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Non Violent Parole Review Process
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Re: Johnson, Arlee CDC # AH4407 Court Docket: 10F03777

Inmate Johnson is a well-established felon and should not be paroled. The circumstances surrounding his current convictions and his prior criminal record show that he poses an unreasonable risk to reoffend to the community.

The circumstances involving the inmate's current commitment involves a series of residential burglaries committed while the victims (all female, and half of whom were elderly) were either in or around the yards of their homes. Inmate Johnson committed these burglaries with a codefendant who the evidence showed the inmate had a drug connection to. A large amount of valuables that had sentimental value to the victims were taken from them and each of the victims expressed a feeling of being unsafe in their homes and feelings of being violated by the conduct of the inmate and his codefendant, as each of the women were at home while the crimes were committed.

During the course of the investigation it was determined that Inmate Johnson had suffered a prior conviction for PC 459, Residential burglary, in 1997. Inmate Johnson was sentenced to a 2 year state prison commitment for this earlier offense. Despite this earlier offense and resulting commitment to state prison, the inmate did not stop his criminal behavior and in fact resumed committing the exact same type of crimes in this case.

In the current commitment offense, Inmate Johnson ultimately pled to 2 counts of PC 459 for the middle term of 4 years + 1/3 MT of 1 year, 4 months on the second count to be run consecutive. Both of those terms were doubled as a result of the inmate's admission of a prior strike and then 5 years was added to the sentence by his admission to a five year prior pursuant to PC 667(a). The total aggregate sentence was 15 years, 8 months in prison.

As we are given 30 days to respond, and we are not provided with any disciplinary history or any other information aside from the one page notice of parole review, I cannot comment on inmate Johnson's prison conduct. However, from the record that is available it is clear that inmate Johnson should not be released as he poses a significant, unreasonable risk that he will reoffend to the community. Parole should be denied.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Casey Sinclair', with a stylized, cursive script.

Casey Sinclair

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