

**LIST OF PARDONS, COMMUNICATIONS,
REPRIEVES AND OTHER FORMS
OF CLEMENCY**

REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF VIRGINIA



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GOVERNOR

January 8, 1975

MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF VIRGINIA:

As required by Section V12 of the Constitution of Virginia, I submit herewith a statement setting forth the "particulars of every case of fine or penalty remitted, of reprieve or pardon granted, and of punishment commuted" with my "reasons for remitting, granting or commuting the same" from January 12, 1974, through January 7, 1973.

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POLITICAL DISABILITIES

ALEXANDER, GILMER. Convicted November 6, 1971, in the Circuit Court of Russell County of involuntary manslaughter and sentenced to three years. Paroled November 22, 1973, and discharged from parole supervision on May 22, 1974. Relying on recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, September 25, 1974.

AMOS, WALTER GORDON, JR. Convicted September 9, 1968, in the U. S. District Court, Danville Division for Western District of Virginia of violation of 26 USC 5604 (a) pertaining to liquor laws and sentenced for two years - suspended, placed on probation for a period of three years - fined \$500.00. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, April 17, 1974.

ARGENBRIGHT, GARY WAYNE. Convicted June 3, 1970, in the Circuit Court of Augusta County of two counts of statutory burglary - imposition of sentence withheld. Placed on probation for three years. Discharged from probation supervision on June 3, 1973. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, October 17, 1974.

BAKER, DONNA WALTERS. Convicted February 27, 1970, in the Circuit Court of Pulaski of four counts of statutory burglary and sentenced five years on each count to run concurrently. sentence suspended and placed on probation for five years. Released from probation supervision on September 18, 1972. Relying on recommendations from reputable citizens who are familiar with this woman's conduct since her conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, June 19, 1974.

BRANCH, JOSEPH LEE. Convicted May 16, 1960, and January 16, 1968, respectively in the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County of (1) Did make an assault, and then and there, unlawfully, maliciously and feloniously did shoot and wound, with a pistol, with intent...to maim, disable, disfigure and kill, and sentenced to a term of five years with three years suspended for a term of seven years upon condition of good behavior and that he not break any laws of the Commonwealth; (2) Did make an assault, and then and there, unlawfully, maliciously and feloniously did shoot, wound, with a pistol, with intent...to maim, disable, disfigure and kill and sentenced to a term of five years - suspended. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, October 1, 1974.

BROWN, FRED, JR. Convicted January 19, 1970, in the Hustings Court of Richmond (now Circuit Court) of grand larceny and sentenced to two years; grand larceny and sentenced to five years; and unauthorized use and sentenced to one year to run concurrently - a total of seven years. Paroled November 4, 1971. Original discharge from supervision was to be February 8, 1975. However, due to good behavior and adjustment, subject was released from supervision on March 29, 1974, effective April 30, 1974. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, July 5, 1974.

BUNCH, NORMAN EARL. Convicted July 31, 1963 in the Circuit Court of Chesapeake of sodomy and sentenced to three years. Placed on probation and released from probation supervision on October 8, 1966. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, August 21, 1974.

BURTON, MATHEW IRVIN. Convicted March 11, 1963, in the Circuit Court of Rappahannock County of breaking and entering and sentenced to two years - sentence suspended and placed on probation for two years. Relying on recommendations from reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, July 19, 1974.

BURTON, MATHEW IRVIN. Convicted April 3, 1963, in Madison County Circuit Court of breaking and entering and sentenced two years - suspended, placed on probation for three years. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction granted removal of political disabilities, April 5, 1974.

CALDWELL, ROBERT D. Convicted December 6, 1968, in Richmond City Hustings (now Circuit) Court of grand larceny and convicted of five years. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, January 31, 1974.

CAMPBELL, CLIFTON C. Convicted October 20, 1954, in the U. S. District Court for Western District of Virginia of failure to report for induction into armed forces and sentenced to three years - served one year and was paroled for two years. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, March 28, 1974.

CLARK, ALBERT JACKSON, AKA CLARK, JACK. Convicted September 26, 1955, in Amelia County Circuit Court - did un lawfully and feloniously manufacture alcoholic beverages without being licensed under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act and sentenced eighteen months - twelve months suspended for five years. June 19, 1962, in the Circuit Court of Powhatan - did unlawfully and feloniously manufacture alcoholic beverages without being licensed and sentenced to two years - sentence suspended for five years plus cost of court; April 25, 1963, in the Circuit Court of Cumberland County - did unlawfully manufacture alcoholic beverages, sentenced eighteen months - twelve months suspended for five-year period plus cost of court. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, October 30, 1974.

