

**Louisiana Board of Pardons
Meeting Minutes**

Date: **Monday, May 16, 2022**

Recorded by: **Theresa D. Blohowiak**

1. Call to Order

- a. The Chair called the meeting to order at **8:34 AM**.

2. Roll Call

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

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chair – Sheryl Ranatza | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pete Fremin |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tony Marabella | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alvin Roche' |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bonnie Jackson | |

Staff members present:

Francis Abbott	Theresa D. Blohowiak	----
John Poche	Maggie Clarke	----
Lea Wroten	----	----

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

4. Regular Business:

- a. The minutes from the **April 18, 2022** 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 **11** hearings.
- c. Administrative review of clemency applications: The Board reviewed and considered **37** applications for clemency.

5. Adjournment:

- a. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned on motion by **Mrs. Ranatza** at **2:22 PM**.



John Poche, Administrative Program Director

Louisiana Board of Pardons
 Department of Corrections Headquarters
 Monday, May 16, 2022

1. Meeting call to order/roll call at: 8:34 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"/>
Pete Fremin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Alvin Roche' Jr.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bonnie Jackson	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" 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

2. Regular Business:
- a.) Approval of Minutes from Monday, April 18, 2022 Hearing
 Approved by **Mr. Roche'** and seconded by **Mr. Marabella**
 - b.) Administrative Docket:
37 cases heard
 - c.) Pardon Docket:
11 cases heard

3. Adjourn:
 Motion Made by: **Mrs. Ranatza**
 Time adjourned: **2:22 PM**



LOUISIANA BOARD OF PARDONS

HEARING DOCKET: May 16, 2022 – 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.	GREGOS, IOANNIS D.	476395	PWF RELEASED	24 TH JDC JEFFERSON	Possession of MDMA, Possession of Cocaine	Grant 4-0 PWF
2.	JAMES, THOMASINA W.	485603	PWF RELEASED	24 TH JDC JEFFERSON	Theft; Simple Escape, Aggravated Escape	CONTINUED
3.	PIPES, CHRISTOPHER Attorney: Lavalle Solomon	517516	PWF RELEASED	4 TH JDC OUACHITA	Distribution of Hydrocodone; Attempted Distribution of Marijuana	Grant 4-0 PWF
4.	POLLOCK, DOUGLAS	319754	PWF RELEASED	19 TH JDC EBR	Possession of Gamma Hydroxybutyric Acid; (TEXAS- Distribution of Cocaine-2 counts, Possession of Cocaine)	Grant 4-0 PWF
5.	BASS, TODD B. Attorney: Keith Nordyke	123117	CTO DWCC	42ND JDC DESOTO	First Degree Murder	CONTINUED
6.	BROWN, LEROY Attorney: Roger Jordan, Jr.	122771	CTO DWCC	4 TH JDC OUACHITA	Aggravated Kidnapping, Armed Robbery	Grant 4-0 CTO 99 years PE after 37
7.	CASTILLE, ARTHUR W.	293691	CTO SPB	15 TH JDC LAFAYETTE	Second Degree Murder	GRANT 4-0 CTO 99 years with IPE
8.	JOHNSON, SIDNEY C. Attorney: Keith Nordyke	90969	CTO SPB	5 TH JDC FRANKLIN	First Degree Murder	GRANT 4-0 CTO 45 years with IPE
9.	ARNOLD, DEWAYNE E.	119087	CTO LSP	4 TH JDC OUACHITA	Attempted Aggravated Rape, Aggravated Crime Against Nature, Attempted Second Degree Murder, Aggravated Kidnapping	GRANT 4-0 CTO 99 years with IPE
10.	COUNTERMAN, MARION	100677	CTO LSP	19 TH JDC EBR	Aggravated Rape, Aggravated Burglary	Deny 0-3
11.	HARTLEY, KENNETH J.	271472	CTO LSP	22 ND JDC ST. TAMMANY	Distribution of Cocaine; Distribution of Cocaine; Second Degree Murder	Grant 4-0 CTO 99 years PE after 30
12.	LEDET, VERNON K.	422628	CTO LSP	24 TH JDC JEFFERSON	First Degree Murder	Deny 3-1

