13 lines 26-28. "A statement of the fact in the present offense was taken from a statement given to pretrial investigators by the investigating officer." That was an absurd ... obstinate ... soliloquy! "Such a procedure undermines the rationale of extending the defendant's protections: to guard against the inadverent use of misinformation and to ensure the defendant an adequate

opportunity to present his claim." In re Perez,53 CR. 424.

CONCLUSION

There is no doubt that the trial as well as the sentencing process ... did not satify the requirement of the Due Process Clause. According to Gardner v. Florida, 430 U.S. 349, 358; 97 S.Ct. 1179 ... "The defendant has a legitmate interest in the character of the procedure which leads to the imposition of his sentence."

In a United States Ninth Circuit Court of Appeal's case ... United States v. Weston, 448 F.2d 626 ... the Court stated in specific details "that due process is offended by sentencing on the basis of unsubstantiated allegations which were denied by the defendant."

THEREFORE, it is painfully obvious from all of these statementss and deceptions, Sharon Cross purposely intended to prepare a negative report to justify the Applicant's conviction of a crime that was never committed.

In fact the entire probation report, and it cover up was made more atrocious when she stated on page 04/13 lines 5-13 that the "undersigned was unable to obtain a copy of the arrest report containing the victim's telephone number, the victim's address was taken from the prosecutor's information system and a victim notification letter was sent through the probation clerical staff." That was not true. Cynthia Washington never received notification and did not sign a certified or registered letter indicating that she received notification from the probation officer.

Any reasonable probation officer would have verified these

statements before sending them to the judge to determine if these allesgations were true and correct. After all, she was the "undersigned". Furthermore, Sharon Cross acted as if the truth told by the victim and Officer Ortiz never existed. They both told the truth about the events that day. She did not investigate the circumstances but instead ... lied just the Long Beach Police Officers did who arrested him.

The Applicant argues that there is good cause to file this Application - Request For Clemency. There are "specific allegations that provide reason to believe that if the facts are "fully developed", he may be entitled to relief." Brachy v. Gramely, 520 U.S. 899, 918; 117 S.Ct. 1794.

He further contends that the Office of the Governor has the authority to grant him Clemency instructing the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to release the Applicant based on his actucal innocence.

The Applicant aargues that this report should have been made available to him before sentencing. The fact that he discovered its contents during an "Olsen Review" of his "Central File" four years after he was incarcerated, he submits that if proven and reviewed in light of the evidence as a whole, established clear and convincing evidence that, but for the unsubstantiated allegations, no reasonable factfinder would have found him guilty of the underlying offense.

Executive Department
State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Donna Jelenic

In January 1983, Donna Jelenic and George Lucev hired Michael Pena to murder Ms. Jelenic's husband, Vladimir Jelenic. Mr. Pena waited for Mr. Jelenic to return home from work and fatally stabbed him as he walked through the door. On May 3, 1984, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Jelenic to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder, plus six years for solicitation to commit murder.

In her commutation application, Ms. Jelenic details the abuse she suffered at the hands of her husband, describing "threats, intimidation, controlling every aspect of [her] life, pushing, choking and finally handling [their] youngest daughter inappropriately." Ms. Jelenic describes how the intimidation and violence escalated into regular threats by Mr. Jelenic to kill her and their daughters. Friends and relatives also reported seeing and hearing signs of abuse. One friend reported that she wouldn't let her young children stay at the Jelenic's home after the children reported an incident where Mr. Jelenic threw a chair at Ms. Jelenic and broke the television. The same friend observed Ms. Jelenic with a black eye and recalled that Ms. Jelenic was not allowed to go out with friends. The Jelenic's daughters often heard verbal abuse and reported that their father often came home drunk. An investigator for the Board of Parole Hearings concluded based on statements made by her daughters and other individuals that the Jelenic marriage was "tumultuous and abusive in nature." A psychological evaluation submitted with Ms. Jelenic's commutation application concluded that the effects of intimate partner violence were critical to her mental state and behavior at the time of the crime.

Since her incarceration, Ms. Jelenic has been a model prisoner. A retired associate warden supported commutation and stated that Ms. Jelenic is "the epitome of rehabilitation." He wrote that Ms. Jelenic displayed the "highest integrity" and "stellar behavior." Ms. Jelenic has never been disciplined for any misconduct in prison and has dedicated herself to self-improvement and helping others. Ms. Jelenic has participated in various self-help programs, including Beyond Violence, Convicted Women Against Abuse, and Anger and Battered Women Syndrome. She has served on the Women's Advisory Council, and has volunteered as a tutor. A correctional officer described Ms. Jelenic as "a positive role model for women in the institution" and commended her "strong work ethic and the loyalty and dedication she displays in the jobs and activities she participates in." Another officer praised Ms. Jelenic for being "compassionate, kind, and concerned [for] the well-being of others." Ms. Jelenic was instrumental in the formation of the Golden Girls, a program to address the needs of female inmates over the age of 55. Ms. Jelenic has family members who are prepared to support her if she is released.

I acknowledge that some of Mr. Jelenic's relatives have opposed clemency and do not believe the Jelenic marriage was abusive. I do not discount the profound sense of loss they must feel or the nature of Ms. Jelenic's crime, but the totality of the record indicates that she was suffering from severe effects of intimate partner battery at the time of the crime. She has also since distinguished herself by her exemplary conduct in prison and her commitment to rehabilitation. She is now 73 years old and has spent the last 34 years of her life in prison. For all of the foregoing reasons, I believe Ms. Jelenic deserves a chance to make her case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Donna Jelenic to a total of 25 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: DONNA MARIE JELENIC **Date of Birth:** [redacted]44 **Inmate ID:** W20077

EMMOAUS A-455L

Address: 16756 CHINO-CORONA RD, CORONA, CA 92880 **Facility:** CIW

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
PC 187 MURDER 1ST	1-21-83	LOS ANGELES, SOUTH WEST	LWOP
PC 653F(b) SOLICIT ANOTHER TO COMMIT MURDER	1-21-83	" "	6 YRS

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I WAS MARRIED TO MR. JELENIC FOR 13 YRS. THE EMMOTIONAL ABUSE BEGAN IMMEDIATELY AS WELL AS HIS EXCESSIVE DRINKING. DUE TO MY RELIGIOUS BELIEFS & MY YUGOSLAVIAN CULTURE & UPBRINGING, I TRIED MY BEST TO BE A GOOD WIFE & MAKE MY MARRIGE WORK. AS YEARS PASSED HIS DRINKING & ABUSE ONLY

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I WAS CONVICTED & SENTENCED BEFORE BWS LAW, THUS WAS NOT ALLOWED ANY EVIDENCE AT MY TRIAL PERTAINING TO THE ABUSE & HIS BEHAVIOR. PER JUROR'S DECLARATION (MARY COLCLASURE) IF SHE HEARD TESTIMONY GIVEN AT THE PENALTY PHASE OF TRIAL, SHE WOULD NEVER HAVE FOUND ME GUILTY OF MURDER 1ST.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I SHOULD BE GRANTED CLEMENCY/COMMUTATION FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:
1) WAS NOT AFFORDED BWS TESTIMONY AT TRIAL NOR AN EXPERT WITNESS.
2) JUROR'S DECLARATION. CONT.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

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Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office.

I, DONNA MARIE JELENIC, *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* LOS ANGELES *with notice of my intent to apply for a commutation.*

(Print Full Name)

(Name of County*)

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Donna Jelenic — Applicant's Signature

1-15-16 — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of LOS ANGELES County: Please take notice that I, DONNA MARIE JELENIC,

was convicted of the crime of PC 187, MURDER 1st - PC 653f(b) SOLICIT ANOTHER TO COMMIT MURDER.,

committed in LOS ANGELES County, California, on the date of 1-21-83.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

Donna Marie Jelenic — Applicant's Signature

1-15-16 — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____, District Attorney of the County of _____,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

#2 - Con't — Got worse to the point of threats, intimidation, controlling every phase of my life, pushing, choking & finally handling our youngest daughter inappropriately. I tried to talk to him about our failed marriage & divorce since we were married in name only for appearances. This sense of loss of control caused him to become more abusive to the point of constant threats & a gun became an almost daily form of intimidation. He pointed it at me & also at my sleeping daughters. "Just try to leave me" he would say. "I'll kill the girls so you can watch & suffer knowing its your fault, then kill you, then myself. On 1-20-83 he stated in one of his drunken stupors that he was going to kill me and the girls before the weekend was over. The look in his eyes told me that he meant what he said. (See attached evaluation authored by Sandra Baca, BVS expert witness)

#4 - Con't. — 3) Writ of Habeas Corpus denied on successive writs even though I filed under 1473.5. My direct appeal was based on ineffective assistance of counsel.

4) Exemplary & model behavior, disciplinary free since incarceration at CIW 5-10-84 (31 plus years)

5) On going attendance of self help groups

6) 20 plus years of giving back to the community - Happy Hats Project

7) Years of volunteer work in various capacities.

8) Family support & several offers of housing & financial help

9) My dear mother is 93 is waiting for me to come home so we can spend what time we have left together.

10) My children are still waiting for mom to come home to complete family — we would [illegible]

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Todd Morrison

In 1990, Todd Morrison, suicidal and high on drugs, broke into his neighbor's apartment to burglarize it. While he was in the apartment, Susan Fugatt came to the door looking for the man who lived there. Mr. Morrison let Ms. Fugatt into the apartment, and then stabbed her multiple times, killing her. On May 10, 1991, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Morrison to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder plus one year for a deadly weapon enhancement.

When Mr. Morrison applied for a commutation, he expressed deep remorse for his crime and described the efforts he has made to rehabilitate himself while in prison. He wrote, "I have had 27 years to consider the deleterious impact of my actions, atone for my crime and modify both my behavior and character by introspection, study and dedicated resolve for self-improvement."

Indeed, during almost three decades in prison, Mr. Morrison has shown a remarkable commitment to improving himself. He immediately stopped using drugs, avoided all gang activity, and has only been disciplined three times for misconduct. Mr. Morrison earned a Certificate of Achievement in Business; he is currently taking classes toward his associate's degree and has been on the honors list for several semesters. He has developed many skills through vocational certifications and the Prison Industry Authority, where he has worked since 2004 and received exceptional work ratings. Mr. Morrison volunteers as a trainer for service dogs and has resided on the honor yard since 2010. He would like to go to transitional housing if released.

The warden at Lancaster prison knows Mr. Morrison very well and has unequivocally recommended that his sentence be commuted. Mr. Morrison has also earned the respect of staff members who deal with him on a daily basis. In 2017, a correctional officer called him a "model inmate," praised his "genuine remorse and dauntless drive for rehabilitation," and wrote, "Filled with a positive attitude, paired with positive action, Morrison has made great strides toward his goal of reentering society as a productive citizen." A work supervisor who has known Mr. Morrison for 13 years commended him for his extraordinary work ethic, leadership qualities, and contribution to the team's productivity. Another work manager wrote, "[I]t is my belief that Morrison has demonstrated the qualities, character and skillset of one who is wholly capable of successful reintegration, upon his release."

Mr. Morrison has demonstrated sincere remorse for this crime and has maintained his sobriety for over 27 years. He has worked for many years to rehabilitate himself, despite serving a sentence that offered him no hope of future release. I believe he has earned a chance to make his case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can decide whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Todd Morrison to a total of 25 years to life.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

1965 per SOMS

Name: Todd A. MORRISON **Date of Birth:** [redacted]2017 **Inmate ID:** E-98626

Address: 44750 60th Street West, Lancaster, CA 93536-4430 **Facility:** CSP-LAC (Ca. St. Prison, LAC)

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s): (YA003502)	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Murder 1st Degree, W/Burglary	3/30/1990	Los Angeles County	LWOP

Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

While in a state of intoxication from non-prescription drugs (Amphetamines & Cocaine), a human life WAS wrongly taken with a knife-like instrument. This took place in a residence. Neither the murderer, nor the victim, had lawful permission to be in the house. This unlawful presence resulted in the felony-murder rule. By statute at the time of the offense: Any murder committed in conjunction with a felony = LWOP

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

This crime was committed in the nascent years of my adulthood. I have had 27 years to consider the deleterious impact of my actions, atone for my crime and modify both my behavior and character by introspection, study and dedicated resolve for self-improvement.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I have been drug-free for 27 years. I have matured emotionally. I have prepared myself, through education, to become a productive citizen, with an eye toward social commitment. I have maintained family & social ties to thwart the selfishness of excessive individualism. I am physically aged, posing no threat.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

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I, Todd A. MORRISON (Print Full Name), *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Los Angeles County (Name of County*) *with notice of my intent to apply for a commutation.*

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Todd A. Morrison — Applicant's Signature

3/20/2017 — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Allicia Phillips

In 2000, Allicia Phillips got into an altercation with her stepfather, James Edwards. Ms. Phillips shot Mr. Edwards in the abdomen and strangled him to death. She directed her son to bury the body the next day. On April 26, 2001, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Phillips to 25 years to life for first degree murder plus 25 years to life for a firearm enhancement – a total term of 50 years to life in prison.

