

CHRISTINE O. GREGOIRE
Governor



STATE OF WASHINGTON
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

P.O. Box 40002 • Olympia, Washington 98504-0002 • (360) 753-6780 • www.governor.wa.gov

TYPES OF RELIEF POSSIBLE THROUGH THE CLEMENCY
AND PARDONS BOARD
STATUTORY AUTHORITY RCW 9.94A.885

Clemency/Pardon: (For in-state convictions only.) An executive act of grace that relieves an individual from all or part of any punishment imposed by a judgment and sentence for a criminal conviction. Clemency/pardon does not erase a conviction, rather it excuses all or part of the punishment imposed. Civil rights may be restored. Clemency/pardon may be conditional or unconditional. The Board makes recommendations only to the Governor on the granting of Clemency/Pardon action. The Governor is not bound to follow the recommendation or take any action. (FOR THIS TYPE OF RELIEF, USE PETITION A.)

Restoration of Civil Rights: (For federal or out-of-state convictions only.) The Board issues a certificate restoring state civil rights (i.e., the right to vote and hold political office). (FOR THIS TYPE OF RELIEF, USE PETITION B.)

Please return to: Chair, Clemency and Pardons Board
c/o Terri Gottberg
Office of the Attorney General
PO Box 40116
Olympia, WA 98504-0116



CHRISTINE O. GREGOIRE
Governor



STATE OF WASHINGTON
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
P.O. Box 40002 • Olympia, Washington 98504-0002 • (360) 753-6780 • www.governor.wa.gov

PETITION A
CLEMENCY/PARDON (FOR IN-STATE CONVICTIONS ONLY)

NOTE: This petition must be typewritten or legibly printed in ink.

DATE OF APPLICATION: _____

NAME: _____ SS NUMBER: _____

ADDRESS: _____

(Please attach a list of all addresses resided at during the past five years.)

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ PHONE NUMBER: _____

OTHER NAMES: _____

(*past, maiden, etc.*)

INSTITUTION NUMBER: _____ INS ID Number: _____

(Deportation cases only)

DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER: _____

OTHER STATES IN WHICH YOU HAVE HELD DRIVER'S LICENSES: _____

RELIEF REQUESTED:

- Commutation (reduction of sentence)
- Pardon (complete relief from sentence and/or disabilities related to conviction)
- Reprieve (delay in imposition of sentence)

REASON FOR DESIRING RELIEF: _____



OFFENSE(S) COMMITTED: (A copy of the JUDGMENT AND SENTENCE for each offense for which you desire relief is REQUIRED before the Board will review your petition. PLEASE ATTACH A COPY TO THIS PETITION.)

COUNTY/CITY IN WHICH OFFENSE(S) COMMITTED: _____

DATE OFFENSE(S) COMMITTED: _____

SENTENCE IMPOSED: _____

RESTITUTION/COSTS IMPOSED: _____

STATE THE REASON THE GOVERNOR SHOULD GRANT RELIEF REQUESTED:

PRIOR CRIMINAL HISTORY: (Provide a list of prior convictions or arrests, including traffic citations.)

DESCRIBE WHAT YOU HAVE DONE TO DEMONSTRATE YOUR REHABILITATION: (For example, list employment/education history; if restitution was ordered, has restitution been made?)

WERE YOU REPRESENTED BY COUNSEL FOR THE OFFENSE(S)? _____

NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF COUNSEL:

TRIAL OR PLEA? _____

DID YOU APPEAL CONVICTION? _____

(If so, results? Provide copy or cite appellate court decision(s).)

WAS A WEAPON USED DURING COMMISSION OF THE CRIME? _____

(If yes, provide details.)

WERE YOU UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS OR ALCOHOL AT THE TIME OF THE OFFENSE? _____

(If yes, provide details.)

WAS THE OFFENSE COMMITTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF AVOIDING OR PREVENTING ARREST OR ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY OF A PUBLIC OFFICER?

DID THE OFFENSE INVOLVE MINORS? _____

(If yes, provide details.)

IF THE OFFENSE WAS COMMITTED AGAINST A PERSON, PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:

1. Was the victim known to you? _____

2. If yes, relationship? _____

3. Was the victim injured? _____

4. Age of victim at time of offense: _____

5. More than one victim? If yes, how many? _____

6. Was restitution ordered? _____ If yes, how much, and has it been paid? _____

IF THE OFFENSE INVOLVED TAKING OR DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY, PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:

1. Value of property involved? _____

2. Description of property? _____

3. Property returned? _____ Restitution made to owner? _____

4. Was restitution ordered? _____ If yes, how much, and has it been paid? _____

HAVE YOU FILED OTHER PETITIONS FOR RELIEF WITH THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE? _____

(If so, provide the date, status, or disposition.)

CURRENT STATUS:

1. Date released: _____

2. On parole? _____ Ever revoked? _____

3. On probation? _____ Ever revoked? _____

(Answer questions 4 - 10 if currently incarcerated.)

4. If incarcerated, present status: _____

5. Anticipated release date: _____

6. Place of release: _____

7. Level of custody in the institution: _____

8. Classification in the institution: _____

9. Have you lost good time or been subject to disciplinary action while incarcerated? ____

10. If yes, identify the nature, circumstances, and outcome. _____

PETITION A

PAGE 6

PRESENT EMPLOYMENT: _____

IF APPLICABLE, DO YOU HAVE EMPLOYMENT AVAILABLE UPON DISCHARGE? _____

(If yes, where?) _____

LIST OF ALL PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT (ADDRESSES AND JOB TITLES) OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS: _____

LIST OF REFERENCES: _____

ATTACH LETTERS OF REFERENCE OR STATEMENTS FROM OTHERS WHO CAN VOUCH FOR YOUR GOOD CONDUCT. (These statements should describe association with you, length of time that person has known you, etc.)

SIGNATURE

DATE

