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RE: Rorrer, Gordon CDC # AV7993

Two days after obtaining a restraining order against Inmate Rorrer for domestic violence, Inmate Rorrer returned to his victim's home, kicked in her back door and forced his way into her residence. Once inside, while she was trying to call 9-1-1, he threw her to the floor, dragged her by the hair and kicked her four or five times in the back. He broke the phone so she could not continue to call for help. That was February 16, 2005.

The following month he committed two residential burglaries. In each of them he stole considerable property, including jewelry. When his victims were contacted by the probation department in preparation for their court report, his female burglary victim reported that she felt violated and compared it to a form of rape. She felt her private space had been invaded. Additionally, the inmate stole from a jewelry collection that had taken her 20 years to amass. His other burglary victim, a male, said his victimization had "stressed him out, causing him to have a heart attack" two weeks before the court report. It is important to remember that residential burglary victims do suffer harm from this serious criminal offense.

Inmate Rorrer was given a break and allowed to plead to only one strike as well as to a misdemeanor domestic violence count. He was sentenced to two years in State Prison in 2005. That was Inmate Rorrer's 4th prison commitment.

While on parole for that offense, and after numerous parole violations, he committed another residential burglary, his second strike, and was committed to state prison in 2007: his 5th prison commitment. While on parole for that residential burglary, and after repeated parole violations, Inmate Rorrer was convicted of receiving stolen property when he was found to be selling property that was stolen in a residential burglary. That was Inmate Rorrer's 6th prison commitment.

In summary, Inmate Rorrer has 8 felony convictions, and he is currently serving his 6th prison commitment. His parole violations through the years are too numerous to count. He has 2 prior strikes and has additionally been convicted of domestic violence. The People request that he be denied early release. He should not be at liberty to commit his 7th prison term until he has fully served his 6th.

Respectfully submitted,

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