



Governor Murphy Announces 148 Clemency Actions in Eighth and Final Round of Historic Initiative

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Initiative Surpasses Milestone of Over 450 Total Grants of Clemency – More Than Every Other New Jersey Administration in the Past 30 Years Combined

TRENTON – Governor Phil Murphy today announced the final round of clemency actions of his Administration, granting 51 commutations and 97 pardons and bringing the total number of clemency actions during his tenure to 455. The announcement marks the conclusion of a historic effort to extend meaningful second chances and advance criminal justice reform in New Jersey.

“Today, as I announce what will be among my final acts in office, I am reminded that our clemency initiative was never about numbers – it was about people,” said **Governor Murphy**. “Each pardon and commutation represents a story of accountability, growth, and redemption. From the outset, we have been guided by a fundamental belief that mercy and fairness are essential to a system that truly serves everyone. By offering second chances to individuals who have demonstrated rehabilitation and a commitment to their communities, we have strengthened not only individual lives, but our entire state. Granting clemency has been one of the greatest honors of my time as Governor and a powerful reminder that compassion, paired with accountability, helps build a stronger and more just state for all.”

[In June 2024 \(https://www.nj.gov/governor/news/news/562024/approved/20240619a.shtml\)](https://www.nj.gov/governor/news/news/562024/approved/20240619a.shtml), Governor Murphy signed

[Executive Order No. 362 \(https://nj.gov/infobank/eo/056murphy/pdf/EO-362.pdf\)](https://nj.gov/infobank/eo/056murphy/pdf/EO-362.pdf), establishing New Jersey’s first-ever Clemency Advisory Board.

Originally chaired by Justin Dews and later by Bishop Joshua Rodriguez, the Board met regularly to conduct comprehensive reviews of clemency applications and to provide recommendations to the Governor. Under the Executive Order, certain categories of applications received expedited consideration, including non-violent offenses with lengthy post-conviction records of good conduct, individuals who are survivors of domestic violence and committed offenses connected to their victimization, and cases involving excessive trial penalties, among others. The process also ensured that the voices of victims, their families, and the broader community were heard, and that applicants were evaluated based on the full context of their lives and demonstrated rehabilitation.

Since the issuance of Executive Order No. 362, more than 4,500 clemency applications have been reviewed.

The following individuals were granted pardons by Governor Murphy:

1. **Abreu, Roberto:** Receiving stolen property, sentenced in 1999; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, two counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance, and contempt of judicial order, sentenced in 2002.
2. **Allah, Talif:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1993; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone and certain persons not to possess a weapon, sentenced in 1997; distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, employment of a juvenile in a distribution scheme, conspiracy, and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1998; possession of paraphernalia, sentenced in 2001.
3. **Anthony, Troy:** Simple assault, sentenced in 1985; robbery, sentenced in 1986.
4. **August, Michael:** Two counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1980; harassment, sentenced in 1982; simple assault and possession of paraphernalia, sentenced in 1983; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2005; wandering, sentenced in 2005; possession of paraphernalia, sentenced in 2008.
5. **Barrier, Eric:** Eluding and aggravated assault, sentenced in 2019.
6. **Bartley, Steffie:** Shoplifting, two counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance, simple assault, and unauthorized use of a vehicle, sentenced in 1982; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, simple assault, and assault, sentenced in 1983; possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1985; receiving stolen property, possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1986; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1988; aggravated assault, robbery, possession of a controlled dangerous substance, two counts of assault, and possession of stolen property, sentenced in 1999.
7. **Beckett, Jeffrey:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1989.
8. **Bethea, Sr., Adrian:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1995.
9. **Bogner II, George:** Robbery and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2014.
10. **Booth, Shaunta:** Theft, sentenced in 2001.
11. **Brown, Tracy:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1988; two counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1988; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1990.
12. **Bynes, Jr., Kevin:** Robbery, sentenced in 1996.
13. **Camarco, Jr., Phillip:** Two counts of obstructing justice, sentenced in 1985.
14. **Carey, James:** Official misconduct and commercial bribery, sentenced in 2002.