Ms. Phillips is now 65 years old and has been incarcerated for almost 18 years. While in prison, she turned away from violence and dedicated herself to rehabilitation. In her application for clemency, she described the new coping skills she has developed and said that she felt she was an entirely different person and has let go of her anti-social and criminal attitudes that consumed so much of her life. Ms. Phillips has only been disciplined once for misconduct in almost two decades in prison. She has participated in numerous self-help programs, including Alcoholics Anonymous, Substance Abuse Program, Dealing with Anger, and Restorative Justice. She received an Associate of Religious Education degree from a Bible institution, obtained vocational training, and earned positive work ratings from her supervisors.

Ms. Phillips volunteered as a peer educator and has lived in an honor program since 2015. After many years involved in prostitution, Ms. Phillips now mentors younger inmates and helps them to turn their lives around. She stated, "Staff send[s] me the bad girls and I help to get the[m] on track. I contribute here, I am a mentor." In 2010, an instructor commended Ms. Phillips for encouraging younger inmates and wrote, "I truly believe that if given the opportunity Ms. Phillips will do very well beyond these walls." Her family has offered her housing, help finding employment, and financial resources to aid in her transition back into society.

This is a very serious crime, but it is clear that Ms. Phillips has made serious changes in her life and is committed to living without violence. I believe she deserves an earlier opportunity to make her case before the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can determine whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Allicia Phillips to a total of 25 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

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Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

COM-2125-14

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.)

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Allicia Darlene Phillips Date of Birth: [redacted]52 Social Security Number: [redacted]

Address: Central California Women's Facility, POB 1508, Chowchilla CA 93610

1. **Conviction Summary:**

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
See attached pages.			

2. **Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):**

See attached petition.

3. **Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):**

See attached petition.

4. **Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):**

See attached petition.

5. **If you have you paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):**

Charles Carbone, Esq.; Law Office of Charles Carbone, PO Box 2809, San Francisco, CA 94126; Paid: $3,500

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I, Allicia Darlene Phillips, *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the District Attorney of the County of* Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or commutation.*

(Print Full Name)

(Name of County*)

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Evan Greenberg Esq. on behalf of Allicia Phillips 12-19-1

Applicant's Signature

Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

Phillips

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Allicia Darlene Phillips,

was convicted of the crime of first-degree murder,

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of Jan 3, 2000.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

☒ **Pardon**

☒ **Commutation of sentence.** *Inmate Number:* W-89877.

Applicant's Signature — 12-12-12 Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, G Alexis de la Garza, District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Allicia Darlene Phillips,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed [signature]

Date 1/8/13

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

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ALLICIA PHILLIPS

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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

THE HONORABLE JERRY BROWN

In re ALLICIA PHILLIPS,

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

I. Introduction

Since committing her crime in 2000, Allicia Phillips has dedicated herself to rehabilitation. She devoted herself to religious studies and has become an alcohol and drug counselor. She fills her time with self-help and correspondence courses, and earned a stack of rehabilitative certificates. Not only did she earn those certificates, but many of the course administrators wrote laudatory chronos commending her leadership role in the courses. She also earned her GED from prison.

Phillips has community support, most importantly from her son and daughter-in-law, who offered Phillips a place in their home and assistance finding a job.

The stark change in Phillips's circumstances warrants reassessing her sentence. She respectfully requests a pardon, or alternatively, that the Governor commuter her sentence from 50 years to life (what it is now) to 15 years to life, so that she has a chance to earn her way out and rejoin her family.

II. Criminal conviction

Phillips is serving a sentence of 50 years to life for first-degree murder and use of a handgun. Ex. A (Court of Appeal Opinion dated Jan 14, 2002).

The crime occurred in January 2000, and the victim was Phillips's stepfather. *Id.* He was shot in the abdomen, and suffered strangulation and chest compression. *Id.* The day after the crime, Phillips's son buried the victim behind the victim's house. *Id.*

Later that day, Phillips reported her stepfather missing to the police. *Id.* The police received two anonymous tips four days after the crime, and found the stepfather's body. *Id.* But while the police were searching, Phillips called and reported that someone had seen her stepfather at a liquor store. *Id.* She asked them to call off the search. *Id.* It was later that afternoon that police found the body. *Id.*

III. Phillips's in-custody behavior

A. Certificates earned in prison

Phillips filled her time with rehabilitative efforts, and she earned a wealth of certificates for her success.

For instance, she became an Alcohol & Drug Counselor by earning her Offender Mentor Certification Program degree. Ex. B 1. The California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) awarded her a certificate from the Office of Offender Services for substance Abuse Treatment Program. Ex. B 90. And CDCR gave her a certificate for the Beyond Incarceration Program. Ex. B 89. In 2012, she celebrated nine years of sobriety. Ex. B 73.

Phillips earned her GED in prison through the Sierra Vista Adult School. Ex. B 4. She took a wide range of courses, including, among others, Office Services, Keyboarding, Wonders of Science,

several courses in Algebra, several in Fractions, Filing and Records Management, Business Math, Business Communications, Proofreading at the Computer, and courses on Microsoft Word, Excel, Access, and PowerPoint. Ex. B 4-40.

Many of Phillips's efforts focused on religion and studying the Bible. She earned seven certificates from the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod between 2002 and 2006, including Law of God; A Bible Handbook; and Jesus Is Lord, Addiction is Not. Ex. B 41-47.

Her religious studies also included courses with the Harvestime International Network, which granted her certificates in Foundations of Faith, Strategies for a Spiritual Harvest, and Kingdom Living. Ex. B 48-51. She took courses from the Aglow Prison Ministries in 2005, 2009, 2010, and 2011. Ex. B 61-64. Her other religious certificates include It Is Written Television (Ex. B 70-71), Prison Fellowship Ministries (Ex. B 72), and Jesus the One and Only. Ex. B 82.

In addition to religious studies, Phillips received training to enter the workforce. She studied through the San Joaquin County Work Net, and earned certificates for Interactive Interview, Is Your Resume Working For You, and Applications: Filling in the Blanks. Ex. B 52-56. These courses will serve her well in society.

These are only some of the highlights of the certificates that Phillips earned during her incarceration. All her certificates are attached as Exhibit B, and they reflect the effort that Phillips expended on her rehabilitation.

B. Laudatory chronos

People from correctional officers to Phillips's self-help instructors commended her effort, attitude, and progress with laudatory chronos. *See* Ex. C. These prove that Phillips did more than merely earn certificates; she played an active role and made a favorable impression.

For instance, the facilitator of the Get Out and Stay Out program wrote in 2011 that Phillips was "very active in group discussion" and that Phillips's participation as a facilitator was "instrumental in

the success of this group." Ex. C 3. The Senior Chaplain of the Protestant Chapel Celebrate Recovery Program commended Phillips for "her faithful dedication to this program and for the life experience she so sincerely contributes." Ex. C 4. In the group What Happened, Phillips "learned how to raise her self worth and self value through positive behavior and choices." Ex. C 3.

Phillips took a cosmetology course and made a strong impression on the other participants. She encouraged the ladies taking the test, and did so with "great warmth, passion and humility." Ex. C 5. The instructor also wrote, "I truly believe that if given the opportunity Ms. Phillips will do very well beyond these walls." *Id.*

And in a Lifer Psychotherapy Group dedicated to achieving insight, the instructor noted that Phillips "demonstrated a remarkable capacity for gaining insight into her behaviors and has serves as a role model for others." Ex. C 7. The instructor called it "evident that she is experiencing much emotional, psychological, and social growth." *Id.*

In 2010, a correctional officer wrote that Phillips is "respectful and honest." Ex. C 7.

These chronos demonstrate that not only does Phillips enroll in many courses and earn many certificates, but she plays an active role in the courses, encourages the other participants, serves as a role model, and makes great strides in her rehabilitation.

IV. Public safety and plans for release

Phillips knows that adjusting to life outside of prison will present major challenges, and she is ready for them. She plans to live in the Fresno First Rehabilitation Transition Program for Women, a 15-month transitional-housing program. Ex. D 2 (Phillips's Declaration). That program has already accepted her for placement. Ex. E 1.

During those 15 months, Phillips will apply for her retirement income through Social Security and her old job with Los Angeles County. Ex. D 2-3. She plans to use that money to start a vending-

machine business, buying a few machines and using the income to pay off her restitution. Ex. D 3. She will enroll in business courses at a junior college to help her business grow. Ex. D 3.

Phillips intends to use her Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counseling Skills to educate people in the community and help people avoid substance abuse. Ex. D 3-4.

Phillips has been sober for nine years, Ex. B 73, but she knows that sobriety outside of prison is a different animal than sobriety inside, so she developed a detailed relapse-prevention plan. Ex. E 2-5. Part of her plan is to reside in transitional housing, which she already arranged. Ex. E 1. But she intends to regularly participate in AA and NA groups, and continue meeting for her whole life. Ex. E 2. Establishing close family ties plays a role in her plan too, as well as building relationships with other women in recovery. *Id.* And involving herself with the local Christian groups also plays a role. *Id.*

Further, Phillips listed positive hobbies and activities to keep herself busy. Ex. E 3. These include small vacations, attending community college, volunteering with churches, and baking with her grandchildren. *Id.*

Phillips broke her action plan into several phases. Immediately upon release she will contact her parole officer, go to the DMV and Social Security Office, contact a sponsor, and meditate in the mornings and evenings. Ex. E 4. In the first two years after her release, she will continue attending AA and NA meetings, contact several ministries, and continue meditating. *Id.* Her lifelong goals include attending AA and NA, developing and maintaining relationships with her sponsor and her family, educating herself in college, getting a business license, and get involved in the Celebrate Recovery Program. *Id.*

Her relapse-prevention plan also includes a list of her triggers, risky behaviors, and fears. Ex. E 5. The list demonstrates the deep thought she gave to maintaining her sobriety.

V. Letter of apology and remorse

Phillips prepared a letter of apology, and her attorney mailed it to the Office of Victim & Survivor Rights & Services to forward to the victim's family. Ex. F.

She wrote that she is sorry for taking the life of the victim's family's loved one, James Edwards. Ex. F. She continued, "I know the word 'sorry' can't replace the loss of someone's life, but it does identify with the remorse that I feel everyday for what I've done." *Id.*

She acknowledged the magnitude of the loss and wrote that she prays everyday that the victim's family can find closure and peace. *Id.*

VI. Community and family support

In addition to the transitional housing Phillips already arranged, Ex. E 1, she has family and friends ready to lend support.

Phillips's son, Lamar Jackson, wrote a support letter on her behalf. Ex. G 1. He is willing to continue supporting her financially and mentally while she continues her rehabilitation. *Id.* He has seen his mom become a "stronger, spiritual, smarter, loving, and knowledgeable woman." *Id.* Jackson and his wife, Desiree, are willing to open their home to Phillips and help her find employment. *Id.* Jackson also wrote that Phillips's grandchildren are waiting for her. *Id.* He said that his mother is a "great mentor" who helps him handle life's struggles and find the good in bad situations. *Id.*

Desiree Jackson, Phillip's daughter-in-law, also wrote a support letter. Ex. G 2. She has known Phillips for three-and-a-half years, and has spoken with Phillips regularly for two of those years. *Id.* She describes Phillips as very smart, wise, and caring." *Id.* She also knows that Phillips is a leader, counselor, and an empowering woman. *Id.* She offers Phillips a place in her home and assistance finding a job. *Id.* She will also help Phillips adjust to life outside of prison. *Id.*

Sandra Slayton got to know Phillips while they served time together, and she has known Phillips for 11 years. Ex. G 3. She describes Phillips as "responsible and honest." *Id.* Slayton saw Phillips

grow and learn from her mistakes. *Id.* Now Phillips has expressed remorse and attempted to make restitution and amends. *Id.* Further, Slayton knows that many other inmates call on Phillips for support, strength, guidance, and prayer. *Id.*

Jo Ann Dearman-Seeney, the Advocacy Coordinator of Legal Services for Prisoners with Children also wrote to support Phillips's clemency petition. Ex. G 4-5. She wrote that Phillips "poses no danger to society" and has "transformed herself into a strong woman capable of being a positive member of society." Ex. G 5. Dearman-Seeney also described that Phillips's health will deteriorate quickly in prison, leading to increased costs to keep her incarcerated. *Id.*

VII. Conclusion

Releasing Phillips will not endanger public safety, but it will improve society. Her direct impact will be to care for and counsel addicts, providing them with needed guidance.

Phillips respectfully requests that the Governor pardon and release her. Alternatively, she requests that the Governor commute her sentence to 15 years to life, so that she may earn her release through the Parole Board.

Dated: 12/12/12

Respectfully submitted,

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COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

David Rugg

In May 1989, David Rugg was 18 years old and attempted to rob a gun store to steal a handgun to use in his job as a bouncer at a bar. While attempting to rob the store, a gun battle ensued and the owner suffered a fatal gunshot wound to the chest. Mr. Rugg was shot in the hand and was later arrested at the hospital. He plead guilty, and on June 5, 1990, the Tulare County Superior Court sentenced him to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder.