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

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* BANKS	DOMINIC	00597065 CADD0	B M 02/04/1995 300672	FRANKLIN PARISH ATTEM	01 CTO FIRST DEGREE MURDER	0220000 NA <u>DEN</u>
* BARNES	DOUGLAS	00402782 E. BATON ROUGE E. BATON ROUGE E. BATON ROUGE E. BATON ROUGE	W M 01/11/1980 799348 1197539 1197539 1197539	LA STATE PEN	02 CTO SECOND DEGREE MURDER ILL-CARRY-WEAPON/INS POSS GUN OBLIT SERIA POSS ECGONINE	LIFE NA 0006000 CC 0040000 CS 0030000 NA <u>DEN</u>
* BAZA	MICHAEL	00314580 ORLEANS JEFFERSON JEFFERSON	W M 10/19/1965 364324 921751 923550	LA STATE PEN	02 CTO SECOND DEGREE MURDER AGGRAVATED BATTERY AGGRAVATED BATTERY	LIFE NA 0030000 NA 0030000 NA <u>GRI</u>
* BROWN	MATTHEW	00112575 WASHINGTON WASHINGTON	B M 01/20/1962 40318 40319	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO SECOND DEGREE MURDER SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA LIFE NA <u>GRI</u>
* CAHEE	LINUS	00525280 CALCASIEU CALCASIEU CALCASIEU	B M 04/15/1988 1366210 599307 [599307]	ALLEN CORR ATTEM	CTR 02 CTO ARMED ROBBERY SIMPLE ROBBERY SIMPLE ROBBERY	0150000 NA 0010000 NA 0060000 NA <u>DEN</u>
* CALDWELL	MICHAEL	00290584 CADD0 CADD0	B M 01/18/1973 165736 152430	LA STATE PEN	02 CTO SECOND DEGREE MURDER ILL-USE WEAPON OR DA	LIFE NA 0001024 NA <u>GRI</u>
* CHARLOT	DILLON	00728675 ST. LANDRY	B M 09/16/1996 163318	LAFAYETTE	PARIS 01 CTO ARMED ROBBERY	0100000 CC <u>RIN</u>
* CHURCH	CARLTON	00595731 CADD0	W M 03/26/1969 277388	WEBSTER -	BAYOU 01 CTO MANSLAUGHTER	0300000 NA <u>GRI</u>
CLARK	ANTOINE	00449950	B M 08/22/1982	FRANKLIN PARISH	02 CTO	<u>DEN</u>

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LAFAYETTE
LAFAYETTE

99174
90486

MANSLAUGHTER
UNAUTH USE OF MOTOR

0400000 NA
0020000

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DAVIS	EARL	00483992	B M 11/14/1977	ELAYN HUNT	CORR 01 CTO	G R T
*		JEFFERSON	034471		SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA
*		JEFFERSON	034471	CRIM	ARMED ROBBERY	0490600 CC
DAVIS	DERRICK	00126965	B M 07/15/1969	RAYMOND LABORDE	05 CTO	D E N
*		RAPIDES	277943		SEXUAL BATTERY	0100000 NA
*		RAPIDES	277943		SEXUAL BATTERY	0100000 CS
*		UNION	29936	ATTEM	FORGERY	NA
*		UNION	35652		INDEC-BEHAVIOR-JUVEN	0030000 CC
*		RAPIDES	238177		PORNOGRAPHY INV-JUVE	0030209 NA
*		UNION	38270	ATTEM	DIST ECGONINE	0010000 NA
GARRETT	BRODERICK	00356200	B M 09/19/1967	RAYBURN	CORR CE 02 CTO	D E N
*		ST. TAMMANY	237845		SIMPLE ARSON	0030000
*		ST. TAMMANY	475250		AGGRAV INCEST	0200000 NA
GEORGE	LEROY	00438512	B M 06/22/1978	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO	G R T
*		E. BATON ROUGE	899784		FIRST DEGREE MURDER	LIFE CC
GUIDRY	FERRELL	00094162	W M 08/13/1953	LA STATE PEN	02 CTO	G R T
*		W. FELICIANA	W8110155	ATTEM	S-ESCAPE TYPE I	0010000 NA
*		LAFOURCHE	103604		SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA
HEAVNER	KEITH	00517416	W M 12/22/1972	RAYBURN	CORR CE 03 CTO	D E N
*		BOSSIER	142498	ATTEM	AGGRAVATED RAPE	0500000 NA
HOLMES	CHARLES	00197484	B M 01/25/1963	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO	G R T
*		ORLEANS	3715252	ATTEM	FIRST DEGREE MURDER	0500000 NA
*		ORLEANS	3715252	ATTEM	FIRST DEGREE MURDER	0500000 NA
*		ORLEANS	371525		SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA
*		W. FELICIANA	8581237B		OPER-VEHICLE-INTOXIC	0010000 NA
KNOWLES	PAUL	00096144	W M 12/28/1958	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO	G R T
*		JEFFERSON	811352		SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA

