Louisiana Board of Pardons
Meeting Minutes

Date: Friday, November 12, 2021
Recorded by: Theresa D. Blohowiak

1. Call to Order
   a. The Chair called the meeting to order at 9:05 AM.

2. Roll Call
   ☒ Roll call was done with 5 Member(s) present. A quorum was declared.
   ☒ Chair – Sheryl Ranatza
   ☒ Vice-Chair – Jim Wise
   ☒ Tony Marabella
   ☒ Alvin Roche’
   ☒ Bonnie Jackson
   
   Staff members present:
   Lea Wroten
   Elizabeth Traylor
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   Kristy Craft
   Theresa Doan
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   John Poche
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3. Public Comment was allowed on request before any action item.

4. Regular Business:
   a. The minutes from the October 25, 2021 meeting were reviewed.
      i. Mr. Roche’ would like to amend the date from October 18, 2021 to October 25, 2021.
      ii. Motion was made by Mr. Roche’, seconded by Mrs. Jackson to accept the
          minutes with the correction. Without objection, the motion passed unanimously.
   b. Clemency hearings: The Board conducted 1 app hearing.

5. Adjournment:
   a. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned on motion by Mrs. Ranatza
      at 9:22 AM.

John Poche, Administrative Program Director
1. Meeting call to order/roll call at: **9:05 AM**
   
   By: Chair Sheryl M. Ranatza

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2. Regular Business:
   a.) Approval of Minutes from Monday, October 25, 2021 Hearing
      
      Approved by **Mr. Roche'** and seconded by **Mrs. Jackson**
   b.) Pardon Docket:
      
      1 cases heard

3. Adjourn:
   
   Motion Made by: **Mrs. Ranatza**
   Time adjourned: **9:22 AM**
LOUISIANA BOARD OF PARDONS
HEARING DOCKET: November 12, 2021 – 9:00 AM
Hearing Location:  LA Department of Public Safety & Corrections, Headquarters Complex
504 Mayflower Street, Baton Rouge, LA  70802, 225.342.5421

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