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Attn: Non-Violent Parole Review Process
Board of Parole Hearings
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RE: Brian North, BA8502

Dear Board of Parole Hearings,

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

Current Yolo County Case #15-6086

Inmate North plead 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 contacting his co-defendants, Inmate North and a third defendant provided a small amount of methamphetamine that was then sold to the officer. The undercover officer asked to purchase more and Inmate North provided a small amount of methamphetamine to his co-defendant who then sold drugs to the officer a second time. Inmate North admitted a prior strike conviction and a prior prison commitment for a total term of 5 years.

Inmate North's Criminal History

Inmate North's criminal history includes two felonies and three misdemeanor convictions. Of greatest concern is Inmate North's most recent felony conviction for the strike offense of robbery. In exchange for a plea, an enhancement for inflicting great bodily injury dismissed. Inmate North was sentenced to prison for the mid-term of three years. Inmate North's criminal history also includes two arrests for violent related offense; an assault with a deadly weapon in 1999 and domestic violence in 2013.

In the robbery case, the victim had almost \$3000 on him. Inmate North was aware that the victim was carrying a large amount of cash. The victim was walking with the inmate and another individual when he was punched in the face by the inmate. Due to the punch he fell over a bike he was walking with and broke his finger. The inmate took the victim's money, cell phone and wallet. The victim was dazed by the blow which caused four fractures in his face and nerve damage in his nose.

Probation/Parole Performance

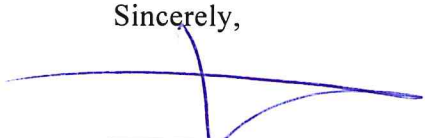
Inmate North's performed poorly while on parole for his robbery conviction. He had at least two parole violations, one of which may have been related to an arrest for domestic violence.

Conclusion

We do not have access to Inmate North'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 North should not be released as he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the public.

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: North/CDC #BA8502