15. **Ciccantelli, Anthony:** Two counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance and possession of paraphernalia, sentenced in 1968, receiving stolen property and altering VIN numbers, sentenced in 1969; two counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1976; simple assault and terroristic threats, sentenced in 1976; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, burglary, and bookmaking, sentenced in 1979; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance and possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1988.
16. **Cipolla, Frank:** Distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2009; distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2009.
17. **Clark, Alquaadir:** Conspiracy and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1995.
18. **Coutinho, Al:** Theft and falsifying records, sentenced in 2013.
19. **Daddario, Michael:** Wandering, sentenced in 2001; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance and two counts of possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 2003.
20. **Danford, Ebony:** Conspiracy and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1999.
21. **DePace, Joseph:** Arson, sentenced in 1983; ordinance violations, sentenced in 2003; receiving stolen property, sentenced in 2007.
22. **Doan, Bao:** Attempt, burglary, and theft, sentenced in 1999.
23. **Dominguez, Julio:** Two counts of distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2011.
24. **Doughten, III, Robert:** Possession of paraphernalia, sentenced in 2014; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2017.
25. **Drumright, Kumani:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2007.
26. **Duncan, Precious:** Distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2019.
27. **Duncan, Toriano:** Burglary and attempted theft, sentenced in 1997; robbery and terroristic threats, sentenced in 1997.
28. **Durant, Hakim:** Conspiracy, distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, and distribution of a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1990; distribution a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1995.
29. **Estes, Ariel:** Local ordinance violation, sentenced in 2006; shoplifting, sentenced in 2007; theft, sentenced in 2008; local ordinance violation, sentenced in 2008; local ordinance violation, sentenced in 2008; shoplifting, sentenced in 2009; shoplifting, sentenced in 2009; local ordinance violation, sentenced in 2016.
30. **Fernandez, Aday:** Conspiracy to commit possession of a controlled dangerous substance and operation of a production facility, sentenced in 2016.
31. **Fernandez, Diana:** Ordinance violations, sentenced in 2003; simple assault, sentenced in 2004; receiving stolen property, sentenced in 2007.
32. **Fish, Dominic:** Robbery, sentenced in 1989; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1993; shoplifting, sentenced in 1994; conspiracy and simple assault, sentenced in 1995.
33. **Floyd, Demonne:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1995; conspiracy, sentenced in 2015.
34. **Fooks, Alma:** Aggravated manslaughter, sentenced in 1994.
35. **Garcia, Elvin:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1995; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 2001; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 2008.
36. **Garcia, Jimmy:** Attempt, criminal mischief, and burglary, sentenced in 1997; criminal trespass, sentenced in 2005; disorderly conduct, sentenced in 2006; robbery, sentenced in 2007.
37. **Gerald, Shane:** Aggravated manslaughter, sentenced in 1992.
38. **Glick, Moshe:** Aggravated assault, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, charged in 2024.
39. **Gonzalez, Michael:** Simple assault and terroristic threats, sentenced in 1996; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1997.
40. **Hatfield, Tywhid:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within 500 feet of public property and resisting arrest, sentenced in 2002.
41. **Henley, Jr., Mark:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2012; unlawful taking by means of conveyance, sentenced in 2015.
42. **Hill, Brian:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1987; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1996; contempt, sentenced in 2005.
43. **Hoffman, John:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1987.
44. **Holloway, Bismallah:** Conspiracy, sentenced in 1989; possession, sentenced in 1992; two counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1994; perjury, sentenced in 1994; simple assault, sentenced in 1994; attempt and conspiracy to commit theft, sentenced in 2002.
45. **Jacobs, Harris:** Leaving the scene of a fatal accident, charged in 2022.
46. **Jasper, Michael:** Conspiracy to commit robbery, sentenced in 2015.
47. **Jetter, Brian:** Distribution of a controlled dangerous substance and conspiracy to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1989.
48. **Jones, Salahudiyin:** Bribery, sentenced in 2017.
49. **Khan, Harris:** Conspiracy and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 2017.
50. **Khan, Micah:** Theft of services, sentenced in 2001; receiving stolen property, sentenced in 2002; ordinance violations, sentenced in 2001; simple assault, sentenced in 2003; unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2005; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2005; and criminal trespass, sentenced in 2005.
51. **LaFalce, Holly:** Driving while under the influence, sentenced in 2019.
52. **Leacock, Jameica:** Conspiracy to commit money laundering, sentenced in 2006.
53. **Lopez, Irving:** Distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2016 and resentenced in 2017; two counts of robbery, sentenced in 2017.
54. **Malkowski, III, Gordon:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1992; possession of paraphernalia, sentenced in 2010; possession with intent to distribute, a controlled dangerous substance sentenced in 2016.
55. **Marshall, Edward:** Simple assault, sentenced in 1981.
56. **McCain, Barrington:** Two counts of distribution of a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1993; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2006.
57. **McGowen, Tara:** Arson, sentenced in 2006.
58. **Mejia, Hector:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, two counts of possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, two counts of distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, and conspiracy, sentenced in 1994.
59. **Mercado, Anthony:** Robbery, sentenced in 1999.
60. **Mickiewicz, Randall:** Three counts of burglary, theft, unlawful possession of a weapon, unlawful use of a credit card, and resisting arrest, sentenced in 1987; burglary, theft, and possession, sentenced in 1988.