In his commutation application, Mr. Rugg described the efforts he has made to change and turn his life around. He has no prior criminal history and has expressed genuine remorse for his crime. Growing up with a single mother, without a father to guide him, Mr. Rugg informed an investigator that he is no longer "that same lost kid."

Despite serving nearly three decades without any chance of release from prison, Mr. Rugg has avoided alcohol, drugs, and any gang activity, which are sadly all too common in our prison system. He has attended self-help classes and has only been disciplined three times for non-violent misconduct; the last time was in 1995. Mr. Rugg also routinely received above average work ratings. In 2011, a Maintenance Engineer stated that Mr. Rugg is an "asset," and commended him for being a conscientious, good worker and for maintaining a good working relationship with his co-workers and staff. In 2010, a supervisor commented on Mr. Rugg's respectful attitude toward staff and his fellow inmates in addition to his willingness to volunteer his services without question to those at his work station. He earned his GED and has acquired marketable skills through vocational certificates in office services and mill and cabinet. His family is ready to support him if released. Notably, Mr. Rugg became heavily involved in the Native American community by becoming a qualified Native American Spiritual Leader. He helped others get through life and find their own way. As a Spiritual Leader, Mr. Rugg has also arranged weekly sweat lodge gatherings and cultural events for the group.

I know Mr. Rugg's crime had lasting impacts on his victim's family. But Mr. Rugg has demonstrated deep remorse for his actions and has distinguished himself by his dedication to changing his life. I believe he has earned a chance to make his case to the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can decide whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of David Rugg to a total of 25 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. · State Capitol · Sacramento, California 95814

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.)

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: David Michael Rubyk **Date of Birth:** [redacted]/70 **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: P.O. Box 4000, Vacaville Calif. 95696 2B-11-240L May 29, 2014

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
Att. Robbery	May 19, 1989	Tulare County	Life without the Possibility
Burglary, Murder in the first degree			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I was a young kid who attempted a Robbery, but by accident, the victim was shot. It was not planned. While under the close eye of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation for (25) years. I've never attempted to harm staff or inmates, and I've expressed good behavior that I'm asking to be noticed through My (25) years.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I recognize My mistakes that I have made during My youth, and I'm sorry for the harm I've caused. I've been incarcerated for the past (25) years this May 19, 2014, and My Central file shows that during those (25) years, I am not a career criminal. I've gotten My G.E.D. AA certificates, participation in Religious self help programs, and good behavior certificates towards staff and inmates.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary): Please see My (3) additional pages.

Due to good behavior for (25) years towards staff and inmates, self help programs and Engineer trades. My Central file will show that I have grown as a human being over the years in (CDCR) and I am no longer the child I once was.

5. If you have you paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

I have not paid anyone, or given any gifts to anyone to assist me with this Executive Clemency.

25 YEARS AGO, I BEGAN PAYING FOR MY MISTAKES IN THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT of CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION.

It is a KNOWN FACT, that IN A PERIOD OF TIME, AS BEING HUMAN. OUR TRUE NATURE REVEALS ITSELF to the WATCHFUL EYES OF the GENERAL PUBLIC.

25 YEARS AGO, I MADE A BAD DECISION, AND A BAD CHOICE to take SOMETHING that WAS NOT MINE. At the time, I didnt REALIZE the RIPPLE EFFECT that MY ACTIONS WOULD CAUSE IN the LIVES OF SO MANY PEOPLE. I ATTEMPTED to take AN OBJECT, AND INSTEAD BY PURE ACCIDENT. I took A LIFE OF A MAN, AND SHATTERED the HEARTS, AND LIVES of the CHILDREN WHO CALLED him dad. WHO CALLED him husband, BROTHER, UNCLE, GRANDFATHER, AND SON. NOT ONE DAY GOES by that I dont REMEMBER this MAN, OR think of the PAIN that I CAUSED, to this MAN AND his FRIENDS AND FAMILY. I PRAY EACH AND EVERYDAY that God WATCHES OVER the FAMILY of this MAN. MY ACTIONS IS SOMETHING that I MUST LIVE WITH FOR the REST OF MY LIFE. hoping ~~that~~ SOMEDAY I'll BE ABLE to ASK FOR FORGIVENESS FROM that family PERSONALLY, FOR my BAD JUDGMENT DECISIONS, AND MY ACTIONS. I MADE A BAD CHOICE, But I AM NOT BAD NATURED. AFTER 25 YEARS UNDER the WATCHFUL EYES of the CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT of CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION. IM REQUESTING FROM the FAMILY of MR. JIM BALLOU, THE DISTRICT ATTORNEYS OFFICE AND the GOVERNOR OF the STATE OF CALIFORNIA to GRANT ME ONE CHANCE to SOMEDAY WALK the STREETS AGAIN,

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So that I may Give back to the Community. In My Past 25 years. If, I was Bad natured. My life within these Walls would be Covered, And sunken in Bad choices. My Central file within (CDCR) would be SMEARED in Bad opinions And Facts. Instead, I made A Good decision to earn the trust of the General Public back once again. To prove, that Giving me A second chance from the Community, And the state of California would not be A mistake. In no way am I Requesting to be Allowed to walk out of prison. What I am Requesting for is A Sentence Reduction of 25 years to life. To me, that would be A chance of a life time. During My Incarceration. I've earned (AA) Certificates from June 30th 2007 through August 30th 2010. A Laudatory Chrono in August 30th 2010 for A practitioner in Conducting Religious Services for the Native American Population. A Laudatory chrono in september 22nd 2010 For Respectful attitude towards supervisors, staff, Inmates, And work Assignments. In April 28th 2011, I Recieved My first Laudatory chrono As A Plant operations engineering maintenence Worker In Corcoran state prison. Today As A Level III inmate At Solano state prison. I'm currently still working As A Plant operations engineer. In October 22nd 1997 From the Visions Adult school Academic Education Program, In Corcoran state prison. I Graduated with A GED. On December 18th 2013, Court Case #27758 Restitution Fine of $10,000.00 was now paid in full. On August 16th 2012. I was classified by the Committee As A Low Risk, Score of 1) on the California static Risk Assessment.

25 years Ago I was Sentenced to life without the possibility of Parole, For A Mistake that was not Intentional.

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If the District attorneys office, the Governors office, and the family of Mr. Jim Ballou would review my central file. you would see that I am not a person who is bad natured. nor am I a career criminal with everything that the state of California is having to endure, such as the budget crisis. housing inmates in overcrowded prisons who actually do commit crimes, one after the other. those are bad natured criminals. those are the type of people that I am taking up bed space for.

during this budget crisis in the state of California having to endure Thousands of dollars every 2 weeks to Medically support me is only adding to the strain of more problems to come.

The Cost of Feeding me 3 meals a day. Cloth me with shoes, sheets, Pillow cases, towels, blankets, shirts, undershirts, undershorts, and now providing not only me with a fresh clean linen weekly, but your having to endure Millions of Dollars being spent on me, because I made a mistake, that is long over due to be looked at, or considered for a sentence Reduction.

All I am Requesting for is a Sentence Reduction from (LWOP) to 25 to life. THANK You...

David Michael Rugg
E-63498 2B-11-240L
P.O. Box 4000
Vacaville, Calif. 95696
May 19, 2014

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Kelly Savage

Kelly and Mark Savage lived with their 2-year-old daughter and Ms. Savage's 3-year-old son, Justin Grooms. On August 3, 1995, Ms. Savage called 911 because Justin was not breathing. Paramedics transported Justin to the hospital but he was pronounced dead on arrival. The treating physician observed many bruises, lacerations, and scars on Justin's body. He was emaciated and dehydrated and his weight at death was the same as when he was one year old. Doctors determined that the cause of death was blunt force trauma to the head caused by at least two separate injuries that occurred three days to twelve hours before his death; his malnutrition and dehydration were substantial contributing factors. Mr. and Ms. Savage were both arrested at the hospital and they were tried together. On May 20, 1998, the Tulare County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Savage to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder.

Ms. Savage has requested clemency on the basis of her rehabilitative record and her history of significant abuse. She reported that her father physically and sexually abused her throughout her childhood; she first remembered being raped by him at age 10. She was also repeatedly sexually abused by other family members and family friends from age 3 until she ran away from home at 14. At some point, she was beaten so severely that she suffered permanent hearing loss. When she was a teenager, she married Justin's father, who she described as "extremely physically abusive – black eyes, crow bars to the back of the head." She described numerous instances of horrific abuse that she suffered at his hands. When she was 20, she met Mr. Savage, who was controlling, physically and sexually abusive, and isolated her from her family and friends. Ms. Savage said that she did not realize the extent of his abuse because "the way that Mark treated me did not seem any worse or different from how I had been treated in my youth." In the period just before Justin's murder, Ms. Savage called a domestic violence support hotline for help. They advised her to stay in the home, pretend everything was normal, gather important documents, and wait until they could formulate a plan for her to escape Mr. Savage's abuse. Ms. Savage followed the advice and also purchased bus tickets for herself and the children. In the days before the crime, Mr. Savage seemingly found out about or suspected the escape plan and his abuse escalated dramatically. But before they could get away, Mr. Savage beat Justin, causing his death. Ms. Savage and her children had bus tickets the morning after Justin was killed. A psychological evaluation documented Ms. Savage's many years of physical and sexual abuse and concluded, "Kelly suffers from the extreme effects of her extended exposure to intimate partner battering by multiple perpetrators…[H]ad expert testimony about the effects of intimate partner battering been accurately presented at trial, I believe it would have resulted in a different outcome for Kelly."

Despite her extraordinarily traumatic past, Ms. Savage came to prison and immediately started changing her life. She has been very involved in self-help groups including Narcotics Anonymous, Survivors of Incest and Rape, Domestic Violence, and Cycles of Abuse. She also facilitates groups that help other inmates come to grips with their own histories of abuse and violence. Ms. Savage has no previous criminal convictions and has been disciplined only once. She has avoided drugs, gang activity, and violence during more than two decades in prison. She

earned an A.A. degree and a business certificate from Coastline Community College. Ms. Savage completed several vocational certifications, learned marketable skills through her work assignments, and has routinely received positive work ratings. She helped organize domestic violence awareness events, taught American Sign Language, mentored new inmates, volunteered as a tutor, and was certified as a peer grief counselor. Ms. Savage has also earned commendations from the staff members with whom she interacts regularly. In 2016, a community resource manager praised Ms. Savage for her "outstanding service" to the prison and wrote, "Because of her commitment and inspiring attitude, Inmate Savage should be acknowledged as a role model and congratulated for her hard work and contribution." The sponsor of a self-help program on domestic violence recognized Ms. Savage's dedication as a group facilitator and said, "Her insight and commitment to this important cause is to be commended. She has been able to educate and heal herself and pay it forward to others, potentially saving lives." A representative from the California Coalition of Women Prisoners wrote, "What impresses me most about Kelly, a woman I personally believe should not have been incarcerated for one day, is that she mourns Justin and patiently manages her incarceration by staying active every single day, giving her heart and time to supporting others and to improving her environment."

Ms. Savage has a strong community that is ready to help take care of her if she is released. Family and friends have offered her housing, financial support, and help finding employment. She has been offered a job by Survived and Punished, an organization she has worked with for several years from prison. She also has the support of several members of the UC Berkeley and UC Irvine communities. Nearly 10,000 people have signed an online petition supporting Ms. Savage's release from prison. Sister Helen Prejean wrote to support a commutation in this case, saying, "What happened to this woman at the hands of her cruel husband, woefully inadequate defense, and venal prosecutors is unspeakable and cries to heaven for justice. She's lost her child, she's lost her freedom, hopefully she's clung to her dignity."

Justin's death is heartbreaking, but it is also clear that Ms. Savage was also a victim of severe abuse. In light of her exceptional conduct in prison and her genuine commitment to educating others and preventing domestic violence, Ms. Savage deserves a chance to make her case to the Board of Parole Hearings so that they can decide whether she is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Kelly Savage to a total of 25 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

Alex Padilla

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. **If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Kelly SAVAGE **Date of Birth:** [redacted]-72 **Inmate ID:** W-74119

Address: 512-2-3L PO Box 1508 Chowchilla, CA 93610 **Facility:** CCWF

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

"Please See Attached"

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Please See Attached

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

Please See Attached

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

Please See Attached

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office.

I, Kelly SAVAGE *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)

have served the District Attorney of the County of Tulare County *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)

commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Kelly Savage — Applicant's Signature

3-31-17 — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of _____ County: Please take notice that I, _____ ,

was convicted of the crime of _____ ,

committed in _____ County, California, on the date of _____ .

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California.

Kelly Savage — Applicant's Signature

3-31-17 — Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, _____ , District Attorney of the County of _____ ,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from _____ ,

that he/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a commutation of sentence.

Signed _____

Date _____

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Application for Commutation of Sentence

Name: Kelly Ann Savage

DOB: [redacted]1972

Inmate ID: W-74119

Address: Yard 512, Room 2-2 Low, P.O. Box 1508, Chowchilla, CA 93610

Facility: Central California Women's Facility

1) Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if needed.

