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<p>Anthony Grayson Aguilar</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 14-78584 SCUK CRCR 13-75022</p>	<p>10/23/2015</p>	<p>PC § 1320.5 Bail Jumping</p> <p>VC § 2800.2 Recklessly Evading Peace Officer in Motor Vehicle</p> <p>H&S Code § 11378 [Lake Co. Superior Court] Meth: Possession for Sale</p> <p>H&S Code § 11378 [Yolo Co. Superior Court] Meth: Possession for Sale</p>		<p>80 mos.</p>	<p>07/03/2017</p>	<p>09/20/2017: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: When considering the finding on each of case factors for Anthony Aguilar, AY2292, both aggravating and mitigating, they do tend to show that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of reasons: <u>CURRENT COMMITMENT OFFENSE:</u> Mr. Aguilar's offenses are: 2 counts of Health and Safety Code (HS) §11378 – Possession of C/S for Sale (1/22/14); Vehicle Code (VC) §2800.2(a) – Evade/Attempt to Evade Peace Officer/Reckless Driving (11/1/13; and Penal Code (PC) §1320.5 – Failure to Appear (2/26/14), for which Mr. Aguilar was sentenced to a total term of 8 years and 4 months.</p> <p>On 11/1/13, Mr. Aguilar fled after a traffic stop at speeds of up to 100 MPH on a roadway where the posted speed was 35 MPH. During the chase, he once travelled in the opposite lane.</p> <p>In aggravation, Mr. Aguilar's reckless driving rose to the level of a threat of violence; and he was sentenced to two or more felonies as part of the crimes leading to the current prison term. In mitigation, no weapon was used in this offense; and there was no physical injury to any victim. On balance this offense is aggravating because Mr. Aguilar's behavior rose to the level of a threat of violence to the public.</p> <p>On 1/22/14, police observed a vehicle in which Mr. Aguilar</p>

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						<p>commitment offenses in 2015. The prior criminal record includes convictions of: HS §11378 – Possession of C/S for Sale (2003); and 2 counts of HS §11377 – Possession of C/S (2007 & 2008). In aggravation, Mr. Aguilar has been convicted of 3 or more felonies; Mr. Aguilar was not free from incarceration for 5 years prior to the commitment offenses, in that he was jailed in March 2013, and the first of the commitment offenses occurred in November 2013; and the prior felony convictions show a pattern of similar repetitive criminal conduct in that the record includes 3 drug related crimes. There are no mitigating factors.</p> <p>On balance the prior criminal record is an aggravating factor because of the repetitive criminal conduct, and Mr. Aguilar was not free from incarceration for a period of five years prior to committing the current offenses.</p> <p><u>INSTITUTIONAL ADJUSTMENT:</u> Mr. Aguilar has been incarcerated on the commitment offenses since 11/2/15, a period of approximately 2 years. During incarceration he suffered the following serious rules violations: 11/6/15 – possession of inmate manufactured alcohol; and 12/20/15 – delaying peace officer. Mr. Aguilar’s file includes the following reliable confidential memos: 9/4/16 and 7/24/17, and both memos refer to his drug issues. Mr. Aguilar has participated in substance abuse, criminal thinking and anger management groups, education classes, and he has worked as a porter. Despite his positive programming, on balance the institutional record shows non-compliance with institutional rules and is an aggravating factor.</p> <p><u>RESPONSE TO LEGAL NOTICE:</u> In response to Legal Notices Mr. Aguilar provided a letter dated 7/1/17.</p>

