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Attn: Non-Violent Parole Review Process
Board of Parole Hearings
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RE: Eric Moss, AV0220

Dear Board of Parole Hearings,

Thank you for the opportunity to address the Board regarding the administrative review of inmate Eric Moss, and his suitability for early release. Based upon his criminal history and the facts of his recent cases, Inmate Moss poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community and should not be granted parole.

Current Yolo County Case #15-6086

Inmate Moss pled no contest to one count of sales of a controlled substance to an undercover officer. The officers were conducting enforcement in an area wherein prostitution and drug sales are common. After making contact with Inmate Moss about purchasing drugs, the inmate sought out his two co-defendants where he obtained a small amount of methamphetamine to sell to the officer. The undercover officer asked to purchase more and Inmate Moss sold him a small amount of methamphetamine a second time. Inmate Moss admitted a prior strike conviction and a prior prison commitment for a total term of 5 years.

Inmate Moss's Criminal History

Inmate Moss's criminal history includes three felonies and six misdemeanor convictions. Of greatest concern is Inmate Moss's most recent felony conviction was for the strike offense, assault with a deadly weapon. Inmate Moss was on parole at the time of this present offense.

Inmate Moss's misdemeanor includes a number of crimes involving violence, threats of violence or possession of weapons. Beginning in 1981, inmate Moss was convicted of a misdemeanor firearm possession charge. Then in 1996 he was convicted of a possession

of a prohibited weapon. In 2006, Inmate Moss was convicted of criminal threats as a misdemeanor followed by a violation of a court order in 2009. Inmate Moss continued racking up weapons related offenses by being convicted of brandishing a weapon in 2012.

Probation/Parole Performance

Inmate Moss's performance on parole and probation has been poor. His criminal history demonstrates that he is a risk to community. The majority of his convictions occurred while on either probation or parole demonstrating his inability to comply with the law.

Conclusion

We do not have access to Inmate Moss's central file so I can not comment on his institutional behavior during his current commitment. Absent a clear and sustained period of rehabilitation, Inmate Moss poses an unreasonable risk of violence if released.

Thank you for your time in considering our opposition to his parole. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,



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Re: Moss/CDC # AV0220