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KNOX	BOBBY	00382359	B M 03/21/1962	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO	6 R I
*		JEFFERSON	961495		AGGRAVATED RAPE	LIFE CC
*		JEFFERSON	961496		SEXUAL BATTERY	0070000 CC
*		JEFFERSON	961496		MOLESTATION OF A JUV	0100000 NA
KNOX	ROBERT	00494370	B M 04/15/1983	ELAYN HUNT	CORR 02 CTO	6 R I
*		E. BATON ROUGE	09110370	ATTEM	SECOND DEGREE MURDER	0250000 NA
*		E. BATON ROUGE	01050129		SECOND DEGREE BATTER	0020000 NA
*		E. BATON ROUGE	01050129		SIMPLE BURGLARY	0030000 CS
*		E. BATON ROUGE	09110370		P-FIREARM-CCW-CNV CR	0200000 CC
LAMBERT	JACKIE	00109947	B M 03/16/1958	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO	6 R I
*		LAFAYETTE	50486		SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA
*		LAFAYETTE	50293		SIMPLE BURGLARY	0030600 NA
*		LAFAYETTE	20813828		ISSUING WORTHLESS CH	NA
*		LAFAYETTE	ST28491		CAR FIREARM BY STUD	NA
LEE	DWAYNE	00557003	W M 08/02/1989	RAYMOND LABORDE	01 CTO	D E I N
*		TERREBONNE	531972	ATTEM	SECOND DEGREE MURDER	0250000 NA
*		TERREBONNE	495197		POSS MARIJUANA	0050000 CC
*		TERREBONNE	495197		POSS ECSTASY / MDMA	0050000 NA
*		TERREBONNE	495197		POSS ALPRAZOLAM/XANA	0050000 CC
LEWIS	DAVID	00085905	B M 10/09/1948	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO	6 R I
MCGARY	RAYMOND	00108940	B M 03/20/1961	ELAYN HUNT	CORR 02 CTO	R I N
*		TANGIPAOA	48550		SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA
*		TANGIPAOA	45152		SIMPLE KIDNAPPING	NA
*		TANGIPAOA	48550		SIMPLE ROBBERY	0020000 CC
MCKEEL	JOSHUA	00626361	W M 10/18/1990	DAVID WADE	CORR 01 CTO	D E I N
*		ST. MARTIN	12242182		MANSLAUGHTER	0300000 CC
*		ST. MARTIN	12242182		SECOND DEGREE FETICI	0100000 CC
*		IBERIA	13314		SECOND DEGREE BATTER	0030000 NA

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* NEWMAN	GORDON	00471232 ORLEANS	B M 05/18/1976 380770	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO FIRST DEGREE MURDER	LIFE DEN NA
* PEROT	JEREMY	00576094 CADDO	B M 08/22/1991 255330	DAVID WADE	CORR 01 CTO MANSLAUGHTER	0400000 NA GRIT
* PIZZO	DREW	00131376 JEFFERSON ORLEANS	W M 07/03/1953 880876 283128	RAYBURN CORR ATTEM	CE 01 CTO SECOND DEGREE MURDER SCHEDULE I: OPIUM DE	LIFE DEN NA NA
* RICHARD	JEREMY	00583449 IBERIA IBERIA IBERIA IBERIA IBERIA	W M 07/24/1989 111157 1130 [1130] 11144 [11144]	LA STATE PEN ATTEM ATTEM	02 CTO SECOND DEGREE KIDNAP SIMPLE BURGLARY SIMPLE BURGLARY INDEC-BEHAVIOR-JUVEN INDEC-BEHAVIOR-JUVEN	0300000 NA 0030000 NA 0060000 CC 0030000 NA 0060000 CC
* RICHARDSON	ROBERT	00387413 LINCOLN LINCOLN LINCOLN	B M 03/25/1969 45327 45327 42876	SHREVEPORT	DIST 02 CTO JURY TAMPERING JURY TAMPERING ARMED ROBBERY	0010000 CS 0040000 CC 0600000 NA
* RIGGINS	ANTHONY	00086391 JEFFERSON	B M 02/24/1956 771342	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO FIRST DEGREE MURDER	LIFE GRIT NA
* ROBERTSON	DARYL	00100536 E. BATON ROUGE E. BATON ROUGE	B M 02/19/1958 480971 380130	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO AGGRAVATED RAPE SIMPLE BURGLARY	LIFE GRIT NA 0090000 NA
* ROBINSON	DEMETRI	00627654 W. BATON ROUGE W. BATON ROUGE	B M 03/30/1982 113281 113281	ELAYN HUNT ATTEM ATTEM	CORR 01 CTO SECOND DEGREE MURDER SECOND DEGREE MURDER	0500000 NA 0400000 CC
SHULARK	MICHAEL	00129821	W M 02/04/1956	DAVID WADE CORR	CTO	GRIT