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						<p>SUMMARY: On balance, all factors are aggravating factor. Mr. Aguilar engaged in behavior which rose to a threat of violence in the commitment offense; the prior record shows repetitive criminal conduct; and the institutional adjustment show violations of rules. As a result, Mr. Aguilar is denied release at this time.</p> <p><i>Daniel Moeller</i></p>
<p>Crystal Sue Aikens</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 15-81859</p>	<p>09/17/2015</p>	<p>PC § 459/460(a) Residential Burglary Restitution Owning: \$600</p> <p>PC § 496(a) Receiving Stolen Property > \$950</p>	<p>This defendant is a recidivist who steals from those around her when not incarcerated. She suffered a prior Strike conviction for residential burglary, a separate conviction for felony grand theft, and a separate conviction for receiving stolen property in 2007 – all in the Sonoma County Superior Court. In 2008 she was further convicted of felony burglary in the second degree and felony forgery, also in the Sonoma County Superior Court. In 2011 she was convicted in the Yolo County Superior Court of felony possession of methamphetamine. She had served two prison terms prior to this case.</p>	<p>64 mos.</p>	<p>07/05/2017</p>	<p>08/09/2017: Expedited Release GRANTED.</p> <p>Decision based on reasons state below:</p> <p>Inmate Crystal Aikens (WF3791) is being reviewed for early release pursuant to Proposition 57. The issue is whether she would pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community if released at this time. After balancing the four relevant case factors, aggravating and mitigating, they tend to show the inmate does not currently represent an unreasonable risk of violence.</p> <p><u>FACTOR 1 – COMMITMENT OFFENSES</u></p> <p>The inmate is currently serving a 5-year, 4-month prison term for PC 459/460(a), Burglary 1st (offense date 06/10/15) and PC 496(a) Receiving Stolen Property (RSP) (offense date 04/26/15). According to the statements in the POR, the burglary appears to have involved the inmate taking personal property belonging to the victim (birth certificate, bank statements, receipts, checks and a bank card) when she packed up and [then] left the motel they were staying in. The RSP charged involved her attempting to sell stolen tools. The one aggravating factor applicable to both crimes is that the inmate was sentenced to prison for two or more felonies. Mitigating circumstances include</p>

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						<p>(1) no weapon was used in either offense; (2) there was no violence or threat of violence in the offenses; (3) the offenses did not involve physical injury to any victim; (4) the inmate was using drugs at the time; and (5) the crimes were limited to property theft.</p> <p>Neither of the commitment offenses involved violence or injury. On balance, they are a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>FACTOR 2 – PRIOR CRIMINAL RECORD</u></p> <p>The inmate’s criminal record of felony convictions began in 2007 with a PC 487(a) Grand Theft conviction. The inmate’s other prior felony convictions include PC 459 Burglary 1st (2008); Burglary 1st (2008); PC 470a [Forged] Driver’s License (stayed) (2008); PC 496(a) RSP (2008); HS 11377(a) Possession of CS (2012); and PC 459 Burglary 2nd (2008). Aggravating circumstances related to the inmate’s prior record include (1) she has been convicted of 3 or more prior felonies; (2) she was not free from incarceration for at least 5 years prior to committing the current offenses (last released from custody was 04/06/14; RSP offense occurred 04/26/15); and (3) her prior felonies show a pattern of similar repetitive criminal conduct (property theft). Mitigating circumstances include (1) the inmate’s prior felony convictions are limited to property and drug offenses; and (2) she has no known prior juvenile criminal record.</p> <p>The inmate’s prior felony convictions, although fairly numerous, do not reflect a propensity for physical violence and the majority of the convictions were in 2008 – almost 10 years ago. On balance, the inmate’s prior criminal record is considered a mitigation factor.</p>

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						<p><u>FACTOR 3 – INSTITUTIONAL BEHAVIOR/PROGRAMMING</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the CDCR on the present term on 12/23/15 and has been in prison for approximately one year and eight months. There are no negative circumstances associated with the inmate's incarceration on the current term. Positive circumstances include (1) other than a February 2017 CDCR-128A counseling chrono for being absent from work, the inmate has remained disciplinary free during her current incarceration; (2) she has attended adult educational classes; (3) completed a Vocational Computer Literacy course; and (4) participated in the Narcotics Anonymous program. Accordingly, the inmate's overall institutional adjustment is a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>FACTOR 4 – RESPONSES TO LEGAL NOTICES</u></p> <p>No response to the Legal Notices was received.</p> <p>SUMMARY:</p> <p>The inmate's current commitment offenses did not involve violence on her part; her prior criminal history does not reflect a pattern of violence; and she has performed reasonably well while in prison on the current term. Based on these positive aspects of her case, all of the relevant case factors have been deemed factors in mitigation. As such, the inmate is not considered an unreasonable risk of violence to the community at this time and her release is approved.</p> <p><i>Keith Stanton</i></p>

