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John W. Hickenlooper
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EXECUTIVE ORDER

Full and Unconditional Pardon Stephen L. Richards

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor of the State of Colorado by Article IV, Section 7 of the Colorado Constitution, I, John W. Hickenlooper, Governor of the State of Colorado, hereby issue this Executive Order granting a pardon to Stephen L. Richards.

I. Background

In 1990, Stephen L. Richards pleaded guilty to possession of schedule II controlled substance (F-3) in Boulder County, Colorado (90CR359). Stephen L. Richards completed the terms of his sentence. The constitutional and statutory conditions for granting this clemency petition have been satisfied, and granting this pardon is in the interest of justice.

II. Grant of Clemency

- A. Stephen L. Richards be and hereby is granted a full and unconditional pardon of the above described conviction.
- B. All of his rights of citizenship, including but not limited to, voting, jury duty, holding public office, and firearms privileges, are restored in full without condition. All of his civil disabilities and public sufferings associated with this conviction are removed.



GIVEN under my hand and the
Executive Seal of the State of
Colorado, this twenty-third of
August, 2018.

John W. Hickenlooper
Governor