

State of North Carolina

Roy Cooper

GOVERNOR

COMMUTATION ORDER

FOR

JONATHAN MATTHEW BURDETTE

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WHEREAS, JONATHAN MATTHEW BURDETTE ("Burdette"), at the March 2005 Term of Rockingham County Superior Court, was convicted of Robbery with a Dangerous Weapon, Docket Number 04CRS052819, and Robbery with a Dangerous Weapon, Docket Number 04CRS052820, and by judgment of said Court the charges were consolidated and Burdette was sentenced to a minimum term of sixty-five (65) months and a maximum term of eighty-seven (87) months in the custody of the North Carolina Department of Correction; and

WHEREAS, Burdette was also convicted of Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 04CRS052819, and Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 04CRS052820, and Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 04CRS052821, and by judgment of said Court the charges were consolidated and Burdette was sentenced to a minimum term of twenty-five (25) months and a maximum term of thirty-nine (39) months to begin at the expiration of the active sentence above; which sentence was suspended for sixty (60) months with probation for sixty (60) months; and

WHEREAS, Burdette was also convicted of Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 04CRS052822, and Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 04CRS052823, and Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 04CRS052824, and by judgment of said Court the charges were consolidated and Burdette was sentenced to the same consecutive probationary sentence as in the paragraph above; and

WHEREAS, Burdette was also convicted of Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 04CRS052826, and Felony Larceny, Docket Number 04CRS052804, and Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 04CRS05282, and by judgment of said Court the charges were consolidated and Burdette was sentenced to the same consecutive probationary sentence; and

WHEREAS, it has been made to appear to me that this case is one fit for a Commutation.

NOW, **THEREFORE**, I, Roy Cooper, Governor of the State of North Carolina, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution of the State, do by these presents

COMMUTE the active and probationary sentences described herein to time served subject to the following conditions:

- 1. He shall not commit any felony or Class A1 misdemeanor under the laws of the United States of America or any of its States or Territories;
- 2. He shall waive extradition to the State of North Carolina for any State of the United States of America or any of its Territories and will not contest any effort by any State or Territory to return him to the State of North Carolina in the event he violates any conditions of this Commutation Order;
- 3. He shall report promptly to his assigned probation/parole officer when instructed to do so and in a manner prescribed by that officer;
- 4. He shall not own or possess any firearms or deadly weapons;
- 5. He shall not assault, harm, or threaten to assault or harm, any person;
- 6. He shall not intentionally modify his residence or employment without prior approval of his probation/parole officer;
- 7. He shall not leave the State of North Carolina without the permission of the Deputy Secretary of Community Supervision, Department of Adult Correction or his/her designee;
- 8. He shall not intentionally contact any victim without their consent;
- 9. He shall obtain a substance abuse assessment at a place designated by his probation/parole officer and participate in all further evaluation, counseling, treatment, or education programs recommended as a result of that assessment.

The conditions of this Order are limited to a term of two (2) years from the date of this Order. Compliance with the conditions of this Order shall be monitored by the North Carolina Department of Adult Correction, Community Supervision Section and any violations shall be promptly reported to the Office of the Governor. If the Governor, or his successor, finds that JONATHAN MATTHEW BURDETTE has violated any of the conditions herein provided, then the Governor or his successor may, in his or her discretion, revoke or modify the Commutation granted this day.

This Commutation Order shall not extend to any other offenses.

This Commutation Order is signed this the 23rd day of December 2024, with an effective date of the 6th day of January 2025.

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Roy Cooper