



# News Memorandum

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FOR: Members of the News Media  
FROM: Suzanne Singletary 601-359-5608  
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RE: Executions of:  
Paul Everette Woodward  
Gerald James Holland

## Media Press Briefing Schedule and MSP Media Center Phone Number for May 19 and May 20 Executions

The Mississippi Department of Corrections (MDOC) Communications Division will hold three press briefings on May 19, 2010, covering the execution of Paul Everette Woodward, and three press briefings on May 20, 2010, for the execution of Gerald James Holland. The MDOC Communications Division will also have a designated telephone line established for **media organizations only** wishing to call the media center and receive updated information.

### Scheduled Press Briefings

Press briefings will take place at the Mississippi State Penitentiary (MSP) Media Center in Parchman, Miss. for news organization members credentialed to cover the executions of Woodward and Holland. The MDOC Communications Division has scheduled press briefings for 2:00 p.m., 4:45 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. on both dates. The briefings will take place at the MSP Media Center.

### Media Only Phone Number

The MDOC Communications Division has established a telephone number for **media organizations only** for the May 19 and May 20 scheduled executions. This telephone number is not for publication to the public and will be operational from 10:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**(662) 745-6148**

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