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<p style="text-align: center;">David Matthew Andrews</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 14-75785 SCUK CRCR 10-15344 SCUK CRCR 10-10659</p>	<p>05/27/2014</p>	<p>PC § 459/460(b) x 4 Commercial Burglary Restitution Owing: \$2,368.88</p> <p>PC § 12021(a) Felon Possessing Firearm</p> <p>PC § 459/460(a) Residential Burglary</p>	<p>This defendant is a recidivist. He has two prior felony convictions for the same primary offense – commercial burglary. He was not rehabilitated despite serving a term on parole following a prior prison commitment.</p>	<p>132 mos.</p>	<p>07/05/2017</p>	<p>08/16/2017: Expedited Release GRANTED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: When considering together the findings on each of the four factors of Mr. Andrews’ case, both aggravating and mitigating, they show he does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is approved.</p> <p><u>Commitment Offense(s):</u></p> <p>Mr. Andrews’ current commitment offenses are a mitigating factor in this case.</p> <p>On 5/27/14, Mr. Andrews was sentenced to 10 years for the following 8 felonies arising from multiple cases.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 4 counts of Burglary 2nd PC 459 ▪ Burglary 1st PC 459 ▪ 2 counts of Possession of Controlled Substance HS 11377(a) ▪ POSS F/A EX-FEL PC 12021(a)(1) <p>In the first case on 11/3/10, Mr. Andrews will [sic] was arrested depending on parole search where law enforcement found methamphetamine, marijuana, a digital scale, burglary tools, disguises and 2 firearms. It was later determined the stolen firearms were from a first-degree burglary committed by Mr. Andrews. He was sentenced to probation and ordered to participate in drug court.</p> <p>Subsequently on 1/25/14, after receiving information regarding Mr. Andrews’ efforts to sell stolen items online, the product of multiple burglaries, law-enforcement using</p>

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						<p>a confidential informant set up a buy rendezvous. Per the arrest [sic] Mr. Andrews was in possession of multiple stolen items including three laptop computers, stolen credit cards/ID cards, multiple personal documents, stage monitors, collectible coins, stolen checks, burglary tools and 7 g of methamphetamine. The stolen items were identified by a variety of victims from multiple burglaries.</p> <p>The aggravating circumstances are Mr. Andrews was convicted of multiple felonies, and he was on parole when he committed the first crime in 2010.</p> <p>The mitigating circumstances are there were no injury to the victims, no weapons was [sic] used and there is no indication of a threat of violence during any of the aforementioned felonies. In addition, all but one offenses possession of a firearm in 2010 are property and drug crimes. In conclusion, the multiple mitigating circumstances outweigh the aggravating circumstances in finding that the current commitment offenses are a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>Prior Criminal History:</u></p> <p>Mr. Andrews' felony criminal record began in 2005, concluding with the current commitment offenses in 2014. Mr. Andrew's 9 year criminal history is a mitigating factor in this case.</p> <p>Mr. Andrews' criminal history consists of 3 felony convictions. He has 2 convictions for Burglary 2nd PC 459 in 2005 and 2007. In 213 he was sentenced to two days in the county jail for Possession of Controlled Substance for Sale HS 11378.</p> <p>The aggravating circumstances are he has 3 or more felony</p>

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						<p>convictions. He was not free from incarceration for more than 5 years before the commitment offense, as he was released to parole on 3/25/10, and returned to CDCR on 6/5/14.</p> <p>Circumstances in mitigation are the offenses are for property crimes notwithstanding the two days he spent in jail for possession for sales, and he has no known juvenile record. Mr. Andrews minimal time in the free community here eight months before he began his burglary spree that led to his current incarceration, is concerning. However there is no indication of violence which supports the conclusion his prior criminal history is a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>Institutional Adjustment:</u></p> <p>Mr. Andrews has been incarcerated for the commitment offense [sic] since 6/5/14, a period of approximately 38 months. Mr. Andrews' institutional record since his most recent incarceration in CDCR does show compliance with institutional rules and programming. To his credit he has been active since the beginning of his term. He currently participates in AA/NA, vocational welding and multiple modules of rehabilitative programming including cage rage, criminal gangs anonymous, parenting and completion of houses of healing. In addition he is making efforts to advance educationally by participating in college correspondence courses. This author notes two 128-As in 2015 and 2016 for avoiding work. However, the absence of any 115s couple with his participation in a plethora of positive programming, [sic] supports the conclusion that his institutional adjustment is a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>Legal Notices:</u></p> <p>There were no responses to Legal Notices.</p>

