

State of North Carolina

Roy Cooper GOVERNOR

COMMUTATION ORDER

DONTE MAURICE SANTIAGO

#0782079

WHEREAS, DONTE MAURICE SANTIAGO, at the April 2003 Term of Onslow County Superior Court, was convicted of First Degree Murder, Docket Number 00CRS054610, and by judgment of said Court is currently serving a sentence of life with parole; Conspiracy to Commit Robbery with a Dangerous Weapon, Docket Number 01CRS054610, and by judgment of said Court was sentenced to a minimum term of twenty-five (25) months and a maximum term of thirty-nine (39) months; Second Degree Kidnapping, Docket Number 01CRS 054610, and by judgment of said Court was sentenced to a minimum term of twenty-five (25) months and a maximum term of thirty-nine (39) months; First Degree Burglary, Docket Number 01 CRS 054610, and by judgment of said Court was sentenced to a minimum term of sixty-four (64) months and a maximum term of eighty-six (86) months; all to run consecutively and be served in the custody of the North Carolina Department of Correction; 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 his sentence to make him parole eligible subject to the condition that if he is placed on parole, he shall not violate any conditions of his parole or have his parole revoked for any reason.

If the Governor, or his successor, finds that DONTE MAURICE SANTIAGO has violated any condition 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 effective this the 13th day of November 2024.

Roy Cooper

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