Parole Determination Peter Kelly

24 September 2024

Parole Granted

The NSW State Parole Authority has made a parole order for inmate Peter Kelly.

Kelly was convicted of murdering a woman at her home in Tamworth in 2011 and was sentenced to 18 years, with a non-parole period of 13 years and 6 months.

A parole hearing today confirmed Community Corrections and the Serious Offenders Review Council supported his release to supervised parole.

The State does not oppose his release on parole.

The SORC recommended a parole order as appropriate for the protection of the community, noting Kelly has successfully engaged in external leave including work, day, and weekend outings, has completed several vocational courses, been regularly employed while in custody and has not incurred any institutional offences or misconducts.

Community Corrections advised the Authority that Kelly has completed his therapeutic program pathway in custody and is assessed as a low risk of reoffending.

Having considered all the material before it, the Authority determined releasing Kelly on supervised parole with conditions is in the interests of the safety of the community and directed he be released not earlier than 9 October 2024 and not later than 16 October 2024.

He must comply with Standard Conditions 1-11 and additional conditions that he must:

- not contact, communicate with, watch, stalk, harass or intimidate the victim's family.

His parole order expires 9 April 2029, unless the order is revoked.