61. **Mitchell, Mark:** Robbery, sentenced in 1989; unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1996; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1997.
62. **Mitchell, Rahim Hassan:** Distribution of a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1998; possession of a controlled dangerous substance and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 2003; two counts of aggravated assault, sentenced in 2005; distribution of a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone and possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2009; distribution of a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 2009.
63. **Monroy-Martinez, Manuel:** Obstruction of a criminal investigation, sentenced in 2017.
64. **Montalvo, Francisco:** Criminal restraint, sentenced in 2000; unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2003.
65. **Moore, Lawrence A.:** Failure to turn over a controlled dangerous substance to law enforcement, sentenced in 1995; distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1999.
66. **Muhammad, Jabriel:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1999; robbery, sentenced in 2004.
67. **Myers, Jennifer:** Official misconduct, sentenced in 2008.
68. **Navarro, Debra:** Larceny, sentenced in 1990; theft, forgery, and credit card theft, sentenced in 1995; credit card theft, sentenced in 2002; theft, sentenced in 2012.
69. **Nelson, Timothy:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1989; two counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1990; possession of a prohibited weapon, sentenced in 1991; shoplifting, sentenced in 1994; distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1995; shoplifting, sentenced in 1998; distribution of a controlled dangerous substance within 500 feet of public housing, sentenced in 2003.
70. **Nunez, Harry:** Shoplifting, sentenced in 1999; resisting arrest, sentenced in 2005.
71. **Nurid-Din, Bashir:** Three counts of possession of a controlled dangerous substance, three counts of conspiracy to distribute, four counts of possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, and four counts of possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 2008.
72. **Orozco-Trivino, Nelson:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1987; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1993; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance and conspiracy, sentenced in 1993.
73. **Ortiz, Carmelo:** Two counts of robbery, felony murder, aggravated assault, receiving stolen property, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and two counts of unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1987.
74. **Ortiz, Edwin:** Two counts of robbery, murder, aggravated assault, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1987.
75. **Osorio, John:** Possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance and four counts of distribution a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1990.
76. **Palz, Erwin:** Wrongful impersonation, sentenced in 1998.
77. **Pariona-Mendoza, Walter:** Two counts of shoplifting, sentenced in 2003; shoplifting, sentenced in 2004.
78. **Poppe, Harry:** Conspiracy to commit arson, arson, and two counts of theft by unlawful taking, sentenced in 1996.
79. **Pukri, Mikel:** Disorderly conduct, sentenced in 2018.
80. **Quintana-Morales, Meliza:** Shoplifting, sentenced in 1994; obstruction, sentenced in 1998; unlawful possession of a weapon and possession of paraphernalia, sentenced in 2001; terroristic threats, sentenced in 2006.
81. **Ramos, Ivanilda:** Endangering the welfare of a child and failure to properly store a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2007.
82. **Rivera, Wilson:** Conspiracy and money laundering, sentenced in 2008.
83. **Robinson, Harold:** Endangering the welfare of a child and possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1995.
84. **Saphow, Jacob:** Theft, sentenced in 1995; ordinance violation, sentenced in 1995; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1995; robbery, sentenced in 1996; possession of a hypodermic needle, sentenced in 1999; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2001.
85. **Sapp, Michael:** Distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2019.
86. **Schloss, Neil:** Distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2018.
87. **Shander, Kenneth:** Forgery and conspiracy, sentenced in 1989; possession of a controlled dangerous substance and distribution of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2002.
88. **Shipman, Philadelphia:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance with intent to distribute, sentenced around 1987; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1990; possession of paraphernalia, sentenced in 1995; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1997; conspiracy, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1997.
89. **Sica, Michael:** Conspiracy, official misconduct, witness tampering, hindering apprehension, and obstruction, sentenced in 1998.
90. **Suarez-Lanos, Niaz:** Possession of a prohibited weapon, sentenced in 2005; theft by unlawful taking, sentenced in 2009.
91. **Thomas, Shantell:** Ordinance violations, sentenced in 2002; simple assault, sentenced in 2003; ordinance violations, sentenced in 2007.
92. **Thomas-Hunter, B.L.:** Unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2016.
93. **Totams, Ronald:** Two counts of unsworn falsification, sentenced in 1994; insurance fraud, sentenced in 2011.
94. **Turner, Gary:** Shoplifting, sentenced in 1990; robbery, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and conspiracy, sentenced in 1994; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1999.
95. **Vasquez, Hector:** Unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2009.
96. **Wohanka, Thomas:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1990; possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1991.
97. **Woods, Caprice:** Theft, sentenced in 1990; shoplifting, sentenced in 1992.

