### **PARDON**

## John Berger

John Berger, a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On June 2, 1995, the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, sentenced Mr. Berger to four years of probation and 60 days in jail for transporting a controlled substance.

Mr. Berger has complied with the provisions of California Penal Code sections 4852.01 through 4852.22, which provide a procedure after completion of sentence to seek restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. On June 18, 2020, the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, granted Mr. Berger a Certificate of Rehabilitation on evidence that he has been living an upright life. By granting Mr. Berger's petition for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that Mr. Berger be granted a full pardon.

This act of clemency for Mr. Berger does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. Berger merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to John Berger a full and unconditional pardon for the above case.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM Governor of California

ATTEST:



#### **PARDON**

### Lucas Beltran Dominguez

Lucas Beltran Dominguez, a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On September 17, 2008, the Superior Court of California, County of Tulare, sentenced Mr. Dominguez to three years of probation for transporting or selling marijuana and possession of marijuana for sale.

Mr. Dominguez has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has provided evidence that he is living an upright life and has demonstrated his fitness for restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. Mr. Dominguez has also presented evidence that a collateral consequence of his conviction, namely, his impending deportation and permanent separation from his family and removal from his community, further justifies this exercise of executive clemency.

This act of clemency for Mr. Dominguez does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. Dominguez, merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Lucas Beltran Dominguez a full and unconditional pardon for the above case.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM
Governor of California

ATTEST:



#### **PARDON**

#### **Michael Farrier**

Michael Farrier, a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On March 5, 1990, the Superior Court of California, County of Placer, sentenced 21-year-old Mr. Farrier to five years of probation and 45 days in jail for first degree burglary and second degree robbery.

Mr. Farrier has complied with the provisions of California Penal Code sections 4852.01 through 4852.22, which provide a procedure after completion of sentence to seek restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. On March 28, 2018, the Superior Court of California, County of Placer, granted Mr. Farrier a Certificate of Rehabilitation on evidence that he has been living an upright life. By granting Mr. Farrier's petition for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that Mr. Farrier be granted a full pardon.

This act of clemency for Mr. Farrier does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. Farrier merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Michael Farrier a full and unconditional pardon for the above case.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM
Governor of California

ATTEST:



### **PARDON**

### **Kimberly Gregorio**

Kimberly Gregorio, a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On November 22, 1988, the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, sentenced 23-year-old Ms. Gregorio to four years of probation and 180 days in jail for possession of a controlled substance for sale and obstructing an officer.

Ms. Gregorio has complied with the provisions of California Penal Code sections 4852.01 through 4852.22, which provide a procedure after completion of sentence to seek restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. On February 8, 2021, the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, granted Ms. Gregorio a Certificate of Rehabilitation on evidence that she has been living an upright life. By granting Ms. Gregorio's petition for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that Ms. Gregorio be granted a full pardon.

This act of clemency for Ms. Gregorio does not minimize or forgive her conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work she has done since to transform herself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community, Ms. Gregorio merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Kimberly Gregorio a full and unconditional pardon for the above case.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM

Governor of California

ATTEST:



### **PARDON**

### James King, III

James King, III, a resident of Nevada and former resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On December 15, 1988, the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, sentenced Mr. King to three years of probation and 180 days in jail for the sale of cocaine.

Mr. King has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has provided evidence that he is living an upright life and has demonstrated his fitness for restoration of civic rights and responsibilities.

This act of clemency for Mr. King does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. King merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to James King, III a full and unconditional pardon for the above case.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM
Governor of California

ATTEST:



#### **PARDON**

## Santiago Lopez

Santiago Lopez, a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On August 21, 2000, the Superior Court of California, County of San Diego, sentenced Mr. Lopez to three years of probation and 113 days in jail for possession of marijuana for sale. On August 5, 2004, the same court sentenced Mr. Lopez to a fine for possession of marijuana for sale. On July 27, 2001, the Superior Court of California, County of Tulare, sentenced Mr. Lopez to three years in prison for possession of a controlled substance for sale and possession of marijuana for sale.

