

**Louisiana Board of Pardons
Meeting Minutes**

Date: **Monday, March 27, 2023**

Recorded by: **Aniyah Hulbert**

1. Call to Order

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

2. Roll Call

- Roll call was done with 4 Member(s) present. A quorum was declared.

- Chair – Sheryl Ranatza Pete Fremin
 Vice Chair - Tony Marabella Alvin Roche'
 Bonnie Jackson

Staff members present:

Aniyah Hulbert	Francis Abbott	----
Gail Guerin	Karla Williams	----
Whitney Troxclair	----	----

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

4. Regular Business:

- a. The minutes from the **March 13, 2023** meeting were reviewed.
- i. Motion was made by **Mr. Roche'**, seconded by **Mr. Marabella** to accept the minutes without any corrections. Without objection, the motion passed unanimously.
- b. Clemency hearings: The Board conducted **9** hearings.

5. Adjournment:

- a. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned on motion by **Mrs. Ranatza** at **2:41PM**.

Whitney Troxclair

Whitney Troxclair, Administrative Program Manager

BOARD OF PARDONS/COMMITTEE ON PAROLE

Meeting date: 3/27/83

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.

Motion made by: Tony Marabella
Seconded by: Alan Roche

ROLL CALL VOTE:

- | YES | NO | |
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| <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | MRS. JACKSON |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | MR. MARABELLA |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | MRS. RANATZA |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | MR. ROCHE' |
| <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | MR. FREMIN |
| <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | MS. PEARL WISE |
| <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | MR. KELSEY |

The motion is:

- | APPROVED | REJECTED |
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Time Out: 9:34 am
Time Back: 9:39

Amiyah Hullbert
s/Recording Secretary



LOUISIANA BOARD OF PARDONS

HEARING DOCKET: March 27, 2023 – 8:30 AM

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

703 South Boulevard, Baton Rouge, LA 70802, 225.342.5421

Assigned	Applicant's Name	DOC #	Request/Location	JDC/Location	Offense	Vote
1.	ANSARDI, DARRELL J.	603838	CTO PLAQUEMINES PARISH DETENTION	32 ND JDC TERREBONNE	Manslaughter; Obstruction of Justice	DENY 0-4
2.	ABDUL, HASSAN A.	384790	CTO SPB	24 TH JDC JEFFERSON	Habitual Attempted Second Degree Murder; Possession of a Firearm of A Convicted Felon	GRANT 4-0 CTO PE AFTER SERVING 18 YRS
3.	SPARKS, AUTHOR R.	131418	CTO HCC	ORLEANS	Habitual Armed Robbery	GRANT 4-0 CTO 22 YRS
4.	BRYANT, JONATHAN E. ATTORNEY: ROBERT LANCASTER	323280	CTO LSP	21 ST JDC TANGIPAHOA	Second Degree Murder	GRANT 4-0 CTO 75 YRS IPE
5.	DYKSTRA, MERRITT J., JR. ATTORNEY: ROBERT LANCASTER	109766	CTO LSP	16 TH JDC IBERIA	Second Degree Murder	GRANT 4-0 CTO 70 YRS
6.	JENKINS, DOMINGO ATTORNEY: ROBERT LANCASTER	302715	CTO LSP	ORLEANS	Second Degree Murder	DENY 2-2
7.	MESSIAH, KEITH E.	108541	CTO LSP	ORLEANS	First Degree Murder	GRANT 4-0 CTO 99 YRS IPE
8.	MORGAN, THOMAS L.	88691	CTO LSP	ORLEANS	First Degree Murder	REMOVED
9.	SNYDER, ALLEN ATTORNEY: BRENTA SOFTLEY	169143	CTO LSP	24 TH JDC JEFFERSON	Second Degree Murder	DENY 2-2
10.	THOMAS, MICHAEL G.	304718	CTO LSP	15 TH JDC LAFAYETTE	First Degree Murder – 2 Counts	DENY 0-4

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