Offense: First degree Murder; violation of Penal Code § 187(a); special circumstance of murder involving infliction of torture in violation of Penal Code § 190 2(a)(18)
Date of Offense: 08/03/1995
County of Conviction: Tulare
Sentence: Life without Parole ("LWOP")

Offense: Assault on a Child under 8 Resulting in Death; violation of Penal Code § 273ab
Date of Offense: 08/03/1995
County of Conviction: Tulare
Sentence: 15 years to life

Offense: Cultivating Marijuana; violation of Health & Safety Code § 11358(a)
Date of Offense: 08/03/1995
County of Conviction: Tulare
Sentence: 3 years (deemed served at time of conviction based on custody credits)

[Please find attached as Exhibit 1 a true and correct copy of Kelly Savage's Department of Corrections Probation and Sentencing Report dated August 6, 1998.]

2) Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

[In addition to the description below, please also see Petitioner's Personal Statement attached as Exhibit 2.]

This Application for Commutation of Sentence ("Application") arises from the 1998 murder conviction of Kelly Ann Savage, a severely battered woman. Kelly and her abusive husband,

Mark Savage, were *jointly tried and convicted* of the murder of Justin Grooms, Kelly's three-and-a-half-year-old son by a prior relationship. As the record shows, Mark hated Justin from the very first days of Mark's relationship with Kelly. Mark regularly referred to the boy as a "little motherfucker" or as an "illegitimate bastard." While the trial leading to Kelly's conviction reflected Mark's abusive treatment of Justin, it failed to reflect the full extent to which Mark's severe physical abuse of Kelly was part of his ongoing pattern of terror, cruelty, and control over everyone in the household.

Mark physically, sexually, and psychologically abused Kelly throughout their marriage. Mark's physical abuse against Kelly included punching, shoving, and choking her. He would also reenact the horrific details of the sexual abuse Kelly suffered as a child. Like Kelly's abusive "Uncle Jack," Mark would forcibly tie Kelly down, choke her, and rape her. As Mark was aware that he was reenacting the abuse of Kelly's childhood, these acts, in addition to the forceful physical violation, were likely intended to psychologically terrify Kelly. In a particularly damning display of Mark's need to control Kelly's life, Mark tied Kelly's legs to a couch while she was sleeping and attempted to tattoo his name into her ankle. Kelly resisted and was able to struggle free, but not before having an "M" permanently imprinted on her flesh. Mark would often blame Kelly for his physical violence toward her, claiming "you made me do it" or "you pushed me to it" after punching, shoving, or choking Kelly.

Mark sought control over every aspect of Kelly's life. He subjected her to "examinations" after she would return from school to make sure she hadn't been with other men. He denied Kelly access to money beyond the bare necessities and forcibly separated her from her friends and family. Mark strove to break Kelly's will and make her completely dependent upon him by telling her that she was "lazy" and "worthless" and would not survive without him.

In the immediate days preceding Justin's murder, Kelly had been working with counselors at a domestic violence hotline to create a plan to leave Mark and secure the safety of her children and herself. Kelly had followed all of the advice given by the domestic violence hotline counselor, including paying all of the rent and bills; washing and packing clothes; collecting the children's birth certificates and other important documents; gathering school records; securing medication; and purchasing Greyhound bus tickets scheduled to depart from Porterville, CA to Los Angeles at 7:45 am on August 4, 1995.

Mark, after finding a bag Kelly had packed with the children's birth certificates and other belongings, killed Justin on August 3, 1995, the day before Kelly was set to escape with her children. Mark repeatedly beat Justin, eventually killing him with blunt force trauma and by shaking the small boy so violently that an autopsy showed that the child had "shaken baby syndrome." Mark admitted sole responsibility for Justin's murder years later in a letter to

Kelly in prison. Please find attached as Exhibit 3 a true and correct copy of Mark's prison letter to Kelly, dated October 26, 2011.

The trial evidence shows that Mark killed Justin in a classic case of "separation violence." Separation violence is a phenomenon in which abusive men escalate their violence toward victimized family members who attempt to leave. As presented below, domestic violence research shows that women who attempt to leave their abusive husbands are at an astonishing 70-75% higher risk of being killed than those who stay with their batterers.

According to an 11-city study conducted in 2003 by Dr. Jacquelyn C. Campbell[1], women who attempt to leave an abusive partner after living together are associated with a *3.5 times higher risk* of femicide – the homicide of women – than women who never lived with their abusers. Consistent with earlier research, Dr. Campbell's study also found that "instances in which a child of the victim living in the home who was not the abusive partner's biological child *more than doubled* the risk of femicide." (emphasis added) Please find attached as Exhibit 4 a copy of Dr. Jacquelyn C. Campbell's research article, "Risk Factors for Femicide in Abusive Relationships: Results from a Multistate Case Control Study," AM J PUBLIC HEALTH. 2003; 93:1089-1097. As further evidence of the mortal danger posed by women such as Kelly who attempt to leave their abusive partners, another six-city study by Dr. Campbell found that the risk of femicide was greatest at the time the women tried to leave. According to Dr. Campbell, "[i]n 22 of the 30 cases (73%), the femicide attempt occurred just around the time of a significant relationship change. In most of these cases, as expected, the woman was trying to leave the relationship. Often there seemed to be a sequence of events which included frequent arguments over his behavior, her decision to end the relationship, his pleading to get her back, and then finally the attack when he realized that she meant it." Please find attached as Exhibit 5 a copy of Dr. Campbell's research article, "Could We Have Known? A Qualitative Analysis of Data from Women Who Have Survived an Attempted Homicide by an Intimate Partner," J GEN INTERN MED 2003; 18:788-794.

Today, separation violence is a well-understood phenomenon, but unfortunately it was not widely known or understood at the time of Kelly's 1998 trial. The evidence clearly shows that Mark routinely abused Kelly and threatened to kill her on many occasions. As stated in Kelly's Declaration, "He threatened to kill me and the kids if I left him, and he once said, 'If I can't have you, nobody can.' He has told me that now that I am in prison nobody else can 'have' me." As further evidence of Mark's vengeance toward Kelly and Justin, on the day that Justin died, Mark threatened to kill Kelly if she placed the 911 call for help. Please see Exhibit 6,

[1] Dr. Jacquelyn C. Campbell is the Anna D. Wolf Chair and Professor in the Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing who has conducted substantial research and policy work in family violence and trauma since 1980 and co-chairs the World Health Organization's ("WHO's") Multi-Country Study on Violence Against Women and Women's Health.

Declaration of Kelly Ann Savage in Support of Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus (attached as Exhibit B in Support of Petition).[2]

The prosecution's theory that Mark's abuse of Justin escalated in the final weeks and months of Justin's short life is entirely consistent with this being a tragic case of separation violence. The evidence shows that, in the months leading to Justin's death, Kelly had obtained her high school diploma and was gaining a measure of independence from her abusive husband.

The evidence shows that Mark, threatened by Kelly's pursuit of an education and increasing independence, regularly stalked her at school in an effort to control her and to discourage her from completing her high school diploma program. According to paragraph 67 of Kelly's Declaration:

> Mark also controlled how I spent my time. He made me tell him where I was going and who I was with every time I left the house. He timed how long it took for me to get home from school every day. On many occasions, I would find him waiting for me outside the school. Mark was particularly suspicious of a male student in my science class at Porterville Adult School, where I earned my high school diploma. Mark often waited and watched me after that class to make sure I wasn't cheating on him. He also sniffed me after class to make sure he didn't smell any men on me and looked through my backpack, in between my school books, and in my clothes and dresser drawers.

Despite the consistent indicators of separation violence, the police, prosecution, and Kelly's own trial attorney failed to appreciate this core context of domestic violence that led to Mark's murder of Justin.

Kelly has been incarcerated for the past 22 years on a conviction due to an unjust trial shaped by a profound lack of knowledge about domestic violence. At trial, the prosecutor peddled baseless myths and misconceptions about battered women in an effort to convict Kelly, including fallacious claims that Kelly could have left Mark at any time and therefore must have approved of Mark's abuse of Justin; Kelly must have liked Mark's beatings or she would have left him; and Kelly did not properly grieve Justin's death like a caring mother would, cruelly implying that Kelly must be guilty of Justin's murder because she did not cry a sufficient number of tears or act in a manner that satisfied the prosecution's malicious standard for how victims of trauma should behave. Each of the prosecution's claims was false, based on uninformed stereotypes about domestic violence victims, and asserted without evidence to back it up. As a result of the prosecution's unrebutted misconceptions,

[2] The Declaration of Kelly Ann Savage in Support of Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus was originally included in Kelly Ann Savage's 2013 Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus as Exhibit B. A true and correct copy of the 2013 Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus (hereinafter, "Petition") and all supporting exhibits are attached to this Application for Commutation as Exhibit 6.

an ill-informed jury convicted Kelly even though it was Mark's extensive and sustained abuse of *his family* that led him to murder Justin on the eve of Kelly's escape with her children.

Only an expert in intimate partner battering ("IPB") and its effects could have debunked the domestic violence myths and misconceptions for the jury. By way of example, an IPB expert could explain to the jury why a victim such as Kelly would not leave her abusive husband sooner. An expert could help the jury understand that an abusive husband such as Mark commonly escalates violence when the battered spouse attempts to leave, and often inflicts physical violence against the battered spouse's children or other loved ones, not just the battered spouse trying to escape. In the absence of expert IPB testimony, the prosecution presented an unchallenged false narrative about Kelly that exploited myths about domestic violence victims.

Dr. Geraldine Butts Stahly ("Dr. Stahly"), a leading expert in IPB, extensively examined Kelly as part of Kelly's years-long habeas corpus effort. Dr. Stahly has testified in over 50 criminal cases involving domestic violence for both the prosecution and the defense, and she regularly provides domestic violence training to judges, attorneys, and law enforcement officials. After conducting five in-person interviews in February 2012 with Kelly at Valley State Prison for Women, Dr. Stahly drafted a report that is attached to this Application as Exhibit 6 (Exhibit A to Petition). Together, Dr. Stahly's expert report and supporting declarations summarize her examination of and conclusions regarding Kelly. Please see Declaration of Geraldine Butts Stahly, Ph.D. in Support of Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus, attached to this Application as Exhibit 6 (Exhibit A to Petition); also see the Supplemental Declaration of Geraldine Butts Stahly, Ph.D., attached to this Application as Exhibit 6 (Exhibit M to Petition).

Based on her extensive psychosocial evaluation, Dr. Stahly concluded that at the time of Justin's death in 1995 and her trial in 1998, Kelly suffered from the extreme effects of her extended exposure to IPB by multiple perpetrators. Dr. Stahly's conclusion that Kelly is a severely battered woman who has suffered a lifetime of domestic violence at the hands of virtually every man in her life (beginning with oral copulation rape at age four and including being raped, impregnated, and beaten into miscarriage by her biological father) is fully attested and corroborated both in the Declaration of Kelly herself (attached as Exhibit 6 to this Application) to the Petition for the Writ of Habeas Corpus), and those of percipient witnesses to her abuse (Exhibits G through L to the Petition).

Expert testimony from an IPB expert such as Dr. Stahly would have been critical to disabusing the jurors of incorrect assumptions about Kelly's actions and inactions. Some of the ways expert testimony would have provided strong rebuttal evidence at Kelly's trial are outlined below.

For instance, expert testimony from an IPB expert such as Dr. Stahly's would have innocently explained Kelly's behavior—behavior that the prosecutor twisted to portray Kelly as an intentionally neglectful mother who didn't care if her husband beat and ultimately murdered her child. As an example, a number of trial witnesses testified that Kelly did not seem to cry "appropriately" and showed a "flat affect" at the hospital upon learning that her son was dead. Expert testimony would have explained that Kelly's "flat affect" was really a frozen fright reaction commonly exhibited by abuse survivors as the result of post-traumatic stress disorder. In Kelly's case, her post-traumatic stress disorder resulted from not only her abusive relationship with Mark, but also from more than a decade of sexual and physical abuse by other men, including being raped and impregnated by her father, starting at the age of four. The lack of expert testimony on frozen fright reactions commonly exhibited by abuse victims like Kelly allowed the jury to misapprehend Kelly's behavior, leading to her conviction.

Also, expert IPB testimony would have innocently explained why a number of witnesses testified that Kelly seemed to love Mark and always stuck up for him. An expert such as Dr. Stahly could help the jury understand the battering phenomena of "traumatic bonding" which describes a reaction where an abuse victim forms a strong emotional attachment to the abuser. In tragic irony, Kelly's bonding toward Mark is consistent with the response Justin exhibited toward Mark, and which confused Kelly because Justin seemed to adore Mark.

Further, at Mark and Kelly's trial, the prosecutor called Dr. John Scholefield, a pediatric medicine expert with training in child abuse, to explain to jurors that Justin's displays of affection toward Mark was not evidence that Mark did not abuse the child, but was itself an example of "traumatic bonding" by the boy in an effort to curry favor from his abusive stepfather. Please see Ex. 7 at 4555:17-4556:16 [3/10/1998 to 3/11/1998 Trial Tr. (Vol. 8) (Dr. John Scholefield)]. But Kelly never had an expert such as Dr. Scholefield or Dr. Stahly explain to the jury that *her behavior* could also be the result of traumatic bonding with Mark. The lack of expert testimony to explain how Kelly could have shown affection for Mark and still be a victim of unspeakable abuse allowed the jury to misapprehend Kelly's behavior, leading to her conviction.