The following individuals were granted commutations of their prison sentences by Governor Murphy:

1. **Acevedo, Pablo:** Aggravated assault, two counts of robbery, two counts of burglary, theft, conspiracy to commit burglary, and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 2007. Mr. Acevedo will be released from prison and deported due to his immigration status.
2. **Bacon, Lamar:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1996; possession of a controlled dangerous substance and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1996; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, sentenced in 1996; felony murder, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1996. Mr. Bacon will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
3. **Barthelus, Philippe:** Attempt, conspiracy to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, conspiracy to commit murder, felony murder, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2010. Mr. Barthelus will be released from prison and deported due to his immigration status.

4. **Berkowitz, Mordechai:** Vehicular homicide and assault by auto, sentenced in 2025. Mr. Berkowitz will remain in prison until 2028 and will be on a period of parole supervision for three years upon release.
5. **Black, Jonathan:** Robbery, aggravated assault, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2006; two counts of robbery, two counts of possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and two counts of unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2006. Mr. Black will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
6. **Boykins, Darren:** Murder, robbery, and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 1982. Mr. Boykins will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for 10 years.
7. **Brown, Daniel:** Burglary, four counts of accomplice liability for another for robbery, nine counts of accomplice liability for another for possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, accomplice liability for another for aggravated assault, three counts of accomplice liability for another for theft, three counts of accomplice liability for another for unlawful possession of a weapon, two counts of resisting arrest, resisting arrest, certain persons not to possess a weapon, and attempted robbery, sentenced in 2006. Mr. Brown will be released in 2030 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years upon release.
8. **Brown, Marvin:** Conspiracy, felony murder, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2000. Mr. Brown will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
9. **Champion, Eric:** Certain persons not to possess a weapon, sentenced in 2025. Mr. Champion will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision until November 2030.
10. **DeLoach, Christian:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within 500 feet of a public place, sentenced in 2002; four counts of aggravated assault, seven counts of robbery, carjacking, two counts of possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, unlawful possession of a weapon, three counts of criminal attempt, felony murder, and conspiracy, sentenced in 2003. Mr. DeLoach will be released from prison in 2026 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
11. **Dove, Roy:** Robbery, sentenced in 2001; felony murder, manslaughter, possession of a weapon for an unlawful, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1998. Mr. Dove will be released from prison in 2028 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
12. **Evans, Zaire:** Felony murder, manslaughter, endangering an injured victim, burglary, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, unlawful possession of a weapon, burglary, and certain persons not to possess a weapon, sentenced in 2003. Mr. Evans will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
13. **Farthing, Jamie:** Two counts of felony murder, murder, kidnapping, two counts of robbery, two counts of possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and two counts of unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1997. Ms. Farthing will be immediately parole eligible, will max-out from prison in 2034, and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
