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RE: Robinson, Derail Rynae – CDCR # G08875

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Despite a technical categorization as a “non-violent” offense, the crime of burglary is often just as destructive and disruptive to the victims’ lives as an assault on their person. Indeed, residential burglary IS an assault on their privacy, sense of well-being, and security. Often, victims are forced to move because they or their children cannot sleep at night for fear that their home is no longer a safe haven. For those without the means to just pick up and move, they must simply deal with the insecurity despite its adverse effect on their lives. It is with this in mind that I ask you to deny early release to Derail Robinson.

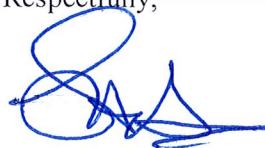
Inmate Robinson has a long history of residential burglary and other crimes. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Robinson [REDACTED] had already accumulated three such convictions when he was sentenced on the instant case. Though he lawfully could have been sentenced to 25 years-to-life for this offense, the People agreed to a 13 year term, trusting that Robinson would serve 80% of his time, and thus protect society for a reasonable period from his predatory actions. The People strongly suggest that the bargain struck not be unraveled with Robinson’s premature release.

Four separate convictions for residential burglary demonstrate that this was not a random occurrence, or a momentary lapse in judgment for Robinson. He is a burglar who steals not only people’s property, but also their peace of mind. Releasing him early will only serve to convince Robinson that society does not take the violation of our citizens’ most private sanctuary seriously. We must insist that he complete the full sentence that he himself agreed to serve. Only then may he begin to understand the consequences of his actions, while allowing the community at large to sleep better in their beds at night.

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Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'SA', with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

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