Louisiana Board of Pardons Meeting Minutes

Date: Wednesday, September 13, 2017

Recorded by: John Poche

1. Call to Order

The Chair called the meeting to order at 8:30 AM.

2. Roll Call

☑ Roll call was done with all members present. A quorum was declared.
<u>Staff members present:</u>
Lakisha Harris
John Poche
Mary Fuentes
Taylor Green

3. Public Comment was allowed on request before any action item.

4. Regular Business:

- a. The minutes from the **August 16, 2017** meeting were reviewed.
 - \boxtimes There were 2 corrections.

Motion was made by Mr. Loftin, seconded by Mr. Roche'. Without objection, the motion passed unanimously.

5. New Business:

a. The Board will consider revisions to LAC 22, Part V, Chapter 2, 203, 211; LAC 22, Part XI, Chapter 1, 102; Chapter 3, 301, 303, 307; Chapter 5, 510 and Chapter 7, 701, 703, 711.

Motion was made by Mr. Loftin and seconded by Mr. Wise. Without objection, the motion passed unanimously.

b. Clemency hearings: The Board conducted 14 clemency hearings.

6. Other Business:

- a. Administrative review of clemency applications: The Board reviewed and considered <u>25</u> applications for clemency.
- b. Administrative review of clemency Re-Applications: The Board reviewed and considered <u>18</u> Re-Applications for clemency.

7. Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned on motion by Mr. Wise at 4:07 pm.

John Poche, Administrative Program Manager

Louisiana Board of Pardons Department of Corrections Headquarters Wednesday, September 13, 2017

1. Meeting call to order/roll call at: <u>8:30 AM</u> By: Chairman Sheryl M. Ranatza

Louisiana Board of Pardons: Board Members	Present	Absent
Chairman – Sheryl M. Ranatza	XXXX	
Jim Wise	XXXX	
Alvin Roche' Jr.	XXXX	
James E. "Jimmy" Kuhn	XXXX	
Kenneth A. Loftin	XXXX	

Exec. Session Time Out	Motion By:	Seconded By:	Time Back in Reg. Session
9:23 AM	Wise	Roche	9:26 AM
1:57 PM	Wise	Kuhn	2:00 PM
Break	Motion By:	Seconded By:	Time Back

2. Regular Business:

a.) Approval of Minutes from 8/16/2017 Hearing Approved by Mr. Loftin and seconded by Mr. Roche

3. Other Business:

a.) Administrative Docket:

25 cases reviewed

- b.) Re-Application Docket:
 - 18 Cases reviewed

4. New Business:

a.) The Board will consider revisions to LAC 22, Part V, Chapter 2, 203, 211; LAC 22, Part XI, Chapter 1, 102; Chapter 3, 301, 303, 307; Chapter 5, 510 and Chapter 7, 701, 703, 711.

Approved by Mr. Loftin and seconded by Mr. Wise

b.) Pardon Docket:

14 cases review

5. Adjourn

Motion Made by:	Mr. Wise
Time adjourned:	4:07 PM

Louisiana Board of Pardons **Meeting Minutes** ****Corrected Minutes from 8/16/2017 Meeting****

Date: Wednesday, August 16, 2017

Recorded by: John Poche

1. Call to Order

The Chair called the meeting to order at 8:41 AM.

2. Roll Call

Roll call was done with only Mr. Kuhn not present.

Mr. Kuhn arrived at 10:21 AM. A quorum was declared.

Staff members present:

Lakisha Harris

John Poche

Mary Fuentes

Taylor Green

3. Public Comment was allowed on request before any action item.

4. Regular Business:

a. The minutes from the July 19, 2017 meeting were reviewed.

 \boxtimes There were no corrections.

Motion was made by Mr. Loftin, seconded by Mr. Roche'. Without objection, the motion passed unanimously.

5. New Business:

a. Clemency hearings: The Board conducted 18 clemency hearings.

6. Other Business:

a. Administrative review of clemency applications: The Board reviewed and considered 41 applications for clemency.

7. Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned on motion by Mr. Roche' at 4:42 pm.

John Poche, Administrative Program Manager

Louisiana Board of Pardons Department of Corrections Headquarters Wednesday, August 16, 2017

1. Meeting call to order/roll call at: <u>8:41 AM</u> By: Chairman Sheryl M. Ranatza

Louisiana Board of Pardons: Board Members	Present	Absent
Chairman – Sheryl M. Ranatza	XXXX	
Jim Wise	XXXX	
Alvin Roche' Jr.	XXXX	
James E. "Jimmy" Kuhn – arrived at 10:21 AM	XXXX	
Kenneth A. Loftin	XXXX	

Exec. Session Time Out	Motion By:	Seconded By:	Time Back in Reg. Session
2:51 PM	Wise	Kuhn	3:30 PM
4:02 PM	Loftin	Roche	4:07 PM
Break	Motion By:	Seconded By:	Time Back
11:40 AM	Ranatza	Roche	12:20 PM