14. **Flowers, Alexis:** Manslaughter, sentenced in 2016. Ms. Flowers will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
15. **Galiano, Daniel:** Robbery and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 2003. Mr. Galiano will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
16. **Grieco, Joseph:** Aggravated manslaughter, sentenced in 2025. Mr. Grieco will remain in prison until 2029 and will be on a period of parole supervision for three years upon release.
17. **Gottlieb, Avram:** Robbery, conspiracy, theft, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1997. Mr. Gottlieb will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
18. **Heru, Heshimu:** Murder and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1990. Mr. Heru will be released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
19. **James, Khalif:** Murder, felony murder, robbery, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1998. Mr. James will be released from prison in 2027 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
20. **Johns, John:** Robbery, sentenced in 2009; four counts of robbery, conspiracy, three counts of aggravated assault, two counts of aggravated assault, two counts of possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and two counts of unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2008. Mr. Johns will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
21. **Johnson, Andrew E.:** Seven counts of aggravated assault, two counts of robbery, two counts of conspiracy to commit robbery, criminal mischief, theft, three counts of possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and three counts of unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2016; theft, sentenced in 2016. Mr. Johnson will be released from prison in 2029 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
22. **Lawrence, Daniel:** Murder, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2017. Mr. Lawrence will be released from prison in 2039 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
23. **Lindsey, Briann:** Manslaughter, sentenced in 2018. Ms. Lindsey will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
24. **MaQbool, Tariq:** Felony murder, three counts of murder, two counts of kidnapping, robbery, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2005. Mr. MaQbool will be parole eligible in 2032, max-out from prison in 2047, and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
25. **Marrero, Victor:** Murder, conspiracy, felony murder, two counts of tampering with evidence, hindering, two counts of possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and two counts of unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2009. Mr. Marrero will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
26. **Mazurczyk, Margaret:** Manslaughter, sentenced in 2019. Ms. Mazurczyk will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
27. **McBride, Keith:** Felony murder, robbery, conspiracy, disturbing human remains, two counts of hindering, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2010. Mr. McBride will be released from prison in 2038 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
28. **Mitchell, Michael:** Robbery, sentenced in 2004; robbery, two counts of conspiracy, four counts of theft, and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 2016; robbery, sentenced in 2014. Mr. Mitchell will max-out from prison in 2038 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
29. **Montalvo, Maria:** Two counts of murder, two counts of felony murder, and arson, sentenced in 1997. Ms. Montalvo will become immediately parole eligible.
30. **Moon, David:** Murder, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2007. Mr. Moon will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
31. **Pena, Dariel:** Manslaughter, sentenced in 2016. Mr. Pena will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
32. **Peoples, Anthony:** Murder, felony murder, four counts of robbery, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1998. He will be released from prison in 2028 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years. Mr. Peoples will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.