Expert testimony such as Dr. Stahly's would have explained how the effects of prolonged IPB could impact Kelly's judgments in protecting herself and her children. By way of illustration, expert testimony would have explained the phenomenon of "cognitive distortions" where an abuse victim's perception of reality and the reality itself are contradictory, and the abuse victim makes poor judgments about the situation around her. This would explain why Kelly chose to believe that Mark would never hurt Justin, despite those around her telling her otherwise. Kelly instead believed that Justin wasn't being abused because he clung and showed affection to Mark (which, as mentioned above, was due to Justin's traumatic bonding

to his abuser). The lack of expert testimony to explain how Kelly could have tragically misjudged Justin's relationship with Mark allowed the jury to misapprehend Kelly's decision to stay with Mark for as long as she did, leading to her conviction.

Expert testimony such as Dr. Stahly's also would have debunked the ugly myths and misconceptions regarding battered woman that the prosecutor exploited in order to convict Kelly. For instance, expert testimony on IPB and its manifestations could have rebutted the prosecution's baseless claims that Kelly could have left Mark at any time and therefore must have approved of Mark's abuse of Justin; Kelly must have liked Mark's beatings or she would have left him; and Kelly did not properly grieve Justin's death like a caring mother would, meaning that she must be guilty of Justin's murder.

These are just some of illustrations of how an IPB expert would have offered the jury reputable rebuttal evidence to the prosecutor's unfounded accusations against Kelly. Please see Dr. Stahly's Report and Supplemental Declaration (attached as Exhibit 6 at Exhibits A and Exhibit M, respectively) for a more comprehensive preview of the critical evidence she would have offered at Kelly's trial.

The absence of expert testimony severely harmed Kelly's trial defense and has been the subject of a years-long habeas battle for judicial relief. Kelly has petitioned by Writ of Habeas Corpus both the Tulare County Superior Court ("Superior Court) and the California Court of Appeal, in multiple proceedings, that the absence of expert testimony such as Dr. Stahly's was prejudicial to Kelly's trial within the meaning of Penal Code section 1473.5 ("Section 1473.5"). Section 1473.5 allows petitioners to seek habeas relief if, in part:

> competent and substantial expert testimony relating to intimate partner battering and its effects ... was not presented to the trier of fact at the trial court proceedings and is of such substance that, had the competent and substantial expert testimony been presented, there is a reasonable probability, sufficient to undermine confidence in the judgment of conviction or sentence, that the result of the proceedings would have been different.

Section 1473.5(a).

Kelly's trial lawyer never hired an IPB expert such as Dr. Stahly to explain IPB and its effects to the jury and there is a *reasonable probability* that had such evidence been introduced, Kelly's judgment of conviction or sentence would have been different. Expert testimony about the ramifications of IPB would have helped jurors understand that Kelly's delay in escaping Mark with her children did not indicate guilt, but was a manifestation of over 20 years of severe abuse. Expert testimony would have explained how it is common for victims of IPB to behave in ways that are difficult for a layperson—i.e., a person who has not experienced domestic

violence—to understand, particularly when presented with erroneous tropes about domestic violence victims. Thus, as shown by the trial record, Kelly's Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus, and all respective supporting exhibits, including reports from renowned IPB experts such as Dr. Stahly, Dr. David Shapiro, and Dr. Lenore Walker (the Joint Declaration of Dr. Shapiro and Dr. Walker is attached to this Application as Exhibit 6 (Exhibit N to Petition),[3] Kelly's trial was prejudiced by the absence of expert testimony on IPB and its effects. Kelly's Writ of Habeas Corpus and Section 1473.5 are further discussed in response to question 3 below.

In the analogous landmark case *People v. Day* (1992) 2 Cal. App. 4th 405, the Court of Appeal awarded a new trial to a battered woman, and sharply denounced the tactics of both Ms. Day's prosecutor and her defense counsel that led the jury astray:

> We conclude the failure to present BWS [battered woman syndrome] evidence was prejudicial: the evidence was not only relevant, but critical in permitting the jury to evaluate appellant's testimony free of the *misperceptions* regarding battered women. Appellant's testimony provided the only eyewitness account. The prosecution's case rested on circumstantial evidence and *exploitation of myths* about battered women. The prosecutor repeatedly relied on *misconceptions* about battered women in urging the jury to reject appellant's claim of self-defense. Because [her] counsel was unaware of the BWS he was unable effectively to counter the prosecutor's contention that appellant's conduct was inconsistent with self-defense. Rather, *he himself perpetuated several erroneous notions about battered women.* Had evidence of the BWS been introduced, he effectively could have countered *the battered woman myths on which the prosecutor built his case.*

People v. Day, supra 2 Cal. App. 4th at 419–20 (emphasis added). Dr. Stahly's expertise has proved crucial for both the defense and prosecution in unrelated proceedings. Of particular note, her expertise proved crucial *for the prosecution* at the guilt and sentencing phase in the case *People v. Riggs* (2008) 44 Cal. 4th 248, where defendant Billy Ray Riggs was convicted of murder based upon the eyewitness testimony of his battered wife. *See People v. Riggs, supra,* 44 Cal. 4th at 262-63 (summarizing Dr. Stahly's testimony), 292-94 (explaining its materiality). The present case is the reverse of *Riggs* because here the Tulare County prosecutor took advantage of *the absence* of IPB testimony to convict Kelly through the "exploitation of myths about battered women" (*People v. Riggs, supra, Day*, 2 Cal. App. 4th at 419-20) and repeatedly resorted to "misconceptions that could have been dispelled by BWS evidence". *People v. Riggs, supra,* 44 Cal. 4th at 293 (citing *Day*).

[3] The Joint Declaration of Dr. Shapiro and Dr. Walker was originally included as Exhibit N to Kelly's Petition.

As shown in the trial record and the exhibits attached to this Application Commutation, James Kordell, Kelly's trial attorney, failed to mount any serious rebuttal to several erroneous allegations and arguments presented by the prosecution. Mr. Kordell's failure to present IPB evidence or to mount any substantial challenge to the prosecution's case is not surprising given the evidence showing that Mr. Kordell was a known alcoholic who was later disbarred for selling methamphetamine. More information regarding Mr. Kordell's disbarment is included in this Application as Exhibit 8 (Disbarment documents for James Kordell). Given the vital duty of trial counsel to properly present IPB evidence to rebut the misconceptions underlying the prosecution's case, Kelly's defense was prejudiced by Mr. Kordell's incompetence as it relates to his failure to present IPB evidence, and also by his addiction to alcohol and hard drugs.

It is difficult to explain in summary form all the reasons why Kelly was not afforded a fair trial and it is Kelly's sincere hope that the governor's office will review the attached Exhibits. With that said, Kelly provides the following list of some of the reasons her trial was unjust (some of these reasons have been mentioned above, some have not):

- Absent from Kelly's trial was a clear explanation of how Mark's murder of Justin was an extension of his abuse of both Justin and Kelly and the impact that prolonged IPB had on Kelly's judgment to leave Mark. Completely disregarding the relentless and severe domestic violence in which Mark murdered Kelly's child as part of his ongoing punitive pattern of violence against Kelly, the prosecution falsely claimed that Kelly misrepresented the abuse she suffered at Mark's hands and that she was a co-conspirator in Justin's death. Despite the fact that the trial evidence fails to support these claims, the prosecution ultimately blamed Kelly for Mark's horrific murder of Justin even though it was an outcome that she did not anticipate, could not control, and shocked and devastated her.

- Kelly's trial lawyer, James Kordell, was a known drunk and drug user. Preceding Kelly's trial, he had been fired from the Tulare County prosecutor's office for multiple DUIs, and started working as a defense attorney. Despite Mr. Kordell's known history, Tulare County referred "conflict" cases to him meaning where – as in Kelly's case – the public defender's office could not represent multiple individuals convicted of the same crime. Mr. Kordell was later disbarred for selling methamphetamines.

- Mr. Kordell never hired an expert in IPB to even evaluate Kelly. Instead, he hired a clinical psychologist without the necessary expertise in IPB and its effects to properly evaluate Kelly. That psychologist also had admitted conflicts at the time of Kelly's trial, namely that her granddaughter had been recently murdered, and her daughter was accused of the crime. (Please see Exhibit 6 (Exhibit N to the Petition), the Joint

Declaration of Dr. Shapiro and Dr. Walker.) The inexperienced and conflicted psychologist misdiagnosed Kelly, arguably only helping the prosecutor paint Kelly as an uncaring, unbalanced individual who could—despite all evidence—be capable of violence. (Please see Exhibit 6 (Exhibit M to the Petition), Dr. Stahly's Supplemental Declaration, describing the serious errors the psychologist made due to her lack of expertise in IPB and its effects.)

- The prosecutor falsely described a document in evidence to the jury that the prosecutor erroneously used to suggest Kelly that "hated" her son, and Kelly's attorney failed to object. Mere hours after Justin's death, police officers asked Kelly to write her deceased son a letter while at the police station for interrogation. It was an obvious ploy to get a confession, and Kelly, without the benefit of counsel, put pen to paper as requested. (An expert in IPB and its effects would explain that victims of abuse are more likely to placate persons in authority, particularly here where an abused woman is confronted by male officers.) Kelly didn't write a confession — far from it. She wrote about how sad she was that Justin had died, and how she would never feel whole again (but she misspelled it: "I'll never feel *hole* again."). (A copy of this letter is attached as Exhibit 9 to this Application.) At trial, the prosecutor presented a poor Xerox copy of the letter, and misrepresented Kelly's words. The prosecutor told the jury that Kelly wrote to Justin, "I'll never feel *hate* again." This may have been a prejudicial error on its own – unchecked by Kelly's attorney or the trial judge – because it was the only "evidence" the prosecutor presented to show that Kelly hated her son and it was entirely false.

- In order to "prove" her case, the prosecutor put on a number of witnesses to describe Kelly as a "strong" and "opinionated" woman who could have left Mark and saved Justin, but perversely these witnesses were Kelly's prior abusers. These witnesses included Kelly's father, her stepbrother, and her ex-husband, all of whom had physically and/or sexually assaulted Kelly with regularity. Please see Dr. Stahly's expert report for further details. (Please see Exhibit 6 (Exhibit A to the Petition)).

- The prosecutor also perversely attempted to paint Kelly's abusive ex-husband, a former Marine who came to testify in uniform, as her potential savior. The prosecutor argued that Kelly's ex-husband was no less than a "knight-in-shining armor" who would have cared for Justin as his own (despite the fact that Kelly had Justin with another man), but Kelly flatly rejected him. The prosecutor used this evidence to support her ongoing trial theme that Kelly was an uncaring slut. The true extent of Kelly's ex-husband's abuse was never presented to the jury (Please see Kelly's Declaration attached as Exhibit 6 (Exhibit B to the Petition). However, the prosecutor

acknowledged (with apparent approval) how the courtroom laughed when Kelly's ex-husband admitted on the stand to hitting Kelly "up the side of the head" once (Please see trial transcript excerpts at 3301:3-11, attached hereto as Exhibit 10).

- Mr. Kordell included damaging myths and misconceptions about domestic violence in his closing arguments, including that his client could have left Mark at any time.

- The prosecutor and Kelly's own attorney ignored a critical admission by a prosecution witness. The prosecutor had argued that both Mark and Kelly must have intentionally starved Justin because he was malnourished at death. This assumption was wrong and proved faulty by the prosecutor's own expert witness, Dr. Scholefield. Dr. Scholefield, a child psychologist testifying for the prosecution, admitted that child malnourishment is often a consequence for a child's health when exposed to a stressful, abusive environment because trauma can prevent children from effectively absorbing nutrients. Therefore, it is very likely that the environment created by Mark's ongoing conditions of terror meant that Justin could not properly absorb nutrients from the food Kelly was providing for him.

  The allegation of "starvation" – aside from quite likely having a strong emotional impact on the jury – also had an important legal ramification. The prosecutor used the starvation allegation in part to charge both Kelly and Mark with the "special circumstance of torture", which made both eligible for the death penalty. This special circumstance is why Kelly was sentenced to LWOP, and cannot seek relief through parole proceedings.

- Mr. Kordell also failed to present evidence (beyond a cursory mention) that Kelly had planned and prepared an escape plan for herself and her children to get away from Mark, and was set to travel on a Greyhound bus to her family in Los Angeles the day after Mark killed her son. Mark's discovery of the children's birth certificates and other important documents in Kelly's packed bags was the likely impetus of his lethal assault on Justin. Also, had Mr. Kordell consulted an expert in IPB and its effects, he would have known that this assault was a tragic, textbook case of "separation violence."

Based on the foregoing, Kelly Ann Savage requests Governor Brown grant her Application for Commutation.

