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Attn: Non-Violent Second Striker Board of Parole Hearings Correspondence NVSS P.O. Box 4036 Sacramento, CA 95812-4036

RE: Davis, Elgin, Ford, Jr.

CDCR #: AV4114

COURT CASE #: CRF134804

Dear Board of Parole Hearings,

Thank you for the opportunity to address the Board regarding the administrative review of inmate, and his suitability for early release. Based upon his criminal history and the facts of his recent cases, Inmate poses an unreasonable risk to public safety and should be not considered for early release.

The facts of case 13-4804 are as follows:

On November 21, 2013, Yolo County Narcotics Enforcement Team (YONET) agents served a warrant on the home of Inmate Davis. In his bedroom, items relating to the sale of marijuana were located including: 25 individually packaged containers containing a combined total of 503 net weight of marijuana; packaging material; and digital scales.

Despite the fact that Inmate Davis was a convicted felon at the time, he was also in possession of the following: a .22 caliber revolver loaded with 6 rounds of live ammunition; a Ruger 10/22 rifled loaded with 5 .22 caliber rounds; two live shotgun rounds; a rifle scope; and assorted boxes of .22 caliber ammunition. Further investigation determined that the revolver had been stolen in the course of a residential burglary less than a month prior to being found in Inmate's possession.

Inmate admitted that he was selling marijuana. He also admitted smoking methamphetamine the prior day. Inmate also admitted to illegally purchasing the rifle for \$100. He admitted that he knew the rifle was loaded. Inmate admitted he knew the revolver was loaded as well.

Inmate pled to two counts of being a felony in possession of a firearm and admitted an enhancement that he had a prior strike conviction. He was sentenced to 5 years, 4 months in prison.

In 2002, Inmate was convicted of a felony violation of battery with serious bodily injury. Inmate attacked the victim with a flashlight causing serious bodily injury.

In 2007, Inmate was convicted of a felony violation of assault by means likely to produce great bodily injury and a misdemeanor violation of possession of a prohibited weapon. Inmate hit the victim in the head with a wooden club and attempted to cut the victim with a knife. Inmate admitted hitting the victim in the head two times with the club.

Inmate has multiple prior convictions, many of which involve weapons or violence, dating back to 1973. He has convictions for criminal threats, domestic violence, assault, and fighting. Inmate has spent nearly all of his adult life on probation or parole. Inmate's last two probation terms have been far from successful as he had multiple violations. Inmate has done nothing in the past 43 years that suggests he can be a law-abiding citizen. Rather he continually demonstrates that he a risk to public safety.

Inmate poses a clear and unreasonable risk to public safety. He has shown a willingness to threaten violence against any who do not immediately go along with his crimes. The supervision of parole has done nothing to stop his criminal behavior. Rather, he continues to commit crimes, possess and use weapons, and threaten violence against innocent people for someone merely not wanting to go with him to a secondary location. To call inmate a "Non-Violent Second Striker" is to ignore his actions and his criminal history. For all these reasons, inmate does not warrant early release.

Thank you for your time in considering this matter.

Sincerely,

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