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EXECUTIVE ORDER

Commutation of Sentence Anthony Martinez

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor of the State of Colorado by Article IV, Section 7 of the Colorado Constitution I, Jared Polis, Governor of the State of Colorado, hereby issue this Executive Order commuting the sentence of Anthony Martinez.

I. <u>Background</u>

In 1989, Anthony Martinez, DOC Reg. No. 50573, was sentenced to Life in Prison with the Possibility of Parole for 2nd Degree Burglary - Habitual Criminal (1988CR1448). In 1993, Anthony Martinez was sentenced to the Department of Corrections for 5 years for 2nd Degree Assault (1992CR58). His current estimated parole eligibility date is in 2024. The constitutional and statutory conditions for granting this clemency petition have been satisfied, and granting this commutation is in the interest of justice.

II. Grant of Clemency

- A. Anthony Martinez be and hereby is granted a limited commutation such that he is granted parole effective January 15, 2021. The Parole Board shall set the terms and conditions of Mr. Martinez's parole, although Mr. Martinez shall be permitted to serve his parole period in Pennsylvania if approved under the Interstate Compact for Adult Offender Supervision. In this case, the Colorado Department of Corrections shall work with the Pennsylvania Department of Corrections to manage the terms and conditions of Mr. Martinez's parole.
- B. This grant of clemency is limited to paroling Mr. Martinez effective January 15, 2021, with terms and conditions of parole to be set by the Parole Board, and shall not in any way affect the underlying criminal conviction.



GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this twenty-third day of December, 2020.

Jared Polis Governor