

State of North Carolina

Roy Cooper GOVERNOR

COMMUTATION ORDER

FOR

NASIR AL-DIN SIDDIQ

FORMERLY LAWRENCE EUGENE PETERSON, JR.

#0320825

WHEREAS, NASIR AL-DIN SIDDIQ, formerly LAWRENCE EUGENE PETERSON, JR. ("Siddiq"), at the December 1996 Term of Richmond County Superior Court, was convicted of First Degree Murder, Docket Number 95CRS004226, and by judgment of said Court was sentenced to death; 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 for First Degree Murder to a sentence of life without parole. This commutation does not entitle Siddiq to review under N.C. Gen. Stat. § 15A-1380.5 (repealed).

This Commutation Order shall not extend to any other offenses.

This Commutation Order is effective this the 31st day of December 2024.



Roy Cooper