2. Old Business:

a.) Approval of Minutes from 7/19/2017 Hearing - Started at 8:41 AM; Ended at 8:42 AM

Approved by Mr. Loftin and seconded by Mr. Roche

3. New Business:

a.) Administrative Docket - Started at 11:40 AM; Ended at 12:00 PM 25 Administrative Actions Reviewed

4. Regular Business:

Morning Docket - Started at 8:42 AM; Ended at 11:40 AM 10 Pardon hearings reviewed

Afternoon Docket - Started at 12:20 PM; Ended at 4:42 PM 8 Pardon hearings reviewed

5. Adjourn

Motion Made by: <u>Mr. Roche</u> Time adjourned: 4:42 PM

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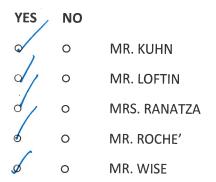
Meeting date:

MOTION FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION:

I move that the Board go into Executive Session, the purpose of which is to discuss information contained in the record of each case on the morning/afternoon docket that is confidential and not subject to public disclosure.

ICP Motion made by:

ROLL CALL VOTE:



The motion is:

APPROVED REJECTED \circ \circ Time Out: 9'.237'.21

Time Back:

s/Recording Secretary

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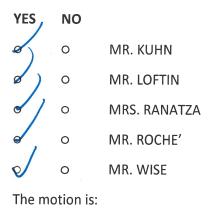
Meeting date:

MOTION FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION:

I move that the Board go into Executive Session, the purpose of which is to discuss information contained in the record of each case on the morning/afternoon docket that is confidential and not subject to public disclosure.

1)ise Motion made by:

ROLL CALL VOTE:



APPROVED	REJECTED
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Time Out:	:51
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s/Recording Secretary

WITNESS - INFORMATION ONLY

All comment cards will be considered by the Board; however, the number of witnesses to speak is limited pursuant to LAC, Title 22, Part V, Section 111D.

Name of Applicant:

Name of Witness: Representing:

Address: Telephone:

(Please print) DEMERA (Name of organization, if applicable) NOLA JUIST P.O. Box 56552

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I would like to speak:

I do not wish to speak; however, I ask that my comments be considered:

Please write comments on reverse.



LOUISIANA BOARD OF PARDONS

HEARING DOCKET: September 13, 2017 – 8:30 AM

Hearing Location: LA Department of Public Safety & Corrections, Headquarters Complex

504 Mayflower Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802, 225.342.5421

Assigned	Applicant's Name	DOC #	Request/Location	JDC/Location	Offense	Vote
1.	Brooks, James L.	464468	PE WNC	1st JDC Caddo	Purse Snatching, Purse Snatching	Deny 0-5
2.	Benedict, John M.	339034	CTO Grant P.P. (RDC)	35th JDC Grant	HFC Manufacture/Distribution of Methamphetamine; Criminal Conspiracy Manufacturing of Methamphetamine; PWITD Methamphetamine; Possession of Dihydrocodeinone	Grant 5-0 CTO IPE
3.	Williams, Clarence	212957	CTO Concordia Parish D.C. (RDC)	29th JDC St. Charles	PWID Cocaine	Deny 0-5
4.	Hingle, Anthony	131049	CTO LSP	Orleans	Second Degree Murder	Grant 4-0 CTO 99 yrs PE after 35 yrs
5.	Nguyen, Hao C.	376715	CTO LSP	32nd JDC Terrebonne	First Degree Murder	Deny 3-2
6.	Patorno, Randall	439685	CTO LSP	22nd JDC St. Tammany	Second Degree Murder	Deny 0-4
7.	Roberts, Layla	383670	CTO LSP	1st JDC Caddo	Aggravated Kidnapping	Grant 4-0 CTO 99 yrs PE after 25 yrs
8.	Rushing, David	103801	CTO LSP	22nd JDC St. Tammany	First Degree Murder	Deny 0-4
9.	Seward, Kevin	120313	CTO LSP	Orleans	Second Degree Murder	Removed
10.	Smith, Carey P.	104400	CTO LSP	32nd JDC Terrebonne	Second Degree Murder	Grant 4-0 CTO 99 yrs PE after 40 yrs

CTO=Commutation of Sentence **PWR/FM= Pardon with Restoration of Firearms ***=Pardon without Restoration of Firearms OUT=Not incarcerated

11.	Vining Jr., Isiah	93278	CTO LSP	24 th JDC Jefferson	Aggravated Rape	Grant 4-0 CTO 45 yrs IPE
12.	Wade, Rubin	100937	PE LSP	19th JDC East Baton Rouge	Aggravated Rape, Possession of Firearm; Aggravated Burglary	Deny 0-5
13.	Woodcock, George	103702	CTO LSP	Orleans	Second Degree Murder	Removed
14.	Young, Kenny	108683	CTO LSP	21st JDC Livingston	Second Degree Murder	Deny 0-4

