

Parole Determination Ross William Martin

31 May 2024

Parole Granted

The NSW State Parole Authority has made an order for offender Ross William Martin who will be deported to the United Kingdom on his release from CSNSW custody.

Martin was convicted of maliciously inflicting grievous bodily harm with intent to do so, to his 4-month-old twin daughters in 2008 who suffered significant injuries including permanent, severe intellectual disability. One of the twins passed away in 2021.

He was sentenced to 21 years expiring 14 June 2031 with a non-parole period of 14 years expiring 14 June 2024.

The Authority was advised Martin has limited insight into his offending but was willing to engage in interventions to develop understanding of his offending behaviour.

Community Corrections supported parole, advising he has completed his program pathway.

The Serious Offenders Review Council advised the Authority that a parole order was appropriate, noting Williams is to be removed from Australia and that there was no further purpose in keeping him in custody.

The State did not oppose parole.

Having considered all the material and expert advice the Authority granted parole.

Should Martin return to Australia the parole order will be enforced with the following conditions:

- Standard Conditions of parole 1-11 and
- Additional Conditions he MUST:
 - Not be in the company of a person under the age of 16 years unless accompanied by a responsible adult as determined by your officer. You also must not engage in written or electronic communication (including through social media) with any person under the age of 16, other than with those approved by your Officer.
 - Must comply with all the conditions and requirements of the Child Protection Register
 - Submit to the supervision of Community Corrections in New South Wales, until such time as he has been removed from Australia. If he is released from Immigration detention or returns to Australia before the expiry of his parole order, he must report to Community Corrections in New South Wales within seven days