

Parole Determination

Tony Piscitelli

8 March 2024

Parole Granted

The NSW State Parole Authority (SPA) has made a parole order for Tony Piscitelli who will be subject to Mandatory 24/7 Electronic Monitoring (MEM) while in the community.

Piscitelli was convicted in 2010 of two count counts of aggravated sex assault inflict actual bodily harm, and special aggravated break and enter to commit serious indictable offence – wound, assault act of indecency.

He was sentenced to 16 years 6 months expiring 18/10/2026 with a non-parole period of 11 years and 6 months which expired 18/10/2021.

He has 2 years and 7 months remaining on his sentence.

A public review hearing was held today to consider whether his release on parole is appropriate and the Authority was advised given his lengthy incarceration, Piscitelli requires an extended period of supervision and case management for his reintegration, to mitigate his risk of reoffending.

The Serious Offenders Review Council and Community Corrections support his release to parole at this time, while the State did not oppose it.

A pre-release report stated Piscitelli has completed all offence-targeted programs identified on his program pathway and has no further custodial programs to undertake.

It said he accepts responsibility for his offending, has shown remorse and will continue undertaking sex offender maintenance programs and psychological interventions in the community.

Piscitelli will be released not earlier than 23 March and not later than 29 March 2024 and will reside in supported CSNSW accommodation where he will remain under the ongoing supervision of authorities during a highly structured transition to the community.

As a convicted serious sex offender, he is subject to MEM on parole and must further comply with:

- Standard Conditions of parole 1-11 and
- Additional Conditions he
 - Abstain from alcohol.
 - Not use a prohibited drug or substance, except those that have been prescribed to him.
 - Participate in the following intervention, CSNSW Forensic Psychology Service.
 - Not contact, communicate with, watch, stalk, harass or intimidate the victim's family.
 - Not frequent or visit the Newcastle Local Government area and suburb of Holbrook.

His parole order expires 18/10/2026 unless revoked.