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						<p>Conclusion: When considering each of the aforementioned four criteria, noting the multiple the [sic] mitigating factors, and the absence of any aggravating factors, it is concluded Mr. Andrews does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community.</p> <p>Mr. Andrews' criminal history, including the current commitment offenses consists of primarily property crimes and drugs with no indication of violence. This factor weighs heavily in concluding he does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community.</p> <p><i>Karen Fleming</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Gilbert Benavidez</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 15-84153</p>	<p>09/21/2017</p>	<p>PC § 30305(a)(1) Prohibited Person in Possession of Ammunition</p>		<p>8 mos.</p>	<p>11/01/2018</p>	<p>12/13/2018: Expedited Release GRANTED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate Gilbert Benavidez's (AZ7792) four case factors, the inmate does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is approved.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 10 years, 4 months, on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. HS 11379(a), Transportation for Sale of a Controlled Substance, (Controlling Offense/Principal Term).

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						<p>2. CVC 2800.2(a), Evading, (Consecutive). 3. PC 30305(a)(1), Prohibited Person in Possession of Ammunition, (Consecutive).</p> <p>Sentence: On 4/1/2016, Inmate was sentenced in Sonoma County, as follows: The mid-term of 3 years on the HS 11379(a); plus, one-third-the-midterm of 8 months on the CVC 2800.2(a); plus, two full-term 3-year HS 11370.2(c) prior conviction enhancements, all consecutive, for a total term of 9 years, 8 months. On 9/21/2017, Inmate was re-sentenced in Mendocino County to the above 9 year, 8 month term; plus, a consecutive one-third the midterm of 8 months on the PC 30305(a)(1) offense, for a total aggregate term of 10 years, 4 months.</p> <p>Facts: On the night of 12/5/2015, police initiated a traffic stop of a vehicle which Inmate was driving. Inmate initially pulled over, but then fled the scene. A vehicle pursuit ensued, involving multiple patrol units, over a total distance of about 8 miles. Inmate drove recklessly at speeds in excess of 90 mph, tossing items out of the vehicle throughout the pursuit. Inmate eventually stopped and was arrested. Police recovered the items Inmate had tossed from the vehicle. In addition, further items were seized from Inmate's person and from inside his vehicle. Total contraband seized included over \$23,000 in cash, over 3 pounds of marijuana, about 3 pounds of methamphetamine, a digital scale and four cell phones.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstances in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case: 1. There were one or more victims who suffered a threat of physical injury. Inmate's conduct of driving recklessly at</p>

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						<p>Vocational Programming - None indicated. Work Assignments - Inmate was a Dining Room Worker. Self-help and Rehabilitative Programming - Inmate has participated in Self-help programming. He is currently assigned to Family Relationships and How it Works (Substance Abuse Recovery Support Group). He has completed Criminal Thinking; Anger Management; and, Substance Abuse Program; having earned milestone completion credits for each program. Inmate participated in GOGI and in CGA. Inmate is a participant in the MHSDS at the CCCMS level of care.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. Inmate has been discipline-free in the current commitment term. 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. 3. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time. Inmate has satisfactorily participated in educational or work assignments for a significant portion of his current commitment term. 4. The inmate has successfully participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior, such as substance abuse, anger management, or gang involvement, for a sustained period of time. Although Inmate's programming began in 2018, he has consistently applied himself, focused on relevant programming, and made significant strides toward rehabilitation.

