

# Amistad Law Project

## Criminal Justice Issues and Prisoners' Rights

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**As much as mass incarceration and criminal justice reform have become common terms in American vernacular, one would think we know pretty-much all there is to know about the criminal legal system.** In Episode 5, we dig into an important part of the system Commutation and the Board of Pardons. Hear from Naomi Blount-Wilson, a woman who spent 37 years in Pennsylvanias prison system on a sentence to life without parole. Now shes free and a voice of hope for many. We also hear from Lily Rorick, a leader in the campaign to change the commutation process, about what ordinary people have been doing to Move It Forward.

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