## October 2003

## RELEASE CONSIDERATION HEARINGS\* TOTAL RATE TOTAL 1,109 Total Releases Granted 545 49.1

TOTAL RELEASE HEARINGS TO DATE	
	TOTAL
Fiscal Year 2004	4,819
Calendar Year 2003	11,383

PAROLE CONSIDERA	TIONS**		
	Considered for Parole	Receiving Parole	Percent Paroled
TOTAL	687	285	41.5
Regular Parole Hearing	480	159	33.1
Central Office Board Review	107	62	57.9
Full Board Open Hearing	16	13	81.3
Shock Parole	2	1	50.0
Post Revocation Hearing	82	50	61.0
Half-Time Review	0	0	0.0
Release Consideration Hrgs	0	0	0.0

TRANSITIONAL CONTROL	TOTAL	RATE
TOTAL	325	56.6
Approved	4	
Approved - Pending Judicial Review	180	
Denied	92	
Rescheduled	49	
PROJECTED RELEASE REVIE	EW .	
TOTAL	97	78.4
Approved	76	

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\*Due to Parole Board Policies, release hearings occur 60 days before release eligibility to allow for placement planning.

\*\* Note that the Parole rate is now calculated in a new manner. Primarily, the projected release decisions are added back into the total consideration hearings. Projected release decisions are not considered a parole or release at the time of the decision. These parole rates should not be compared to those from August 1998 through December 2000.

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Denied

TOTAL	g
COMMUTATIONS	(
Full Hearing - Favorable	1
Full Hearing - Unfavorable	(
Short Form - Unfavorable	4
DEATH ROW	(
Favorable	(
Unfavorable	(
PARDONS	3
Full Hearing - Favorable	
Full Hearing - Unfavorable	1
Short Form - Unfavorable	(
REPRIEVES	(
Favorable	(
Unfavorable	
Clemency Approval Rate:	33.3

VSP FIELD HEARINGS		
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TOTAL		

TOTAL	401
TECHNICAL VIOLATORS	157
Revoked	45
Sanctioned	112
POST RELEASE CONTROL	240
Sanctioned to Prison	166
Other Sanction	74
Dismissed^	4

^Includes hearing dismissals for both Technical Violators and Post Release Control categories.

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PROJECTED RELEASES	
TOTAL	67
Regular Parole Hearing	44
Central Office Board Review	10
Full Board Open Hearing	3
Post Revocation Hearing	10
Half Time Review	0
Release Consideration Hearing	0
CONTINUANCES/DENIALS	
TOTAL	178
Regular Parole Hearing	149
Central Office Board Review	26
Full Board Open Hearing	0
Post Revocation Hearing	3
Shock Parole	0
Half-Time Review	0
Release Consideration Hearing	0
CONTINUED TO MAX	
TOTAL	13
Regular Parole Hearing	4
Central Office Board Review	9
Full Board Open Hearing	0
Post Revocation Hearing	0
Half-Time Review	0
Release Consideration Hearing	0

TOTAL BOARD HEARINGS	
TOTAL	1,550
Regular Parole Hearing	480
Central Office Board Review	107
Full Board Open Hearing	16
Shock Parole	2
Transitional Control	325
Projected Release Review	97
Half-Time Review	
Post Revocation Hearing	82
Release Consideration Hearings	
Clemencies	9
VSP Field Hearings	401
PVR	23
Kellogg Hearing	8
TC to Parole	0

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Release Consideration Hearing	0
RESCHEDULED CASES	
TOTAL	144
Regular Parole Hearing	124
Post Revocation Hearing	19
Shock Parole	1
Half-Time Review	0
Release Consideration Hearing	0

REASONS FOR RESCHEDULE***		
TOTAL	219	
Investigation	97	
Victim Notification	13	
Mental Health Services	65	
Other	44	

<i>ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES</i>	<b>S</b>
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TOTAL	57	
Chair/Designee	42	
Board Votes	15	
QUALITY ASSURANCE		
TOTAL	441	
Total Reviews	441	
VICTIM NOTIFICATION		
TOTAL	186	
CORRESPONDENCE		
TOTAL	187	

**MODIFY HEARINGS** 

1,618
100
126
353
67
163
909

<b>CONFERENCES</b>	
TOTAL	86
Office-Victim	12
Office-Offender Family	19
Telephone-Victim	13
Telephone-Offender Family	42

\*\*\*A Parole Consideration Hearing can be rescheduled for more than one reason. Each reason is included in this table which causes the total number of "Reasons for Reschedule" to be greater than the total number of "Rescheduled Cases" in this report.