



En Banc Decisions
BOARD OF PAROLE HEARINGS

Tuesday, April 22, 2025

BROWN, EDWARD (C97905)
Sentencing Court: Riverside
Tie Vote pursuant to Penal Code section 3041

Motion: The Board finds that Edward Brown poses an unreasonable risk of danger and denies parole for three years for the reasons stated by the panel member who voted to deny parole for three years at Edward Brown's March 27, 2025 parole hearing.

Motion by: Minor

Second by: Infante

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Kozel, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

DANIELS, REGINOLD (H20210)

Sentencing Courts: San Francisco (case numbers 131465;142503; 2000052)

San Mateo (case number SC31463A)

San Joaquin (case number SC061282A)

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Motion: On the application of Reginold Daniels for a pardon, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: Taira

Second by: Long

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

FOY, JEFFREY (P38219)

Sentencing Court: Alameda (case numbers H25501; H26529)

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Motion: On the application of Jeffrey Foy for a pardon, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: Infante

Second by: Cassady

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

JOHNSON, SANDRA (X15889)

Sentencing Court: Monterey (case numbers MCR4218; MCR6756; MCR7969)

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application

Motion: On the application of Sandra Johnson for a pardon, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a pardon.

Motion by: Kozel

Second by: Sharrieff

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

MAGALLON, MARIO (P76344)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a commutation application

Motion: On the application of Mario Magallon for a commutation of sentence, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a commutation of sentence.

Motion by: Long

Second by: Ndudim

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

SCHRUBB, KEVIN (V55932)

Sentencing Court: Placer

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 4802 to review a commutation application

Motion: On the application of Kevin Schrubbs for a commutation of sentence, the Board makes the recommendation required by Penal Code section 4813 for the Governor to grant a commutation of sentence.

Motion by: Sharrieff

Second by: Cassady

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

DANNELLEY, ROBERT (T57295)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Motion: Vacate the panel's March 5, 2025 decision to deny parole based on an error of law under Penal Code section 3041, subdivision (b).

Motion by: Cassady

Second by: Ruff

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained: Taira

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

FRANKLIN, DEMETRIUS (K55108)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Motion: Vacate the panel's January 8, 2025 decision to grant parole based on new confidential information dated March 14, 2025, and April 7, 2025, and schedule a new hearing on the next available calendar.

Motion by: Long

Second by: Ruff

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

GUTIERREZ, HEVERD (E08457)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Motion: Vacate the panel's January 28, 2025 decision to grant parole based on new confidential information dated April 3, 2025, and schedule a new hearing on the next available calendar.

Motion by: Muniz

Second by: Sharrieff

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

JOHNSON, DEMETRIUS (V28920)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Referred by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code 3041, subdivision (b)

Motion: Vacate the panel's February 4, 2025 decision to grant parole based on new confidential information dated April 7, 2025, and schedule a new hearing on the next available calendar.

Motion by: Ruff

Second by: Cassady

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

DE RUTTE, SEAN (D46082)

Sentencing Court: Marin

Referred to consider for a rescission hearing under California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2450 et seq., and Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Refer for a rescission hearing to consider whether the panel's November 13, 2024 grant of parole was improvident, based on new confidential information dated January 31, 2025, and the concerns cited in the Governor's referral letter dated March 22, 2025.

Motion by: Minor

Second by: Infante

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained: Cassady

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

OCEGUEDA, HENRY (F24126)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Referred to consider for a rescission hearing under California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2450 et seq., and Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's October 31, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Muniz

Second by: Long

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

BROWN, ALLIE (AY2227)

Sentencing Court: San Luis Obispo

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's October 30, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Ndudim

Second by: Cassady

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Long, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

CALDWELL, JAMES (V90842)

Sentencing Court: San Joaquin

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 11, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Ruff

Second by: Cassady

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Kozel, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

CAMPOS, ALBERT (AS0580)

Sentencing Court: Tulare

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 10, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision. In addition, the Board imposes the following special conditions of parole: (1) submit to random anti-narcotic testing, and (2) continue with your substance abuse relapse prevention and recovery efforts (Alcoholic Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, or equivalent non-religious efforts), at the discretion of your parole agent.

Motion by: Thornton

Second by: Taira

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

CANFIELD, CHARLES (BD0348)

Sentencing Court: Shasta

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Refer for a rescission hearing to consider whether the panel's November 5, 2024 grant of parole was improvident, based on the concerns cited in the Governor's referral letter dated March 14, 2025.

Motion by: Garland

Second by: Cassady

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

CEBALLOS, ANDREW (AZ9569)

Sentencing Court: Solano

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's October 30, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Cassady

Second by: Sharrieff

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

CONTRERAS, RICHARD (AC6537)

Sentencing Court: Tulare

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's November 13, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Muniz

Second by: Kozel

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

FARLEY, AUSTIN (AS2905)

Sentencing Court: Orange

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's October 31, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Ndudim

Second by: Cassady

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Kozel, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

JACKSON, JOHN (K85411)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Refer for a rescission hearing to consider whether the panel's January 2, 2025 grant of parole was improvident, based on the concerns cited in the Governor's referral letter dated April 4, 2025.

Motion by: Kozel

Second by: Infante

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Long, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

JONES, SCOTT (H79223)

Sentencing Court: Shasta

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 10, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Thornton

Second by: Garland

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

OSAKO, KENNETH (AZ8536)

Sentencing Court: San Mateo

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's October 23, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Cassady

Second by: Garland

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Long, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

OSBORNE, DWAYNE (H02854)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 12, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision. Additionally, the Board modifies the panel's imposed special condition of parole to now read that Dwayne Osborne shall not drive or operate a motor vehicle while on parole.

Motion by: Infante

Second by: Ruff

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Taira, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

SWANSON, CHAD (G04298)

Sentencing Court: San Bernardino

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's October 29, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Ndudim

Second by: Long

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Muniz, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.

WILLITS, CHARLES (P20434)

Sentencing Court: Shasta

Governor-referred pursuant to Penal Code section 3041.1

Motion: Affirm the panel's December 10, 2024 decision to grant parole, as articulated in the panel's proposed decision.

Motion by: Garland

Second by: Kozel

Not Present: Barton, Chappell, Dobbs, Nwajei, O'Meara, Purcell, Schneider, Sheffield, Weiss

Abstained:

Decision: Motion approved by a majority of the commissioners present.