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RAPIDES

220844
TXB8962

SECOND DEGREE MURDER LIFE
POSSDULE I: HALLUCIN

NA
NA

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SMITH	BILLY	00114272	B M 08/27/1965	LA STATE PEN	02 CTO	6 R T
*		FRANKLIN	24186		AGGRAVATED RAPE	LIFE CS
*		FRANKLIN	24186		AGGRAVATED RAPE	LIFE CC
*		FRANKLIN	24186		ARMED ROBBERY	0500000 CS
*		FRANKLIN	24186		ARMED ROBBERY	0400000 CC
*		FRANKLIN	22566		FORGERY	NA
*		FRANKLIN	22566		FORGERY	0030000 NA

SWEAT	JAWAYNE	00705054	B M 09/14/1990	ALLEN CORR	CTR 01 CTO	6 R T
*		IBERIA	111160		MANSLAUGHTER	0250000 NA

THOMAS	SHANE	00615056	W M 03/15/1986	DAVID WADE	CORR 02 CTO	R T N
*		LAFAYETTE	159041		S-ESCAPE AGG-ESCAPE	0000600 NA
*		ST. LANDRY	120414		THEFT	0010600 NA
*		ST. LANDRY	120414		THEFT	0010600 CS
*		ST. LANDRY	120414		THEFT	0010600 CS
*		ST. LANDRY	120414		THEFT	0010600 CS
*		ST. LANDRY	123664		THEFT	0030000 NA
*		LAFAYETTE	141215		THEFT \$500 OR MORE	0040000 NA
*		LAFAYETTE	159041		UNAUTH USE OF MOTOR	0020000 CC
*		LAFAYETTE	141215		ILL-POSS STOLEN THIN	0040000 CC
*		ST. LANDRY	120391		MONETARY INSTRUMENT	0480000 CS

WARE	JAMIE	00454293	B M 12/14/1984	DIXON CORR	INST 02 CTO	D E N
*		UNION	42385	ATTEM	S-ESCAPE TYPE I	0010000 NA
*		LINCOLN	51346	ATTEM	FIRST DEGREE MURDER	0450000 CC
*		LINCOLN	513461		ARMED ROBBERY	0420000 CC
*		LINCOLN	513461	HABIT	ARMED ROBBERY	0630000 NA
*		CADD0	259829		ARMED ROBBERY USE OF	0150000 CC
*		CADD0	220323		SIMPLE ROBBERY	0050000

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WASHINGTON	NOBLE	00719717	B M 09/10/1979	RAYMOND	LABORDE 03 CTO	R T N
*		CALCASIEU	157727		RESISTING POLICE FOR	0030000 CC
*		CALCASIEU	157727	ATTEM	MANSLAUGHTER	0150000 CC

WILLIAMS	SOLOMON	00094461	B M 10/07/1962	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO	6 R T
*		AVOYELLES	45414		FIRST DEGREE MURDER	LIFE CS
*		AVOYELLES	45414		FIRST DEGREE MURDER	LIFE CS
*		AVOYELLES	45415	ATTEM	FIRST DEGREE MURDER	0500000 NA
*		AVOYELLES	45416		ARMED ROBBERY	0990000 NA

WOODARD	OKYEAME	00309377	B M 01/23/1974	LA STATE PEN	03 CTO	P E N
*		CADDO	256273		SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA
*		CADDO	157544		ARMED ROBBERY	0000719 NA
*		CADDO	211251	ATTEM	P-FIREARM-CCW-CNV CR	0030722 NA

WOODS	RICHARD	00499037	W M 11/19/1963	LA STATE PEN	01 CTO	P E N
*		OUACHITA	04F2043		SECOND DEGREE MURDER	LIFE NA
*		OUACHITA	04F2043	ATTEM	MANSLAUGHTER	0120000 CC
*		OUACHITA	04F2043		AGGRAVATED BATTERY	0100000 CC

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PAROLE BOARD HEARING ADMIN RESULTS

		Incarcerated	Out	Total
Total on Docket	41	21	0	21
Returned	4	16	0	16
Applications Reviewed	37	37	0	37