



# Tony Evers

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December 17, 2019

Brendan Ray Dassey  
Attn: Laura H. Nirider  
Center on Wrongful Convictions  
Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law  
357 East Chicago Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60611

Dear Mr. Dassey,

Unfortunately, we are unable to consider your application for pardon because you do not meet one or more of the required eligibility conditions. Specifically, you are currently ineligible because:

- It has not been at least five (5) years since you completed your entire sentence for the conviction you want to be pardoned.
- You are currently required to register as a sex offender under Wis. Stat. § 301.45.

If you are still unclear as to why your application does not qualify or you have further questions, please visit <https://evers.wi.gov/Pages/pardon-information.aspx>.

In addition, the governor is not considering requests for commutation.

Thank you for contacting the Pardon Advisory Board.

Sincerely,

Pardon Advisory Board  
Office of Governor Tony Evers  
P.O. Box 7863, Madison, WI 53707