CLICK, CURTIS DON. Convicted May 20, 1968, in the Circuit Court of Fairfax County of statutory rape and sentenced to eight years. Paroled on October 23, 1968, and released from parole supervision on October 19, 1970. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, June 19, 1974.

COLLINS, WILLIAM VAN. Convicted March 25, 1965, in the Circuit Court of Virginia Beach of grand larceny and sentenced to ten years. Commuted on September 15, 1966, to nine years, nine months. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, September 25, 1974.

COMER, WILLIAM D. Convicted September 27, 1948, in the Circuit Court of Page County of murder and sentenced to six years. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, September 18, 1974.

DART, ROBERT EVANS. Convicted November 9, 1970, in the Circuit Court of Clarke County of grand larceny and sentenced to twelve months - suspended, placed on probation for a period of three years. Fined \$350.00. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, April 17, 1974.

Davis, Mary Goldie. Convicted April 13, 1961, in the Hustings Court (now Circuit) of Roanoke of unlawful wounding and sentenced to twelve months and fined \$10.00. November 16, 1961, remainder of jail sentence suspended pending good **behavior**. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this woman's conduct since her conviction, granted removal of her political disabilities, October 10, 1974.

DAVIS, PERCELL. Convicted March 10, 1959, and March 9, 1962, in the Corporation Court of Norfolk (now Circuit Court) of grand larceny, placed on probation for three years February 15, 1962, probation violation, violation of State Alcohol Law (possession of illegal whiskey), fined \$50 and thirty-day jail sentence (suspended; March 9, 1962, probation extended one year. Released from supervision on May 13, 1963. Relying on the recommendations from reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, August 28, 1974.

DEAN, RAYMOND. Convicted January 5, 1960, in the Norfolk City Corporation Court (now Circuit Court) of four counts of forgery and sentenced to eight years; fifteen counts of forgery. Received two years on each charge to run concurrent with eight years. November 11, 1960 of unlawful wounding and sentenced to one year to run concurrent with eight years, total sentence eight years. Granted parole on August 14, 1963, and released from parole supervision on December 10, 1965. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities May 16, 1974.

FAIRCHILD, TONEY P. Convicted March 11, 1971, in the Circuit Court of Virginia Beach of violation of Drug Control Act and sentenced to one and one-half years - suspended and placed on probation for two years. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, November 20, 1974.

FARMER, JOHN SIMPSON, JR. Convicted March 25, 1968, in the Danville City Corporation Court (now Circuit Court) of rape and sentenced ten years. Placed on parole in September, 1971. Released from parole supervision on July 31, 1974. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, August 27, 1974.

FOWLKES, BRIAN DOUGLAS. Convicted February 24, 1971, in the Hustings Court of Portsmouth (now Circuit Court) of possession of controlled drug and sentenced to three years with one year suspended. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, October 17, 1974.

FREDA, CATHIE. Convicted May 1, 1973, in the Barnstable County Superior Court, Barnstable, Massachusetts of possession of a controlled substance and sentenced to two one-year sentences to run concurrently. Paroled to Virginia on November 2, 1973. Discharged from parole supervision on April 21, 1973. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this women's conduct since her release, granted removal of political disabilities, September 12, 1974.

GEORGE, WILLIAM C. Convicted March 30, 1970, in the Hustings Court (now Circuit Court) of Portsmouth of receiving stolen goods and sentenced to three years. Suspended sentence and was placed on probation. Released from supervision on June 25, 1971. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, April 25, 1974.

GODINE, CAROLINE WATSON (MRS). Convicted December 20, 1971, in the Circuit Court of Albemarle County of involuntary manslaughter and fined \$1,000.00. Relying on recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this woman's conduct since her conviction, granted removal of political disabilities June 12, 1974.

GRANDE, DAVID SHERIDAN. Convicted February 16, 1953, in the Circuit Court of Charles City County of illegal manufacture of alcoholic beverages and sentenced eight months - suspended for three-year period and fined \$150.00. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities December 20, 1974.

HALL, THOMAS HENRY. Convicted November 7, 1932, in the Circuit Court of Franklin County of larceny from person and sentenced two years; convicted April 6, 1965, in the Circuit Court of Henry County of malicious wounding and sentenced to two years and shooting into occupied motor vehicle and sentenced to one year. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, October 31, 1974.

HARRISON, CHARLES LEE. Convicted November 14, 1968, in the Norfolk City Corporation (now Circuit) Court of attempted statutory burglary and sentenced to four years, paroled October 14, 1970, and discharged from parole supervision April 12, 1972. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, February 4, 1974.