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						<p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence: There are no applicable aggravating circumstances.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence because Inmate has remained discipline-free throughout his current commitment term. He has remained productive with educational or Work assignments. He has intensively participated in self-help programming through much of this last year. Inmate has made efforts to rehabilitate and has demonstrated positive institutional behavior.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from family members and personal and family friends, all dated from November 2018. Also, letter from Inmate, Gilbert Benavidez, with attached Parole Plan and Relapse Prevention Plan, dated 11/26/2018, all of which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in opposition to release from the Sonoma County District Attorney's Office, dated 11/16/2018, which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the Inmate's age (49 years old), the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p>

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						<p>The Current Commitment Offense is an aggravating case factor. However, it alone does not outweigh the mitigating case factors of Prior Criminal Record and Institutional Adjustment. Inmate's criminal history and controlling commitment offense indicate Inmate's consistent and lengthy involvement in illegally possessing and selling controlled substances. But it does not indicate inherently violent criminal conduct of a nature that causes violent physical injury to others. Inmate's Institutional Adjustment over the last 2 1/2 years demonstrates his successful effort to make positive rehabilitative change. It is significant that Inmate has remained discipline-free in the current commitment term. Thus, the relevant factors assessed under the above criteria tend to show that the Inmate does not pose a current unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is approved for release.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Gary Shinaver</i></p>
<p>Markeese Mondale Brantley</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 17-89909</p>	<p>09/14/2017</p>	<p>PC § 273.5(a) Corporal Injury to a Spouse</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p>		<p>48 mos.</p>	<p>04/04/2019</p>	<p>05/30/2019: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision for Brantley, Markeese, AW8132: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a current, unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a</p>

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						<p>total term of 7 years on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are</p> <p>(1) PC 273.5(a) – Corporal injury to a spouse for which the inmate received a term of 4 years, (doubled as a second strike).</p> <p>(2) PC 4573.6 – Possession of drugs in prison for which the inmate received a term of 3 years, consecutive to the other charge.</p> <p>On November 2, 2015, while incarcerated in CDCR on his prior term, Mr. Brantley submitted to a random unclothed body search. As he bent forward at the waist, a small bindle containing .2 grams of marijuana fell from his anus. The Lassen County District Attorney's Office filed the felony charge of PC 4573.6 prior to Mr. Brantley paroling on August 28, 2016.</p> <p>He committed the offense of corporal injury to a spouse nine months later while on active parole. That crime occurred on May 2, 2017, when Mr. Brantley got into an argument with his girlfriend. She threatened to call his parole officer, and Mr. Brantley grabbed her by the throat and began choking her. He said he would kill her before he would go back to prison. She had her cell phone in her hand and Mr. Brantley bit her on the wrist, causing it to bleed, and took her cell phone from her. The victim complained of pain to her neck, left wrist, and right bicep.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstances in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <p>1. There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. The victim suffered injuries to her wrist, neck, and arm. The inmate caused a bleeding injury while trying to take her cell phone out of her hand. He also choked her, leaving marks on her neck,</p>

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						<p>and stated that he would kill her before he would go back to prison. Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2013 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2017. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: 2013 PC 182/211 – Conspiracy to commit robbery 2015 PC 236 - False Imprisonment with violence</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: 1.The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: 1.The inmate's prior criminal convictions coupled with his current convictions show a pattern of assaultive behavior that is increasing in severity. The inmate has two prior offenses involving assaultive behavior. In 2013, the inmate was the actual shooter in an armed robbery despite being allowed to plead to conspiracy to commit robbery. The current crime demonstrates a continuation of his violent and assaultive behavior when he attacked his girlfriend to keep her from contacting his parole agent. 2.The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current convictions. The inmate paroled from state prison on August 28, 2016 and</p>

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						<p>he was convicted of the current offense on July 18, 2017, a period of time less than 5 years.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate was out of custody for only 9 months before committing the current offense involving injury to the victim. The inmate's inability to remain free from incarceration for this period of time is indicative of a current risk of violence. This circumstance is more probative of a current risk of violence because it is more recent in time, therefore outweighing the mitigating circumstance of the inmate's lack of a violent felony conviction as defined by PC667.5(c) within the last 15 years.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since October 5, 2017, a period of approximately 19 months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: WORK HISTORY: None VOCATIONAL TRAINING: None EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS: Voluntary e-learning and Alcoholics Anonymous SERIOUS RULES VIOLATIONS: None CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION: None The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional</p>