3) Explain why you are seeking a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Kelly Ann Savage seeks commutation because she did not murder her son Justin. As the trial evidence showed (but no one explained to the jury), Mark Savage killed Justin in a classic case

of "separation violence" in a context of sustained and severe domestic violence. Separation violence is a phenomenon in which abusers escalate their violence toward their partner and sometimes their partner's loved ones when the partners attempt to leave them. At the time of Justin's murder, Kelly had made plans to escape Mark's violence and had purchased Greyhound bus tickets as part of her domestic violence victim safety plan to escape with her children. Tragically, Mark killed Justin on August 3, 1995, the day before Kelly and the children were set to leave for Los Angeles. Kelly did not fail to protect her beloved child Justin. She failed to predict and control her abuser's behavior—an impossible expectation under conditions of sustained domination, violence and terror.

In January 2013, with the assistance of pro bono counsel, Kelly submitted her Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus based on Section 1473.5, which was enacted in 2001 to provide a habeas corpus remedy to some women who had been convicted of crimes under circumstances in which relevant IPB evidence "was not introduced at the trial relating to the prisoner's incarceration." As originally enacted, Section 1473.5 had two rather severe limitations. First, it was limited to women convicted of killing their abusers—meaning that it only applied in cases involving "abuse committed on the perpetrator of that homicide by the victim of that homicide." This meant that people such as Kelly were not covered by the statute because she was convicted of murdering her son, Justin, rather than her serial abuser husband, Mark. Second, relief under Section 1473.5 was limited "to judgments of conviction for a violation of Section 187 resulting from a plea entered, or a trial commenced, before January 1, 1992." Here, because Kelly was convicted in 1998, she was out of luck under the original statute.

In 2004, the Legislature amended Section 1473.5 in two ways that significantly expanded its scope of relief. First, the amendment eliminated the prior limitation to cases of an abused woman's homicide of her abuser, and provided instead that the statute applied to "all violent felonies as specified in subdivision (c) of Section 667.5 that were committed before August 29, 1996." The reason for the adoption of the new "violent felonies" language is obvious: the Legislature wanted to extend the statute's protection to many additional women, described as "an intended beneficiary class [of] incarcerated survivors who were not able to use evidence of battering even though their crimes were directly related to their experience of being battered." (Senate Com. on Public Safety, Rep. on SB No. 1385 (2003-2004 92 Reg. Sess.) hearing date March 30, 2004, page 5.) Second, the 2004 amendments also enlarged the applicable period of criminal convictions entitled to relief under Section 1473.5 to a new cutoff date for "crimes committed before August 29, 1996." Since Justin died in 1995, Section 1473.5 relief extends to Kelly.

On January 16, 2015, the Fifth District Court of Appeal ("Fifth District") issued its Order to Show Cause ("Order") finding that Kelly (Petitioner) stated a *prima facie* case for relief under Penal

Code section 1473.5 and ordered the Superior Court of Tulare County to conduct hearings in accordance with its Order. A true and correct copy of the Order to Show Cause is attached to this Application as Exhibit 11. On June 3, 2016, all parties appeared before Judge Alldredge in the Superior Court of Tulare County ("Superior Court") for a hearing on the Order to Show Cause. At the June 3, 2016 hearing, Judge Alldredge requested for Kelly and the District Attorney to file supplemental briefing on the issue of Kelly's culpability for the charged offense by August 17, 2016, and scheduled a supplemental hearing for September 16, 2016. On August 17, 2016, Petitioner filed and served her supplemental brief on the issue of Perpetrator/Aiding and Abetting Culpability. A true and accurate copy of Kelly's supplemental brief is attached to this Application as Exhibit 12.

On September 16, 2016, Judge Alldredge denied Kelly's Petition on grounds that Kelly failed to meet her burden under Section 1473.5 of showing a reasonable probability of a different outcome had IPB evidence been introduced during trial. Importantly, Judge Alldredge conceded that Kelly's claim may be within the broad language of Section 1473.5, finding that the newly submitted evidence is "overwhelming and it appears undisputed that the Petitioner suffered from physical and emotional abuse from her husband, Mark Savage, prior to the death of Justin." Despite this concession, Judge Alldredge erroneously ignored the language of Section 1473.5, which applies to "all violent felonies as specified in subdivision (c) of Section 667.5 that were committed before August 29, 1996", and denied Kelly's claim on grounds that Kelly's Petition asked the Court "to extend the application of a statute beyond its clear meaning or in a manner that has not been approved in any reported California appellate authority." This is wrong on the face of the statute, but to get a favorable finding by the California Court of Appeal or California Supreme Court will take years. Kelly has already been in prison for over 22 years for a crime she did not commit.

In addition, Judge Alldredge held Kelly responsible for Mark's abuse and killing of Justin, citing an unproven claim that she contributed to Justin's malnourishment. There are at least two key problems with this finding: first, the finding relies on trial evidence not informed by expert testimony on IPB to draw this conclusion (a bias that Section 1473.5 was explicitly passed to eliminate) (See Exhibit 13, Petitioner's Application to Reconsider and Revoke the Order Denying Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus filed October 17, 2016); and second, child malnourishment is often a consequence for a child's health when exposed to a stressful, abusive environment, such as the environment created by Mark's ongoing conditions of terror, because trauma can prevent children from effectively absorbing nutrients (an additional IPB-related fact that was disregarded). (Please see Exhibit 2 as referred to above in response to question 1.) In fact, Kelly was a loving mother who did not deny Justin food and did all she could to care for him, including attempting to escape to safety. Given that the only evidence used by Judge Alldredge to defend a specious claim was uninformed by expert IPB context, the decision stands in explicit

contradiction to the law's intent. A true and correct copy of the Minute Order reflecting the Superior Court's decision is attached hereto as Exhibit 14. A true and accurate copy of the transcript from the September 17, 2016 hearing is attached hereto as Exhibit 15.

This decision is at once erroneous since the weight of the evidence clearly showed that Mark abused Kelly and Justin from the beginning of their relationship.[4] In fact, at trial, no fewer than thirteen witnesses testified to seeing or hearing Mark physically abuse Justin throughout his short life.[5] In contrast to the significant evidence pointing to Mark as the perpetrator of the injuries that caused Justin's death, there was virtually no evidence adduced at trial that supports a conclusion that Kelly was the perpetrator of the murder. In fact, the evidence at trial demonstrated that Kelly was a loving mother who spent considerable time and energy to ensure that Justin was healthy and, as the trial evidence shows, sought appropriate medical treatment for Justin when she could.

Thus, despite finding that Kelly suffered from Mark's abuse, and contrary to the directives of the Fifth Appellate District, the Superior Court determined that under the circumstances presented, "the proposed IBP [sic] evidence would not be relevant to a murder conviction that was based on the active participation of the defendant and the Petitioner has failed to establish that her conviction was solely based on any other theory." The prosecution's arguments that Kelly participated in her son's death were based on false or misrepresented evidence that would be debunked and discredited with IPB evidence, including expert testimony.

As a result of the Superior Court's ignoring the language of Section 1473.5, the reasoning of the Legislature, and the Fifth Appellate District's Order, Kelly remains in prison, where she has spent the past two decades for a crime that she did not commit. The Superior Court's decision at once ignores the plain language of Section 1473.5 and impoverishes the wisdom of the Legislature, which had already extended the statute to include victims such as Kelly. The Superior Court simply got it wrong. Kelly should not have to spend the rest of her life in prison when similarly situated defendants have already been released. At present, Kelly has been incarcerated since August 3, 1995. Hopefully, this type of conviction would not happen today. This is a new era in which critical domestic violence expert evidence that was withheld in Kelly's trial is now able to be submitted for other victims in similar circumstances. Only Governor Brown can remedy this injustice immediately, rather than force Kelly to continue fighting for justice for what is certain to be years or even decades given the backlog of cases in the criminal appellate system.

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[4] Judge Alldredge ignored the fact that the Court of Appeal, which had reviewed the trial record, found that Kelly had made a prima facie case that she was entitled to relief.

[5] Please see the brief discussion in response to question 1 above regarding how the phenomena of "cognitive distortions" and "traumatic bonding" explain why Kelly did not understand that Mark was also abusing Justin. For a fuller discussion, please see Dr. Stahly's expert report attached as Exhibit 6 (Exhibit A to the Petition), at 16-18.

4) Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Kelly Ann Savage should be granted commutation because she did not murder her son Justin. As shown by Exhibit 2, Personal Statement from Kelly Ann Savage, Kelly's decades of physical, sexual, and emotional abuse by *almost every man* she had encountered in life had traumatized Kelly so much that she lacked the knowledge or ability to leave her abusive relationship before Mark killed Justin. As the trial evidence showed, Mark Savage killed Justin in a classic case of deadly "separation violence." At the time of Justin's murder, Kelly had made concrete plans to escape Mark's violence with her children. Tragically, Mark killed Justin on August 3, 1995, the day before Kelly and the children were set to leave.

Kelly also should be granted commutation because she is a kind and thoughtful person who poses absolutely no danger to society. Throughout more than twenty-one years of incarceration, Kelly has maintained an incredibly positive prison record. Since her conviction in 1998, Kelly has worked hard to improve herself and to contribute to improving society. As shown by Kelly's Personal Statement, and also by Exhibit No. 6 (Declaration of Kelly Ann Savage in Support of Petition for Habeas Corpus) and Exhibit No. 16, Kelly has been a very positive and productive person in prison, in terms of her own improvement and the betterment of the prison community and the outside community as well. While in prison, Kelly has participated or led numerous programs, and earned a number of degrees and certificates, including the following, which are attached to this Application as Exhibit 16:

- Domestic Abuse Peer Educator, which requires ongoing study of domestic abuse including numerous Women Escaping a Violent Environment (WEAVE) domestic violence trainings, participation in Domestic Violence Awareness Day, completion of a 120-hour class on domestic abuse, and participation and assistance with a self-surviving childhood assault seminar
- Chairperson of the Survivor's Corner subcommittee of the Long Termers Organization Facilitator of Living Outside Violence Everyday (LOVE) domestic and sexual violence support groups and peer advocacy
- Comfort Care volunteer, where Kelly is one of few approved caregivers providing End of Life and Hospice Care to dying and incapacitated prisoners in the prison's infirmary
- Certified Grief Counselor, trained to support prisoners grieving the loss of family members, illness, etc.
- Volunteer Facilitator in a sixteen-week American Sign Language course
- Participant in the Transforming Lives Network (TLN) for prisoners who want to attain GEDs or gain life skills
- Centerforce Peer Health Educator

- Associate of Arts degree from Coastline Community College

In addition to the foregoing, Kelly has also been commended and recognized for her ongoing efforts at self-help while incarcerated. She has also undergone a great deal of therapy as a battered woman, and has begun to understand why she did not act sooner to leave Mark with her children. This therapy has helped Kelly to understand and manage the effects of the years of physical and emotional abuse she suffered with such success that she is currently working as a peer counselor with other victims of domestic violence. Kelly's experience as a peer counselor has helped her to better understand and to gain perspective on the substantial abuse she has suffered throughout her life.

As a loving mother, Kelly will always regret that she was unable to protect Justin from harm. Not a day goes by when Kelly does not think about how things could have been different. As a victim of decades of substantial physical and emotional abuse, Kelly did not fully understand Mark's abuse as extraordinary violence since nearly every man who entered Kelly's life abused her. As Kelly states in her Declaration:

> If I had another opportunity to go before a jury, I would want the jury to know that Mark was abusing me and lying to me in order to cover up his violence against Justin. I would want the jury to know that I did not understand that Mark was being abusive because I did not know any different; nearly every man that has ever come into my life has abused me. I would especially want the jury to know that Mark was abusive to Justin. Finally, I would want the jury to know that I had solid plans to leave Mark, but Mark killed Justin before I and the children could get away.

Therefore, based on the foregoing, Kelly requests that the Governor's Office grant her Application for Commutation. Kelly humbly requests Governor Brown to please either commute the remainder of her prison sentence or to remove the LWOP designation so that she may have her case reviewed by the Parole Board to decide how much more time—if any—she should serve.

5) If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, please list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

No. Kelly Ann Savage's Application for Commutation and Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus were prepared by attorneys of Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP ("Morgan Lewis") as part of the firm's expansive pro bono program. Morgan Lewis has paid all expenses, including expert fees, court fees, filing and copying fees, and travel expenses, etc. and has never sought or been awarded, fees, costs or other compensation in connection therewith.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Jeremy Stewart

On February 25 and 29, 2010, Jeremy Stewart broke into two homes and stole thousands of dollars of property. It appears that no one was home at the time of the burglaries. These were the last in a string of crimes that included other burglaries, petty theft, receipt of stolen property, and being a felon in possession of a firearm. On October 29, 2010, the San Diego County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Stewart to 70 years to life – 25 years to life for each of two counts of first degree burglary under the three strikes law, plus a 20 year prior felony enhancement.