HUDSON, DOUGLAS DENHAM, JR. Convicted November 30, 1970, in the Albemarle County Circuit Court of feloniously distributing controlled drug and sentenced to five years - suspended, placed on probation three years. Released from supervision on November 30, 1973. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, June 18, 1974.

HUNDLEY, FRANK BABCOCK. Convicted November 2, 1966, in the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight of grand larceny and sentenced to five years - suspended. Placed on probation for a period of seven years. Released from supervision on December 21, 1967, and from probation on November 2, 1973. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, October 1, 1974.

JAMISON, ALVIN WAYNE. Convicted April 9, 1968, in the Circuit Court of Henry County of grand larceny and sentenced to five years. Suspended and placed on probation for three years. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, October 29, 1974.

JAMISON, ALVIN WAYNE. Convicted June 7, 1971, in the Corporation Court of Martinsville (now Circuit Court) of forgery and uttering a forged instrument. Forgery - nolle prossed; uttering a forged instrument - twelve months suspended upon good behavior for two years and condition that he make restitution. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, December 10, 1974.

KIZER, EDWARD CHESTER. Convicted April 10, 1967, in the Corporation Court of Newport News (now Circuit Court) of two charges each of forgery and uttering and sentenced eight years. Sentence suspended and placed on probation for two-year period on May 15, 1967. Probation terminated on May 15, 1969. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, October 30, 1974.

LANE, BILLY RAY. Convicted May 18, 1964, in the Circuit Court of Scott County of rape and sentenced to forty years. Granted conditional pardon on December 16, 1969, and discharged from supervision on December 22, 1972. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, April 25, 1974.

LEMN, MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER. Convicted August 21, 1970, in the Corporation Court of Norfolk (now Circuit Court) of grand larceny and sentenced to four years - suspended. Discharged from probation in August of 1974. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, December 10, 1974.

MORAN, JONATHON KIRK. Convicted in the Alexandria City Corporation Court (now Circuit) March 3, 1970, of illegal sale of narcotics, imposition of sentence suspended and placed on probation for five years; January 21, 1971 - Probation was revoked and was sentenced to three years; January 4, 1972, placed on parole; and July 10, 1973, discharged from parole. Relying on the recommendations from reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, October 17, 1974.

MYERS, ROBERT. Convicted May 6, 1968, in the U. S. District Court for Eastern District of Virginia, Alexandria, Virginia of transporting narcotic drug, knowing same to have been imported (violation T21 USC S173, 174 and 2) and sentenced five years. Paroled after serving thirty-nine months. June 20, 1968, in the Corporation Court (now Circuit) of Alexandria of illegal possession of narcotics and sentenced three years. Two years suspended for three-year period. Paroled after serving eight months. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, November 8, 1974.

NOVAK, JOSEPH. Convicted January 13, 1970, in Hustings Court of Portsmouth (now Circuit Court) of grand larceny and sentenced three years - suspended. Discharged from probation on January 12, 1973. Relying on the recommendation of the Probation and Parole Board and of a reputable citizen who is familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, December 5, 1974.

OWENS, ROLAND LANDERS, Convicted January 29, 1970, in the Corporation Court, Pt. II, of Norfolk (now Circuit Court) of felonious assault and sentenced three years. Sentence suspended and placed on probation for three years. Discharged from probation on January 29, 1973. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, October 30, 1974.

PARKER, RICHARD E. Convicted August 8, 1969, in Hustings Court (now Circuit) of Richmond, Virginia of possession of narcotic drug and fined \$100 - imposition of any further sentence was suspended. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, August 14, 1974.

PHILLIPS, TROY ALBERT. Convicted July 13, 1962, in the Circuit Court of Dickenson County of second-degree murder and sentenced fifteen years. Paroled on May 3, 1967. Discharged from parole supervision on March 16, 1971. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, November 20, 1974.

PHIPPS, LEROY LONDON. Convicted May 14, 1971, in the Corporation Court (now Circuit) of the City of Bristol, four indictments of distributing controlled drugs. Indictment 1, sentenced five years; indictments 2, 3 and 4 sentenced ten years each to run concurrently with first indictment and to be placed on five-year probation period after discharge from Penitentiary sentence; February 12, 1973, paroled; August 24, 1974, discharged from parole supervision; September 3, 1974, commenced active probation period; and November 4, 1974, five year probation terminated by order of court. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, November 20, 1974.

POLLARD, ALLEN. Convicted January 4, 1954, in the Corporation (now Circuit) Court of the City of Lynchburg of second-degree murder and sentenced eight years. Paroled January 3, 1956. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities March 28, 1974.

