

**Louisiana Board of Pardons  
Meeting Minutes**

Date: **Monday, June 21, 2021**

Recorded by: **Theresa Doan**

**1. Call to Order**

- a. The Chair called the meeting to order at **8:35 AM**.

**2. Roll Call**

- Roll call was done with 5 Member(s) present. A quorum was declared.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chair – Sheryl Ranatza | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Vice-Chair – Jim Wise |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tony Marabella         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alvin Roche'          |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bonnie Jackson         |   |

Staff members present:

John Poche	Theresa Doan	----
Lea Wroten	----	----
Francis Abbott	----	----

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

**4. Regular Business:**

- a. The minutes from the **May 17, 2021** meeting were reviewed.
- i. Mr. Roche offered a correction under Regular Business, Review of Board Policies. Specifically, Policy 07-705, Application for Rehearing. Section 3.b should read, "Motion was made by Mr. Roche, seconded by Mr. Wise, to accept the proposed correction. Without objection, the motion passed unanimously."
- ii. Additionally, Mrs. Ranatza offered a correction to section 4.3.iii, which should read "Motion was made by Mr. Roche, seconded by Mr. Wise, to approve all revisions to board policies as amended. Without objection, the motion passed unanimously."
- iii. Motion was made by **Mr. Wise**, seconded by **Mr. Roche'** to accept the minutes with the correction. Without objection, the motion passed unanimously.
- b. Clemency hearings: The Board conducted **11** clemency hearings.
- c. Administrative review of clemency applications: The Board reviewed and considered **0** applications for clemency.

**5. Adjournment:**

- a. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned on motion by **Mrs. Ranatza** at **5:02 PM**.

  
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John Poche, Administrative Program Director

Louisiana Board of Pardons  
 Department of Corrections Headquarters  
 Monday, June 21, 2021

1. Meeting call to order/roll call at: 8:35 AM  
 By: Chair Sheryl M. Ranatza

Louisiana Board of Pardons: Board Members	Present	Absent
Chair - Sheryl M. Ranatza	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vice Chair - Jim Wise	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Alvin Roche' Jr.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bonnie Jackson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Anthony Marabella	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Exec. Session Time Out	Motion By:	Seconded By:	Time Back in Reg. Session
Break	Motion By:	Seconded By:	Time Back
<b>11:56 am</b>	<b>Mrs. Ranatza</b>		<b>12: 21 pm</b>

2. Regular Business:
- a.) Approval of Minutes from Monday, May 17, 2021 Hearing  
 Approved by **Mr. Wise** and seconded by **Mr. Roche'**
  - b.) Administrative Docket:  
0
  - b.) Pardon Docket:  
11 cases heard

3. Adjourn:  
 Motion Made by: **Mrs. Ranatza**  
 Time adjourned: **5:02 PM**



# LOUISIANA BOARD OF PARDONS

**HEARING DOCKET: June 21, 2021 – 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.	WILLIAMS, JOHNNY ATTORNEY: LAVALLE B. SALOMON	470159	CTO UNION PAR.PRISON	4 <sup>TH</sup> JDC MOREHOUSE	Armed Robbery	<b>GRANT 5 – 0 PE after 22 yrs</b>
2.	COLLINS, DERRICK	266738	CTO ALLEN CC	ORLEANS	Habitual-Issuing Worthless Checks-2 counts; Attempted Second Degree Murder, Habitual Attempted Manslaughter	<b>GRANT 5 – 0 IPE</b>
3.	HENRY, LEONARD L. ATTORNEY: KEITH NORDYKE	482279	CTO DWCC	19 <sup>TH</sup> JDC EBR	Second Degree Murder	<b>DENY 0 – 5</b>
4.	JACK, HARRY L.	540406	CTO RLCC	13 <sup>TH</sup> JDC EVANGELINE	Forcible Rape	<b>DENY 0 - 5</b>
5.	MAYON, KEVIN ATTORNEY: KEITH NORDYKE	576209	CTO RLCC	24 <sup>TH</sup> JDC JEFFERSON	Aggravated Burglary - 2 counts, Attempted Aggravated Burglary, Attempted Simple Burglary of an Inhabited Dwelling	<b>GRANT 5 – 0 PE After serving 60%</b>
6.	GILKERS, CHRIS ATTORNEY: KEITH NORDYKE	442378	CTO SPB	24 <sup>TH</sup> JDC JEFFERSON	Second Degree Murder	<b>Grant 4 – 1 99 yrs IPE</b>
7.	ROSSO, FRANK	436447	CTO SPB	19 <sup>TH</sup> JDC/18 <sup>TH</sup> JDC EBR/IBERVILLE	Manslaughter, Possession of a Firearm or CW by Persons Convicted of Certain Felonies; Possession of Methamphetamines	<b>DENY 2 - 3</b>
8.	CORLEY, JOHN D. ATTORNEY: KEITH NORDYKE	131810	CTO LSP	11 <sup>TH</sup> JDC SABINE	Second Degree Murder	<b>DENY 3 – 1</b>
9.	LEEMING, GREGORY	308687	CTO LSP	24 <sup>TH</sup> JDC JEFFERSON	Second Degree Murder	<b>GRANT 5 – 0 CTO 99 yrs IPE</b>
10.	MCGUIRE, LARRY	129888	CTO LSP	32 <sup>ND</sup> JDC TERREBONNE	Second Degree Murder	<b>DENY 0 – 4</b>
11.	MCGINNIS, EZEKIEL	407119	CTO LSP	9 <sup>TH</sup> JDC RAPIDES	Armed Robbery-Habitual	<b>GRANT 5 – 0 IPE</b>

CTO=Commutation of Sentence - PWF=Pardon with Restoration of Firearms - PWOFF=Pardon without Restoration of Firearms - Released=Not incarcerated