Mr. Lopez has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has provided evidence that he is living an upright life and has demonstrated his fitness for restoration of civic rights and responsibilities.

This act of clemency for Mr. Lopez does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. Lopez merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Santiago Lopez a full and unconditional pardon for the above cases.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM
Governor of California

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### **PARDON**

## **Kenneth Lyerly**

Kenneth Lyerly, a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On January 30, 2004, the Superior Court of California, County of Orange, sentenced Mr. Lyerly to three years of probation and 120 days in jail for possession of a controlled substance for sale.

Mr. Lyerly has complied with the provisions of California Penal Code sections 4852.01 through 4852.22, which provide a procedure after completion of sentence to seek restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. On May 25, 2018, the Superior Court of California, County of Orange, granted Mr. Lyerly a Certificate of Rehabilitation on evidence that he has been living an upright life. By granting Mr. Lyerly's petition for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that Mr. Lyerly be granted a full pardon.

This act of clemency for Mr. Lyerly does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. Lyerly merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Kenneth Lyerly a full and unconditional pardon for the above case.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM
Governor of California

ATTEST:

### **PARDON**

## **Jimmy Platon**

Jimmy Platon, a resident of Florida and former resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

In 1973, the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, sentenced Mr. Platon to 12 months of probation for trespassing. On April 6, 1978, the same court sentenced Mr. Platon to four years of probation for possession of a controlled substance for sale.

Mr. Platon has complied with the provisions of California Penal Code sections 4852.01 through 4852.22, which provide a procedure after completion of sentence to seek restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. On November 19, 1998, the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, granted Mr. Platon a Certificate of Rehabilitation on evidence that he has been living an upright life. By granting Mr. Platon's petition for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that Mr. Platon be granted a full pardon.

This act of clemency for Mr. Platon does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. Platon merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Jimmy Platon a full and unconditional pardon for the above cases.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM
Governor of California

ATTEST:



### **PARDON**

### Julie Ruehle

Julie Ruehle, a resident of Wisconsin and former resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On June 24, 1999, the Superior Court of California, County of Kern, sentenced 19-year-old Ms. Ruehle to two years in prison, a concurrent term for two cases, one for possession of a controlled substance and the other for taking a vehicle without consent.

Ms. Ruehle submitted a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. She has provided evidence that she is living an upright life and has demonstrated her fitness for restoration of civic rights and responsibilities.

Ms. Ruehle's pardon application was reviewed by the Board of Parole Hearings, which voted at an en banc meeting to recommend a clemency grant. The California Supreme Court also made a recommendation for a clemency grant, a process required by the California Constitution for cases in which the applicant has been convicted of more than one felony.

This act of clemency for Ms. Ruehle does not minimize or forgive her conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work she has done since to transform herself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community, Ms. Ruehle merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Julie Ruehle a full and unconditional pardon for the above cases.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM
Governor of California

ATTEST:



## **PARDON**

## Kathy Uetz

Kathy Uetz, a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On August 21, 1991, the Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, sentenced Ms. Uetz to two years of probation and three days in jail for possession of a controlled substance. On April 3, 1997, the Superior Court of California, County of Kern, sentenced Ms. Uetz to three years of probation and 120 days in jail for possession of a controlled substance for sale.

Ms. Uetz has complied with the provisions of California Penal Code sections 4852.01 through 4852.22, which provide a procedure after completion of sentence to seek restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. On April 17, 2020, the Superior Court of California, County of Kern, granted Ms. Uetz a Certificate of Rehabilitation on evidence that she has been living an upright life. By granting Ms. Uetz's petition for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that Ms. Uetz be granted a full pardon.

This act of clemency for Ms. Uetz does not minimize or forgive her conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work she has done since to transform herself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of her sentence and good conduct in the community, Ms. Uetz merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Kathy Uetz a full and unconditional pardon for the above cases.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 23rd day of December 2022.

GAVIN NEWSOM
Governor of California

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