POWERS, CLIFTON CLAUDE. Convicted December 14, 1942, in the United States District Court of the District of Columbia (now Superior Court) of violation of National Motor Vehicle Theft Act and sentenced eight months to two years - probation. Released from probation on April 8, 1943. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, December 5, 1974.

REAVES, BOBBY MITCHELL. Convicted January 6, 1967, in Bedford County Circuit Court and sentenced five years for statutory burglary and larceny. Sentence suspended on condition he serve six months in jail, make full restitution for goods taken and remain under probation supervision for a period of five years after release from jail; January 12, 1967, in Campbell County Circuit Court, sentenced five years for statutory burglary. Sentence suspended on condition he serve six months in jail, make full restitution upon his release and remain under probation supervision for a period of five years; July 19, 1967, released from confinement and probation was scheduled to expire July 13, 1972; March 5, 1969 in Appomattox County Circuit Court, driving after his privilege to do so had been suspended, fined \$110 and given ten days in jail; and January 26, 1972, released from probation supervision by order of Bedford and Campbell County Circuit Courts. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, May 1, 1974.

ROSS, THOMAS I. Convicted September 17, 1973, in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia of illegal receipt of gratuity by government employee and fined \$250.00. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, October 17, 1974.

SAMUELS, GARLAND LEE. Convicted November 26, 1963, in the Corporation Court (now Circuit) of Danville of third offense petit larceny (two counts) and sentenced to twelve months each charge to run concurrently. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, July 29, 1974.

SAUNDERS, JAMES MONROE. Convicted March 21, 1960, in the Hustings Court, Part II, Richmond (now Circuit Court, Division II) of robbery and sentenced to twenty-five years. Paroled August 6, 1967, and discharged from parole supervision on March 22, 1973. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, November 26, 1974.

SEAY, FRED EUGENE. Convicted June 25, 1958, in Circuit Court of Amherst County of statutory burglary (six counts), imposition of sentence suspended and placed on probation for one year on each count; July 8, 1958, in Hustings Court (now Circuit) of the City of Petersburg of statutory burglary, twelve months jail sentence and fined \$5.00; July 14, 1958, in the Circuit Court of Campbell County of statutory burglary (six counts), sentenced four years each count to run concurrently; September 26, 1958, in the Circuit Court of Chesterfield of statutory burglary (two counts), imposition of sentence suspended upon condition that he pay cost of court and be of good behavior; November 17, 1958, in the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County of breaking and entering, sentenced eighteen months with fifteen months suspended, breaking and entering, sentenced twelve months with nine months suspended upon good behavior and payment of cost of court; and subject was paroled September 8, 1959 and discharged from parole supervision on October 10, 1961. Relying on recommendations from reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities May 24, 1974.

SLOAN, THOMAS BUORFORD. Convicted July 8, 1947 and February 10, 1959, respectively in the United States District Court for the Western District of Virginia, Roanoke of violation of liquor laws; possession of distilling apparatus, respectively and sentenced four months and fined \$100; imprisonment of 12 months, respectively. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities May 24, 1974.

SMITH, RICHARD ASHER. Convicted September, 1972, in the Corporation Court (now Circuit) of the City of Lynchburg of distribution of LSD and sentenced four years - probation. Released from probation supervision on May 7, 1974. Relying on recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities June 12, 1974.

SMITH, RONALD LARRY. Convicted November 29, 1967, in the Hustings Court of Newport News (now Circuit Court) of armed robbery and sentenced eight years - suspended. Placed on supervised probation for ten years. Discharged from supervision on November 12, 1970. Probation terminated on December 2, 1974. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, December 6, 1974.

SPENCER, FRED J. Convicted September, 1965, in the Circuit Court of the City of Martinsville of breaking and entering and grand larceny and sentenced to five years. Paroled February 8, 1967, and discharged from parole supervision on December 16, 1968. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, October 30, 1974.

SPICER, DAVID J. Convicted January 21, 1960, in the Norfolk City Corporation (now Circuit Court) of robbery and sentenced to five years. Paroled January 5, 1961, released January 23, 1963. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release granted removal of political disabilities, February 20, 1974.

STARKE, TOMMIE. Convicted April, 1936 in Brunswick Circuit Court of housebreaking and sentenced to five years. Granted conditional pardon on September 8, 1937. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, August 8, 1974.

STEEDLEY, DUNCAN M. Convicted January, 1969, in the Circuit Court of Virginia Beach of involuntary manslaughter and sentenced to two and one-half years. Paroled September 22, 1969, and discharged from parole supervision March 23, 1971. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, September 12, 1974.