In his application for executive clemency, Mr. Stewart acknowledged that his criminal history was the result of his "long-term drug addiction," which he has worked to address in prison. Since his incarceration, Mr. Stewart has "embraced the opportunity to face and deal once again with [his] addictive problems in an environment with more structure and more help." He has been the chairman of his Alcoholics and Narcotics Anonymous group, and his sponsor noted that Mr. Stewart has "confront[ed] the nature of addiction in an honest and sincere nature." Mr. Stewart has never been disciplined for misconduct and has earned a degree in social and behavioral science from Coastline Community College. He also has earned a vocational training certificate in auto body and participated in self-help groups including Alcoholics and Narcotics Anonymous, Incarcerated Youth Offenders Program, and The Urban Ministries Institute. Mr. Stewart routinely receives excellent work ratings. A correctional officer noted that Mr. Stewart takes "great pride and skill in performing his assigned duties" and that he "sets a good example to his fellow inmates and coworkers." A correctional sergeant who supervised him wrote that Mr. Stewart "went out of his way to make himself useful" and demonstrated a "respectful, positive attitude toward staff and other inmates." The sergeant continued, "It is my opinion that Stewart has a real desire for success and for a positive change in his life." His mother has offered her support and has gathered well over 50,000 signatures supporting Mr. Stewart's clemency petition. He has a plan to live in transitional housing that offers substance abuse counseling upon his release.

Additionally, after a background investigation was completed, the Board of Parole Hearings reviewed Mr. Stewart's case at an *en banc* meeting and recommended him for a commutation of sentence. The Justices of the Supreme Court of California also considered Mr. Stewart's application for a commutation of sentence, and a majority of them recommended to me that the application be granted.

I do not doubt that Mr. Stewart's crimes left his victims feeling vulnerable and afraid. One of the victims of his burglaries has written to oppose clemency. However, I am persuaded that Mr. Stewart, despite little incentive to change his life in prison in view of his 70 year to life sentence, has worked hard to overcome his drug addiction and put his life on a productive path. Mr. Stewart's current sentence does not afford him any opportunity for release for decades. While he demonstrated a troubling pattern of criminal activity as a young man, I conclude that it is appropriate to mitigate his sentence so that he can be released on parole.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Jeremy Stewart to a total of 8 years.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Complete this application to request a pardon or commutation from the Governor. A pardon is the forgiveness of a crime and a commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. If you are eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, do not complete this application; instead obtain a Certificate of Rehabilitation from the superior court in your county of residence. (See Penal Code, § 4852.01.) If the pardon is granted, this application or the Certificate of Rehabilitation may be a public record; specific personal information may be blacked out before it is made available to the public.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Jeremy Paul Stewart **Date of Birth:** [redacted]84 **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: D5-220, P.O.Box 5007, Calipatria CA 92233 (Calipatria State Prison)

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.

	Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
1st	PC 459, HS 11377(a)	04/04/2005	San Diego	Summary probation
2nd	PC 484, PC 459, VC 10851(a), HS 11377(a)	11/03/05	San Diego	County (1) year
3rd	PC 459/460	2/17/2006	San Diego	(2) years, prison

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2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

On 08/17/2010 I was found guilty of two counts of first degree burglary. These took place on 10/29/2009, and 02/25/2010. I was also charged with having two prior strikes.

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

For each count I was sentenced to 25-to-life plus an additional 5 years for each prior strike. So I was given 35-to-life for the first burglary, and 35-to-life for the second burglary. Both sentences were to run consecutively, for a total of 70 years to life.

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4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

My behavior was the result of a long-term drug addiction. I was sent to prison on a "second strike" and was supposed to do seven years. Due to a mistake I was released after only...

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5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon or commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each District Attorney must be given notice.

I, Jeremy Paul Stewart, *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of San Diego *with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon or*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Jeremy Paul Stewart — 4/3/13

Applicant's Signature — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

(Continued from Page 1 : Prior Convictions)

4th PC 459/460 7/03/2008 San Diego (7) Years in Prison

5th PC 12021(a)(1) 7/07/2008 San Diego (2) years in Prison

(Continued from page 1 : Question 3)

Besides being draconian and burdening society with a ridiculous bill for my incarceration until death, it serves no legitimate societal function. What's more it produces an arbitrary system where people convicted of the same crimes merely miles apart get unbelievably divergent sentences because many counties, like Los Angeles, will not seek a third strike sentencing for non-violent felonies. (Source: Los Angeles County Deputy District Attorney's Handbook.)

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... serving one year. I realize some might consider this a blessing, and at the time it was, but I needed that other seven years for rehabilitative purposes. The "second strike" term is designed to be a considerable amount of prison time so one might have the seriousness of the situation "sink in". This early release did not give me the time to dealWith my addiction. I realized my

problem and voluntarily entered drug treatments on several occasions after my release. These were unsuccessful, but I know that the process of recovery is not a one-time thing. It often takes many attempts and I was motivated to end this problem in my life. I was also motivated by my new marriage and the birth of my two children.

I realize my behavior was not acceptable. I also realize there is a price to pay for this kind of behavior. I also accept and embrace the opportunity to face and deal once again with my addictive problems in an environment with more structure and more help. But I do not believe a 70-to-life sentence serves any societal goal. The crimes for which I was convicted were not violent. No weapon was used and the homes targeted were deliberately chosen to be vacant to nullify any chance of harm to anyone. While this does not excuse the offenses it does make the imposition of a 70-to-life death sentence completely out of proportion to my offenses. This is all the more so when taken in the context

of a substance abuse problem which I had already acknowledge and was committed to beating, both for myself and marriage and newborn children.

At the time of my sentencing, I was a non-violent third-strike defendant who burgalrized homes to support my family and drug addiction. I most certainly deserved jail time for my crimes. However, 70 years For non-violent offenses does not serve any legitimate societal goal. California cannot afford to house non-violent offenders for More than 25 years. According to the Legislative Analysts Office, for the years 2008-2009, the yearly cost of housing one inmate in California was $47,000/year. If I am to serve all 70 years, the total cost to the state of California for my non-violent burglaries would be $3,290,000.00.

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California)
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County of Imperial)

On April 3 (Date), 2013, before me **K. HAMILTON, Notary Public**, personally appeared Jeremy Paul Stewart (Name(s) of Signer(s)),

who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/~~are~~ subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledge to me that he/~~she/they~~ executed the same in his/~~her/their~~ authorized capacity(~~ies~~), and that by his/~~her/their~~ signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

K. HAMILTON
Commission # 1984173
Notary Public - California
Imperial County
My Comm. Expires Jul 31, 2016

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature K. Hamilton (Signature of Notary)

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COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Debra Louise Strange

In 2006, Debra Strange saw Carlito and Carmen Aguilar win a jackpot at a casino. She followed them home and forced her way into the house with a gun, trying to rob the Aguilars, their son, and his girlfriend. The Aguilars' son pinned Ms. Strange to the ground and held her down until the authorities arrived. Thankfully, no one was hurt. On June 26, 2008, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Ms. Strange to 17 years to life – seven years to life for kidnapping plus a ten-year firearm enhancement.

Ms. Strange has been recommended for a commutation by the warden of the California Institution for Women. In her application for clemency, Ms. Strange wrote, "I have dissected my life to determine how I came to this shameful point, and more importantly, to make sure that honor, respect, and integrity are restored and nothing like this ever happens again in my life." She explained that she had a serious gambling addiction at the time of this crime and that she has since turned her life around.

Ms. Strange had no criminal history and has never been disciplined for any misconduct during 11 years in prison. She has never been involved with drugs, gangs, or violence while incarcerated. Ms. Strange earned an Associate of Arts degree in behavioral and social sciences, and received a vocational certification in office technology. She has consistently received exceptional work ratings. Many correctional officers have commended Ms. Strange for her positive influence in the prison, including a correctional sergeant who wrote, "I feel Inmate Strange should be considered for release back to our community and given a second chance at life. I have no doubt [she] is ready to successfully reintegrate herself as a productive member of society." A facility captain noted, "Within the past two years I have observed Ms. Strange to be an exceptional role model for the inmate population, impacting them through her mentoring abilities…She is a person of integrity and principle." Another correctional officer recognized Ms. Strange for her strong work ethic and wrote that she "consistently demonstrates solid rehabilitation and openly and honestly shows remorse for her criminal actions…I believe that she is prepared and ready for re-entry into society." Ms. Strange has participated in numerous self-help programs, including Narcotics Anonymous, Restorative Justice, Alternatives to Violence, and Criminal and Addictive Thinking. She has several options for housing upon her release, has been offered a job, and has friends and family members who are ready to help support her.

Ms. Strange committed a very serious crime, but she has dedicated herself to rehabilitation and serving those around her. She has been a model inmate despite her long sentence. For all these reasons, I believe it is appropriate to reduce her sentence so that she can be released on parole.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Debra Strange to a total of 11 years.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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APPLICATION FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Debra Louise Strange **Date of Birth:** [redacted] 1963 DLS **Social Security Number:** [redacted]

Address: CCWF 512-2-34up P.O. Box 1508 Chowchilla, CA 93610-1508

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	**Date of offense(s):**	**County of conviction(s):**	**Sentence(s):**
None			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

I followed Mr. and Mrs. Aguilar from a casino to their home and entered their home with a gun and tried to rob them. I committed this crime and deserve punishment. The course of the crime was through the house, out the back, around the side to the front in search of the money they had won and the duration was one minute

3. Explain why you are requesting a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

A huge burden is lifted from the taxpayers when a rehabilitated low-risk recidivist such as myself is released back into the community. With the knowledge and experience gained through this journey, I can and wont to help others, especially our youth, avoid this horrible path in life. Family restoration and reunification are

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a pardon or commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

I understand how my actions have harmed and impacted the Aguilar family, my family, and society. If I encountered a similar situation today, I am ready to defend and help the "victim" in any way I can. I understand how and why my life derailed

5. If you have you paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

This notice is required by Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805.

To the District Attorney of Los Angeles County: Please take notice that I, Debra Louise Strange,

was convicted of the crime of Kidnapping, Assault, Attempted Robbery, Burglary,

committed in Los Angeles County, California, on the date of 24 September 2006.

I will submit this application to the Governor of the State of California for the following type of executive clemency (check one):

☐ Pardon

☑ Commutation of sentence. *Inmate Number:* X31763.

D. Strange

Applicant's Signature

12 August 2012

Date

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This section to be completed by the District Attorney only.

I, D. Cantrell, Deputy, District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles,

do hereby acknowledge receipt of notice from Above,

that ~~he~~/she intends to apply to the Governor of the State of California for a pardon or a commutation of sentence.

Signed D. Cantrell

Date 8/24/12

District Attorney: Please Return this Notice to the Governor's Office, Attn: Legal Affairs, State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Application For Executive Clemency

Attachment

#2. or less, before I turned and ran away, only to be caught by the Aguilars. They did not deserve the chaos and pain I caused them and I am eternally sorry. The following information is not an excuse, as the life circumstances leading up to this time in my life were very real contributing factors to my behavior. I found out I could no longer have children after the removal of both fallopian tubes following two (2) ectopic pregnancies, which induced early menopause. My twenty-two (22) year marriage ended, I was laid off from a sixteen (16) year career, and my youngest left home for college - empty nest, which all contributed to a series of bad choices and ultimately a gambling addiction. In full bloom, my addiction to gamble was misinterpreted as infidelity by my fiancé. So when he offered me ecstasy as an aid to the intimacy problems resulting from my deception, I felt obligated to accept it. I was so wrong. The drug did not impair my motor skills, but severely distorted my thinking and decision making. I ran out of money in the casino many times before and simply went home. Criminal thoughts of taking something from someone else never entered my mind. I thank God there were no physical injuries, but I know that emotional trauma can sometimes be worse. I pray daily that their lives have been restored and they are doing well.

(See Attachments)

#3. extremely important to us and our society and becomes increasingly difficult as time passes. I feel more and more out of place and more estranged from my daughters, grandchildren, and family with every day that passes. I miss my family so much and I really want to go home to them sooner rather than later. With his experience, the prosecuting District Attorney offered a thirteen (13) year sentence as appropriate punishment, because of my age, being a first-time offender, a low-risk recidivist, and the circumstances of my crime. The judge denied the plea agreement. Continued incarceration with my current sentence is not in the interest of justice. CDCR staff, who has observed my behavior and attitude finds me to be deserving of this opportunity for consideration.

(See Attachments)

#4. and more importantly how to make sure I never re-offend. This was an isolated incident that will not be repeated. I have genuine and sincere remorse for my criminal actions and the harm I caused the Aguilars and I dedicate my life to helping others. I am truly rehabilitated as I have examined myself, identified my causal factors and problem areas, and really use the tools and resources I have gained to be the best person I can be today, and going forward. I am a very low-risk recidivist. Here in prison, I always want to and try to do the right thing and treat everyone with respect and value, which is not the normal. I would be a positive asset to society and I am no threat to my victims or society. I am a first-time offender with no prior criminal behavior and I have exceptional incarcerated behavior, rehabilitation efforts and accomplishments. I meet all documented parole suitability requirements. I have solid appropriate parole plans and structured support and resources available for a successful reintegration into society. My continued incarceration serves no rehabilitative or corrective purpose. The sum of my character is the opposite of this criminal behavior. I have gained the wisdom, knowledge, and insight necessary to re-establish and maintain a successful, healthy lifestyle. Family unity is a foundational cornerstone in the health and wealth of today's society, and my family needs me and I need them. I cannot change my past, but I can

#4. and will apply lessons learned and make positive contributions in today's society. I am a burden to this system that could be relieved with very low risk of recidivism. The prison overcrowding is only going to worsen as two female prisons are combined into one. I humbly request that you commute my sentence.