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						<p>behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.The inmate has no participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments. The inmate has not held a work assignment while incarcerated. He has not participated in vocational training and his educational programming is limited to one month of e-learning. 2.The inmate has no participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior. The inmate has not participated in any programs to address his violence potential. His programming is limited to 3 hours of AA meetings. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate has not participated in any meaningful rehabilitative programs while incarcerated. While he is commended for remaining discipline free, he has failed to take advantage of the opportunities available to him that will assist in his transition to the community. He has not</p>

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						<p>furthered his education, or developed any employment skills, or participated in any programming to address his violence potential and the underlying reasons for his criminal behavior. One of his current commitment offenses is possession of marijuana of prison; yet, his work in the area of substance abuse treatment is too minor to merit any consideration.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from Markeese Brantley, letter dated March 29, 2019, and Lisa Green, letter dated April 17, 2019 which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>There are no mitigating factors to consider in this review. The inmate's criminal history contains violent and assaultive behavior. He committed another assaultive crime less than one year after his last release from prison. While incarcerated, he has done nothing to prepare himself to be a contributing member of the community. The inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Kathleen Newman</i></p>

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<p>Christopher Ryan Brockway</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-88012 SCUK CRCR 17-89125</p>	<p>03/21/2017</p>	<p>PC § 30305(a)(1) Prohibited Person in Possession of Ammunition</p> <p>PC § 594(b)(1) Vandalism with Damages over \$400</p> <p>PC § 667.5(b) X 2 Prior Prison Conviction</p>		<p>48 mos.</p>	<p>02/16/2018</p>	<p>03/29/2018: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: When considering together the findings on each of inmate Christopher Brockway's (BC6592), four case factors, the inmate poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1- Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 48 months on the current commitment offenses. The offenses are PC 594(b), Vandalism; PC 30305, Possession of Ammunition by a Felon.</p> <p>On 10/29/2016, in the morning hours, the Mendocino County Sheriff's Deputies were called to a Christian camp regarding a trespasser in the chapel. When they arrived, they found the inmate in the chapel swinging a long metal object breaking property, and attempting to break a large window. They ordered him to drop the object, lie on the floor and place his hands behind his back. He complied and was arrested without incident. On 2/5/2017, the Mendocino Sheriff went to serve a no bail warrant on the inmate for the crime he committed on 10/29/2016. When they located him, he had a rifle shell and a pistol shell in his pocket. He was arrested on the warrant and the new charge of possession of ammo by a felon.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating</p>

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						<p>and mitigating circumstances in both of the current crimes, there are no aggravating circumstances and the following mitigating circumstances make this a mitigating factor in the case:</p> <p>(1)The inmate did not personally use a deadly weapon. (2)No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury Therefore, the current crimes are found to be a mitigating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2- Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate’s prior criminal history began in 2009 and continued until the commitment offense in 2017. The inmate’s prior criminal record is a factor that aggravates the inmate’s current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: 12/9/2008, 2 counts of Assault in the Second Degree; 12/9/2008, Unauthorized Control of a Propelled Vehicle; 12/9/2008, Theft in the second degree; 10/2/2009, Unauthorized Control of a Propelled Vehicle; 10/26/2009, Attempted Unauthorized Control of a Propelled Vehicle; 6/22/2015 VC 2800.2(a) Felony Evading.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate’s prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate’s current risk of violence is that the inmate was incarcerated for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim or a felony conviction within five years prior to his current conviction.</p> <p>The circumstance of the inmate’s prior criminal record that mitigates the inmate’s current risk of violence is that the inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show</p>

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						<p>that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence because the fact that he was convicted of the commitment offense within a year of his parole from his last offense is given greater weight than the fact that he has not committed a violent felony in the last 15 years.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3- Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate has been incarcerated at CDCR on the current commitment offense since 3/30/2017, a period of approximately 1 year.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <p>The inmate has been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison.</p> <p>The inmate has limited or no participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments.</p> <p>Since 9/6/2017, he has worked continuously in the kitchen as a scullery worker, a main kitchen worker, a dining room cook and a dining room server. It cannot be said that he has participated for a sustained period of time in vocational, educational or work assignments.</p> <p>The inmate has limited or no participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior.</p> <p>The following circumstance of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4- Response to Legal Notices</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from Inmate Brockway in an undated letter, and</p>