STEVENS, RAYMOND. Convicted September 28, 1970, in the Circuit Court of Buchanan County of grand larceny and sentenced to three years. Paroled April 28, 1971. Discharged from parole supervision on October 28, 1972. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities October 10, 1974.

STOTLER, CARL RANDOLPH. Convicted May 23, 1966, in the Circuit Court of Frederick County of two counts of breaking and entering, sentenced two years on each count to run concurrently; breaking and entering, sentenced one year to run consecutively; unauthorized use of motor vehicle, sentenced one year to run concurrently; and four counts of petit larceny, sentenced six months each count to run concurrently. Total - five years. Paroled on November 23, 1970, and discharged from parole supervision on August 10, 1972. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release granted removal of political disabilities, September 12, 1974.

STOUT, JAMES CLIFTON. Convicted June 12, 1957, in the District Court, 138th Judicial District, Cameron County, Texas of armed robbery and sentenced to five and one-half years. Paroled to Norfolk, Virginia on September 2, 1958, and released from parole supervision of August 7, 1961. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities April 25, 1974.

TAYLOR, JIMMIE CHARLES. Convicted on May 3, 1965, in the Circuit Court of Martinsville of embezzlement and sentenced to three years - suspended, placed on probation for three years. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, January 29, 1974.

THOMAS, PAUL DERRING. Convicted March 3, 1971, in the Circuit Court of Fairfax County of possession of controlled drug and sentenced to one year. Execution of sentence suspended pending good behavior on probation for period of two years. Due to extreme good behavior, subject was released on April 14, 1972. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities July 15, 1974.

TILLMAN, MIGULETO VALDEZ. Convicted December 1, 1965, in the Circuit Court of Norfolk of twelve indictments of forgery, uttering and grand larceny and sentenced to two years on each count. Sentence suspended and placed on probation for three years. Discharged from probation supervision on December 1, 1968. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities October 1, 1974.

TISCHLER, ALLEN LEE. Convicted October 12, 1971, in the Circuit Court of Henrico of burglary, placed under supervision of probation officer with stipulation he receive psychiatric aid. Released from supervision on June 4, 1973. November 3, 1971, in the Hustings Court of Richmond (now Circuit Court) of burglary and statutory burglary, placed on probation. Released from supervision on June 15, 1973. November 28, 1971, in the Circuit Court of Virginia Beach, of grand larceny of auto, sentenced three years - suspended; petty larceny of bicycle, sentenced six months. No probation supervision for either sentence. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his convictions, granted removal of political disabilities November 26, 1974.

WARREN, GEORGE WANDELL, JR. Convicted March 12, 1968, in the Hustings Court of Roanoke (now Circuit Court) of statutory burglary and sentenced to two years - suspended. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, November 8, 1974.

WATSON, JOHN H. Convicted June 3, 1968, and July 8, 1968, respectively, in King William County Circuit Court and Hanover County Circuit Court, respectively of breaking and entering and statutory burglary, respectively, and sentenced to two years - suspended; five years - two years suspended - paroled March 24, 1971, discharged from parole supervision September 25, 1972, respectively. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, April 2, 1974.

WILSON, NATHANIEL. Convicted May 20, 1958, in the Norfolk Corporation Court, Part II of robbery and sentenced to eight years. Paroled August 20, 1962, and discharged from parole supervision on May 13, 1964. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities October 10, 1974.

WITT, LEE DEANOT. Convicted April 27, 1964, in York County Circuit Court of malicious wounding and sentenced to eight years; burglary (two counts) and sentenced to ten years. Total eighteen years. Paroled January 6, 1969. Released from parole supervision on April 27, 1973. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted removal of political disabilities, August 14, 1974.

WOODSON, PHILLIP POWERS. Convicted April 23, 1971, in the Hustings Court (now Circuit) of Richmond, Virginia, of two counts of grand larceny and sentenced five years each count. Sentence was suspended on good behavior and condition that he make restitution in each case within one year. Subject was not under supervision. Relying on recommendations from reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his conviction, granted removal of political disabilities, September 12, 1974.

PARDON
AND
AUTHORIZATION TO RECEIVE, POSSESS
OR TRANSPORT IN COMMERCE A FIREARM

TYREE, MCKINLEY. Convicted January, 1946, in the Circuit Court of Appomattox of voluntary manslaughter and sentenced to three years. Paroled February 24, 1947, and released from parole supervision on October 13, 1948. Relying on the recommendations of reputable citizens who are familiar with this man's conduct since his release, granted pardon and authorization to received, possess or transport a firearm, July 2, 1974.