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Tobias Tubbs

On June 15, 1991, Tobias Tubbs, Ed Smith, and John Doss went to Billy and Desiree Mayberry's house to collect on a debt. After robbing the house, they forced the Mayberrys, Larry Thomas, and Sherlene Kuylen onto the ground. Mr. Smith and Mr. Doss shot Mr. Thomas, Mr. Mayberry, and Ms. Mayberry. Mr. Thomas and Ms. Mayberry died; Mr. Mayberry survived. They also shot at Ms. Kuylen twice, but she was not injured. On April 27, 1993, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. Tubbs to two consecutive terms of life without the possibility of parole for two counts of first degree murder.

Mr. Tubbs has been incarcerated for over 26 years and has dramatically turned his life around. In his commutation application, Mr. Tubbs described how he has "thoroughly and intensely dedicated [himself] to rehabilitation." Indeed, in prison, Mr. Tubbs has dedicated his time and energy to improving himself and helping others. Mr. Tubbs has lived on the honor yard since 2012 and has devoted himself to helping others by facilitating many self-help groups, working as a peer educator, and serving as a trainer for rescued dogs in the Paws for Life program. As a peer educator, Mr. Tubbs has interviewed and helped over 4,000 inmates with medical and mental health issues. The program supervisor commended Mr. Tubbs on his efforts to serve as a role model to other inmates and his remarkable growth while incarcerated. Mr. Tubbs has not been disciplined for misconduct for over 12 years. He has turned away from the gangs, violence, and drugs and alcohol many others fall prey to in prison. The Director of the Catalyst Foundation also praised Mr. Tubbs for being a "dependable, responsible, honorable and well-tempered person" and has offered him a job with benefits and support with housing, transportation, finances, psychotherapy, and other services needed to ensure his successful reintegration in the community.

The warden of Lancaster prison has recommended Mr. Tubbs for a commutation of sentence. Additionally a chaplain wrote, "He demonstrates a clear insight into the factors of his life that led to his commitment offense. He has also expressed a deep remorse for the actions of his youth and the harm he inflicted on both the victims and his own family. More broadly, he has also articulated an understanding of the wider implications of his actions on society." Similarly, a Prison Coordinator for the Alternatives to Violence Program also wrote to support clemency, stating, "This is a family man that made a mistake and has changed the direction of his life." She described, "He communicates his understanding of what he did and how much what he did hurt both his and his victim's family. … During his incarceration, Mr. Tubbs has used this time to educate himself and enhance his self-worth so once he leaves the penal system he will be better equipped to deal with society on society's terms." And finally, she asked, "Mr. Tubbs made mistakes, but when do we as a society find it in our hearts to forgive those who really make concrete changes in their lives [and give them] a second chance?"

Without any doubt, Mr. Tubbs was involved in a serious and violent crime. But because it is clear to me that Mr. Tubbs has made a genuine commitment to his rehabilitation, I believe he has earned an opportunity to make his case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Tobias Tubbs to a total of 25 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this application to request a commutation of sentence from the Governor. A commutation is a reduction or elimination of a sentence. **If granted, this application will become a public record, however specific personal information will be redacted (hidden) before it is made available to the public.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: TOBIAS Alfonso Tubbs **Date of Birth:** [redacted]/70 **Inmate ID:** H-76464

Address: P.O.BOX 4430, LAN, CA 93539 **Facility:** CSP, Los Angeles County

1. Conviction Summary:

List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries. Attach additional pages if necessary.			
Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):
FIRST TIME YOUTH/YOUNG ADULT OFFENDER COMMITMENT CASE ONLY			

2. Briefly describe the circumstances of the crime(s) for which you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

IN 1991 AT THE AGE OF TWENTY (20), I MADE A TERRIBLE DECISION IN COMPTON CALIFORNIA. SUFFERING GREATLY FROM A SERIES OF TRAUMATIC EVENTS, coupled with 2 immature neurology two of my teammates and myself got into deadly altercation which left two people killed, and subsequently property taken from their home.

3. Explain why you are requesting a commutation (attach additional pages as necessary):

Even at the age of 20, the felony murder Rule required me to be given LWOP As my transcript reflects, I was not in the house during the murders, I had left prior to. Regardless, over the last 27 years I've thoroughly and intensely dedicated myself to rehabilitation. At the Age of 46 I'm prepared to be a productive citizen, and help others.

4. Provide a brief statement explaining why you should be granted a commutation (attach additional pages if necessary):

My life inside the walls have been of service. I'm full of remorse of the lives I helped devastate. With insight on profound levels, driven by empathy I've dedicated by life to the service of others and life time Amends.

5. If you have paid any money or given any gift to anyone to assist in the preparation of this application, list their name, address, and amount paid or given (required by Penal Code section 4807.2):

N/A

STATEMENT OF NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This application may be submitted to the Board of Parole Hearings for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

Penal Code sections 4804 and 4805 require that you give the District Attorney in the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a commutation. You must complete the Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency (attached) and mail it to the District Attorney before submitting this application to the Governor's Office.

I, TOBIAS Alfonso Tubbs, *declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I*
(Print Full Name)
have served the District Attorney of the County of Los Angeles *with notice of my intent to apply for a*
(Name of County*)
commutation.

I further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information I have provided on this application is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in the denial of the application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

T. Tubbs — 3-13-2017

Applicant's Signature — Date

*If Applicable, List Additional Counties Here (Send Notice of Intent to Apply for Executive Clemency to All Counties Listed)

Executive Department

State of California

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Anthony West

On September 14, 1992, Louie Molduf learned that his daughter's boyfriend, Anthony West, had forged checks against his bank account. Fearing that Mr. Molduf would go to the police, Mr. West pushed Mr. Molduf inside the trunk of a car. When Mr. West opened the trunk the next day, Mr. Molduf was dead. An autopsy revealed that Mr. Molduf died from asphyxiation. On November 2, 1995, the Los Angeles County Superior Court sentenced Mr. West to life without the possibility of parole for first degree murder.

Mr. West is now 56 and has been incarcerated for over 25 years. The warden at Lancaster prison has recommended Mr. West for commutation. During his lengthy incarceration, Mr. West has avoided gang activity and violence, and has only been disciplined twice for misconduct. Mr. West has resided on the honor dorm since 2010 and has been a model for other inmates. He has a long history of positive work ratings and has earned two vocational certificates. In 2017, Mr. West was commended by a correctional officer who had known him for 14 years. The officer noted that Mr. West "has continued to maintain an excellent attitude and willingness to follow instructions and obey staffs orders." The correctional officer also believed that West "exhibits leadership qualities and is a trustworthy and responsible individual" and he has never seen Mr. West "respond negatively in stressful situations." In 2014, another correctional officer who had known Mr. West for 10 years commended him for his "positive outlook as well as a good attitude" and said that he "continues to encourage other inmates to change for the better...Inmate West is a hard worker and I believe he could be successful in society if given a chance." Mr. West has a plan for housing, substance abuse education, relapse prevention, anger management, mental health, and life skills if released.

This is a senseless crime, but Mr. West has demonstrated through his exemplary conduct in prison that he deserves a chance to make his case to the Board of Parole Hearings so they can determine whether he is ready to be released from prison.

THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby commute the sentence of Anthony West to a total of 25 years to life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd Day of December, 2017.

EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
Governor of California

ATTEST:

ALEX PADILLA
Secretary of State

APPLICATION FOR CLEMENCY

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State of California
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This Application for Clemency must be used to request:

- a commutation (reduction) of the applicant's current sentence if the applicant is presently in prison or jail, or on probation or parole;
- a pardon based upon innocence; or
- a pardon based upon rehabilitation if the applicant has completed his or her sentence but is not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Please complete sections I, III and IV and that portion of section II that applies to your case.
Please TYPE or PRINT in blue or black ink.

I.

APPLICANT INFORMATION
To be completed by all applicants

LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
WEST	ANTHONY	EDWARD

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Social Security Number	Prison Number
[redacted]-61	PASADENA	[redacted]	J-84510

Current Residence CALIFORNIA STATE PRISON - LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Address	Apartment, Lot, Suite, Space, etc.
44750 60TH STREET WEST	A1-204L

City	State	Zip code
LANCASTER	CALIFORNIA	93536-8457

Reason for Requesting Clemency

What relief are you requesting? (Complete the corresponding portion of section II)

- o Pardon based on rehabilitation and not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01
- o Commutation/Pardon based on Battered Woman's Syndrome
- X Commutation of current sentence
- o Compassionate Release
- o Pardon based upon innocence
- o Other

Why are you requesting clemency?

Conviction Information

Commitment Offense
PENAL CODE 187, PENAL CODE 190.2 (a)(10) PENAL CODE 190.2 (a)(17)

Date of offense	Date of conviction	Arresting agency	County of conviction
9-18-1992	8-2-1995	VAN NUYS POLICE DEPARTMENT. DET. MIKE COFFEY	LOS ANGELES

Superior court case number	Your trial attorney's name and address	Sentence	If you are currently a prisoner, what is your release date, if any?
LA012065	MICHAEL WITTLIEB 14400 ERWIN STREET MALL #316 VAN NUYS CA 91401	LIFE WITHOUT POSSIBILITY OF PAROLE	NONE

Did you appeal your case? X Yes o No
If yes, appellate case number and status of case

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Prior Convictions: List all prior convictions, including any in other states or countries.

Offense(s):	Date of offense(s):	County of conviction(s):	Sentence(s):

Current Attorney Information

Are you currently represented by an attorney? o Yes (No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.

First and last name:

Telephone number:

Address:

Information Required by Penal Code Section 4807.2

Have you paid or given any money, gift or consideration to anyone for assisting you with this application? o Yes o No

If yes, please provide his or her name, address and telephone number.

First and last name:

Telephone number:

Address:

II.
REQUEST FOR CLEMENCY
Please complete the section below that applies to your request.

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE
Complete this section if you are presently an prison and requesting clemency due to a medical condition.

Please explain the medical condition that warrants clemency:

Your current physician's name:

Physician's address:

Physician's telephone number:

Have you applied to the Department of Corrections or the Board of Prison Terms for a recall of your sentence pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1170? o Yes o No

What was the result?

PARDON BASED ON REHABILITATION
Complete this section if you have completed your sentence, you are requesting clemency based upon rehabilitation and you are not eligible for a Certificate of Rehabilitation under Penal Code section 4852.01.

Give a brief account of your offense.

Explain your rehabilitation efforts during incarceration.

Describe your record in prison, jail, parole or probation. (List all disciplinary action taken against you)

When were you discharged from probation or parole?

Describe your rehabilitation and activities since release.

Why you are requesting a pardon?

PARDON BASED ON INNOCENCE

Complete this section if you are requesting a pardon based upon innocence.

Describe the evidence of your innocence that was discovered after conviction and explain its importance.

Has this new evidence been presented to the arresting agency or district attorney? If so, what was the result?

Has this new evidence been presented to the courts? If so, what was the result?

COMMUTATION/PARDON BASED ON BATTERED WOMAN'S SYNDROME

Complete this section if you are requesting clemency based upon battered woman's syndrome.

Describe the evidence of battering and its effects in the relationship between you and the victim that led to the crime.

Was this evidence presented at trial?

Have you sought a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to Penal Code section 1473.5 based upon this evidence?

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE

Complete this section if you are currently under sentence and requesting clemency for any reason not covered above.

Explain why you are requesting clemency.

THE CRIME I AM CONVICTED OF, MURDER AND SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES WAS AN ACCIDENTAL INCIDENT FOLLOWING A BAD FIGHT WITH MY FUTURE FATHER-IN-LAW MR LOUIE MOLDUF AFTER HE HIT ME WITH A TIRE IRON.

Have you sought relief from the courts?

YES, I ASK FOR A NEW TRIAL BASED ON INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER JURY INSTRUCTION, NOT GIVEN JURY DURING DELIBERATION. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES WERE NOT ESTABLISHED AS REQUIRED BY PENAL CODE 192.7 SUBD (A)(17)

III
NOTICE TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Penal Code section 4804 requires that you give the district attorney of the county of conviction written notice of your intention to apply for a pardon. You must complete the attached form and mail it to the district attorney **before** you submit this application to the Governor's Office. If you are requesting a pardon for more than one conviction involving more than one county, each district attorney must be given notice.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have served the district attorney of the county of

Los Angeles
(Name of county) ***with notice of my intent to apply for a pardon, as required by Penal Code section 4804.***

Anthony West
(Applicant's signature)

1-3-2013
(Date)

IV
DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

This Application for Clemency may be submitted to the Board of Prison Terms for investigation and recommendation pursuant to Penal Code Section 4812. This application may also be submitted to law enforcement or other agencies for investigation or recommendation.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the forgoing is true and correct. I understand that any omission or misstatement of facts may result in denial of my application and the filing of perjury charges against me.

Anthony West
(Applicant's signature)

1-3-2013
(Date signed)