33. **Ramos, Luis:** Murder, two counts of aggravated assault, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2008. Mr. Ramos will be released from prison in 2031 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
34. **Rose, Robert:** Conspiracy, three counts of murder, and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 1983. Mr. Rose will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
35. **Salaam, Abdul-Haqq:** Robbery, sentenced in 1986; robbery and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 1997. Mr. Salaam will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
36. **Sayers, Gary:** Five counts of robbery, conspiracy to commit robbery, five counts of aggravated assault, five counts of restraint, burglary, three counts of possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, three counts of unlawful possession of a weapon, and certain persons not to possess a weapon, sentenced in 2008; certain persons not to possess a weapon, sentenced in 2009. Mr. Sayers will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
37. **Shabazz, Omari:** Three counts of robbery, four counts of possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and two counts of unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1995; robbery and possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 1996; robbery, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1996; robbery, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1997. Mr. Shabazz will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
38. **Smith, Jama:** Possession of a controlled dangerous substance, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance, possession with intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance within a school zone, resisting arrest, possession of a weapon during a crime involving a controlled dangerous substance, possession of a prohibited weapon, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, unlawful possession of a weapon, and certain persons not to possess a weapon, sentenced in 2004; murder, conspiracy to commit murder, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, unlawful possession of a weapon, and certain persons not to possess a weapon, sentenced in 2006. Mr. Smith will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
39. **Terrero, Germania:** Murder, felony murder, aggravated manslaughter, conspiracy to commit robbery, two counts of conspiracy to commit burglary, theft, and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 2011. Mrs. Terrero will be released from prison and deported due to her immigration status.
40. **Waathiq, Mujahid:** Murder, robbery, and burglary, sentenced in 1990. Mr. Waathiq will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
41. **Walker, Rashid:** Unlawful taking by means of conveyance and resisting arrest, sentenced in 2001; possession of a controlled dangerous substance, sentenced in 2005; felony murder, murder, robbery, receiving stolen property, possession of a controlled dangerous substance, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, unlawful possession of a weapon, and certain persons not to possess a weapon, sentenced in 2004. Mr. Walker will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
42. **Al-Mujahid/Walker, Shem:** Felony murder, reckless manslaughter, conspiracy to commit robbery, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 2006. Mr. Al-Mujahid/Walker will be released from prison and deported due to his immigration status.
43. **White, Natasha:** Murder, two counts of death by auto, causing death while driving, simple assault, criminal mischief, and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 2008. Ms. White will be released from prison in 2028 and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
44. **Williams, Wali:** Murder and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1990. Mr. Williams will be immediately released from prison and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.
45. **Wise, Jerod:** Murder, sentenced in 2011. Mr. Wise will be parole eligible in 2029, will max-out from prison in 2044, and will be on a period of parole supervision for five years.

Upon release from New Jersey Department of Corrections custody, four of the individuals whose sentences were commuted will be deported due to their immigration status, per federal law. The Murphy Administration will work with United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement to ensure their safe and orderly return to their native countries.

The following individuals were granted commutations of their parole sentences by Governor Murphy:

1. **Allah, Wise:** Robbery, sentenced in 1992; unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1992; two counts of robbery and two counts of conspiracy sentenced in 1992; burglary, sentenced in 1993; attempted theft, sentenced in 1993.
2. **Muslim, Ali:** Murder, robbery, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1986.
3. **Rutherford, Jay:** Criminal attempt to commit murder, sentenced in 1995; felony murder, murder, robbery, possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, and unlawful possession of a weapon, sentenced in 1995.
4. **Scott, Lawrence:** Murder, conspiracy to commit theft by deception, forgery, sentenced in 1985.
5. **Wiley, Brenda:** Two counts of murder and possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, sentenced in 1992.

The following individual has been granted a commutation from his driver's license suspension:

1. **Forstik, Thomas:** Driving while under the influence (six counts), sentenced in 2004, 2005, and 2007.

Over the past eight years, the Murphy Administration has advanced New Jersey's standing as The State for Second Chances through a series of transformative criminal justice reforms. These efforts include signing legislation to ban the box in housing, restoring voting rights to more than 80,000 individuals on probation or parole, creating a petition process for "clean slate" expungements for eligible offenses, and implementing numerous additional measures to support successful reentry and rehabilitation.

Most recently, Governor Murphy signed [Executive Order No. 411](https://nj.gov/infobank/eo/056murphy/pdf/EO-411.pdf) (<https://nj.gov/infobank/eo/056murphy/pdf/EO-411.pdf>), expanding eligibility for jury service to more than 350,000 New Jerseyans who were previously disqualified due to a criminal conviction.

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