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REVIEW OF RE-APPLICATIONS

HEARING DOCKET: September 13, 2017

Hearing Location: LA Department of Public Safety & Corrections, Headquarters Complex

504 Mayflower Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802, 225.342.5421

Assigned	Applicant's Name	DOC #	Request/Location	JDC/Location	Offense	Vote
1.	Averett, Jack Original Application Granted: 6/21/2011 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 5/21/2012	409876	PWF Released	42nd JDC De Soto	Possession of Cocaine	Sch. Live Hearing 2-3
2.	Biagas, Ned A. Original Application Granted: 10/14/2014 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 8/11/2015	127350	CTO LSP	Orleans	Second Degree Murder	Sch. Live Hearing 5-0
3.	Bozeman, Corey D. Original Application Granted: 3/10/2015 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 8/11/2015	347403	CTO LSP	Orleans	Armed Robbery	Sch. Live Hearing 5-0
4.	Carlson, Ronald G. Original Application Granted: 6/11/2013 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 3/11/2014	481509	PWF Released	26th JDC Bossier	Possession of Cocaine	Sch. Live Hearing 4-1
5.	Celestine, Sylvester Original Application Granted: 11/05/2013 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 2/10/2015	115185	CTO WNC	32nd JDC Terrebonne	Distribution of Cocaine	Deny 0-5
6.	Curtis, Vivian C. Original Application Granted: 11/17/2008 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 11/17/2009	322457	PWF Released	Orleans	Accessory After the Fact to First Degree Murder	Sch. Live Hearing 3-2
7.	Cushenberry, Frank J. Original Application Granted: 11/05/2013 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 3/10/2015	437785	PWF Released	18th JDC Iberville 3rd JDC Lincoln	Terrorizing, Communicating of False Info Bombing of a School	Sch. Live Hearing 5-0
8.	Downing, Carmen J. Original Application Granted: 5/20/2008 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 4/20/2009	493961	PWF Released	26th JDC Bossier	Theft	Sch. Live Hearing 3-2

9.	Hall, Alfred T. Original Application Granted: 9/10/2013 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 7/15/2014	194298	PWOF Released	25th JDC Plaquemines	Distribution of Cocaine; Distribution of Cocaine	Grant 5-0 PWOF
10.	LaGarde, Robert Original Application Granted: 6/11/2013 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 8/12/2014	116911	CTO DCI	32nd JDC Terrebonne	Aggravated Battery; Attempted Second Degree Murder	Sch. Live Hearing 4-1
11.	Lockett, Thurman Original Application Granted: 1/07/2014 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 9/16/2014	50558	CTO DWCC	1st JDC Caddo	Second Degree Murder	Deny 0-5
12.	Rankins, Kerry Original Application Granted: 3/12/2013 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 4/08/2014	394649	CTO East Feliciana W/R	19th JDC East Baton Rouge	Manslaughter; Obscenity (2 Counts)	Deny 0-5
13.	Romero, Lambert H. Original Application Granted: 8/12/2014 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 7/14/2015	226724	PWF Released	19th JDC East Baton Rouge	Manslaughter	Sch. Live Hearing 4-1
14.	Russ, Mark D. Original Application Granted: 11/16/2009 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 10/25/2010	360252	PWF Released	24th JDC Jefferson	Access Device Fraud, Attempted PWITD of Marijuana	Grant 5-0 PWF
15.	Thibodeaux, Bob T.Original Application Granted: 3/11/2014Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 1/13/2015	96770	CTO SPB	16th JDC St. Mary	Second Degree Murder	Removed
16.	Turnage, William J. Original Application Granted: 1/12/2010 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 11/29/2010	417019	PWF Released	19th JDC - East Baton Rouge 24th JDC - Jefferson	Distribution of Diazepam; PWITD Diazepam	Sch. Live Hearing 5-0
17.	Turner, Monica L. Original Application Granted: 3/11/2014 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 7/14/2015	449362	CTO Ouachita Female TWP	31st JDC Jefferson Davis	Manslaughter	Deny 0-5
18.	Tyree, David Original Application Granted: 9/16/2014 Original Pardon Hearing Granted: 7/14/2015	338255	PWF Released	26th JDC Bossier	Attempted Illegal Discharge of Weapon	Grant 5-0 PWF

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| HUDSON    | JERMAINE | 00366762 B M<br>ORLEANS<br>ORLEANS                                                       | 06/29/78<br>407888<br>379002     | HABIT/             | ARMED F                      | cto<br>ROBBERY<br>DEGREE ROBBERY                                           | 0990000                    |                      |
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