Executive Order

2019-1357
December 9, 2019

Commutation of Sentence

To Whom It May Concern

Whereas, Leif Christian Halvorsen was convicted in Fayette County in 1983 of three counts of murder, three counts of robbery and carrying a concealed weapon:

Now, Therefore, I, Matthew G. Bevin, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, in consideration of the foregoing, and by the virtue of the authority vested in me by Sections 77 of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby commute the two death penalty sentences of Leif Halvorsen to life with the possibility of parole. Leif has a powerful voice that needs to be heard by more people.

Done at the Capitol, in the City of Frankfort, this 9th day of December, in the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Nineteen and in the year of the Commonwealth the Two Hundred Twenty Eighth.

Matthew G. Bevin, Governor
Commonwealth of Kentucky

Alison Lundergan Grimes
Secretary of State