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						<p>one from Aurora Allen dated 3/1/2018, supporting release which were reviewed and considered in this decision. There was a response to the Legal Notices in opposition to release from the Mendocino County District Attorney's Office dated 3/16/2018, opposing release which was reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence, his prior criminal history, and his institutional adjustment outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence, his commitment offense.</p> <p>Although his commitment offense is mitigating because he did not use a weapon and no one was injured, and there was no threat of injury, the other two factors are aggravating. The prior criminal history is aggravating because he was convicted of the commitment offense within a year of his release his prior crime. His institutional adjustment is aggravating because he received a RVR involving violence as well as his lack of programming to address the issues that brought him to prison. Overall, the inmate does pose an unreasonable risk of violence in the community. The inmate is denied release.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Stephen Klink</i></p>

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<p>Christopher Buenrostro</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-85077 SCUK CRCR 16-85570 SCUK CRCR 16-85980</p>	<p>07/14/2016</p>	<p>VC § 2800.2(a) Reckless Evading</p> <p>H&S § 11379(a) [Methamphetamine] Transportation for Sale</p> <p>VC § 2800.2(a) Reckless Evading</p> <p>H&S § 11378 [Methamphetamine] Possession for Sale</p>	<p>This defendant is a drug dealer, who further endangers the motoring public and our peace officers by fleeing and recklessly evading police officers in his vehicle when the police try to arrest him.</p>	<p>68 mos.</p>	<p>08/24/2017</p>	<p>10/06/2017: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Inmate Christopher Buenrostro (BA5348) is being reviewed for early release pursuant to Proposition 57. The issue is whether he represents an unreasonable risk of violence to the community if released from prison at this time. The relevant mitigating and aggravating factors were considered and tend to show the inmate does currently pose an unreasonable risk of violence.</p> <p>REASONS:</p> <p><u>FACTOR 1: CURRENT COMMITMENT OFFENSES:</u></p> <p>The inmate is currently serving a 5-year, 8-month prison term for two counts of V2800.2(a) Evading a Peace Officer (offense dates of 02/25/16 and 04/23/16); H11379 Transporting/Import a Controlled Substance (CS) (also on 04/23/16); and H11378 Possession of CS (occurring 04/18/16). In the 04/23/16 crimes, the inmate fled from police in a vehicle, reaching speeds in excess of 100 mph, and was in possession of approximately 242 doses of methamphetamine. In the 04/18/16 possession crime, on 04/16/16, an officer observed the inmate driving with a suspended driver's license. The inmate stopped the vehicle upon seeing the officer and took off running. The officer subsequently located several baggies containing meth and digital scales in his vehicle and the inmate was arrested two days later. In the 02/25/16 offense, the inmate was driving a pick-up truck with passengers and fled from police during a traffic enforcement stop. He reached speeds in excess of 90 mph in a 30 mph zone, ran a red light, ran into a ditch and then fled on foot while continuing to ignore police commands. Meth was found in</p>

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						<p>the truck. Note that the record reflects the inmate was on probation at the time of the crimes.</p> <p>AGGRAVATING CIRCUMSTANCES:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) The evading offenses posed a threat of violence to the community; 2) The inmate was sentenced to prison for two or more felonies; 3) The inmate was on probation at the time of the commitment offense. <p>MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) No weapon was used; 2) There was no violence or threat of violence to the/any victim; 3) There was no physical injury involved; 4) The inmate was using drugs at the time of the 04/23/16 crime. <p>ANALYSIS:</p> <p>The inmate was committed to prison for multiple felonies; two of which threatened the community. His repetitive criminality outweighs the mitigating circumstances in view of the magnitude of the threat. The inmate's commitment offenses are therefore an aggravating factor.</p> <p><u>FACTOR 2: PRIOR CRIMINAL HISTORY</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history is limited to one felony conviction in 2011 for H11378, Possession of CS For Sale for which he received probation.</p> <p>AGGRAVATING CIRCUMSTANCES:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) The inmate's probation was revoked on 03/27/13 and he was sentenced to 365 days jail. He was therefore not free from incarceration for at least 5 years prior to committing the current commitment offenses in 2016.

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						<p>MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES: 1) The inmate has not been convicted of more than two prior felonies; 2) The inmate has no known juvenile record.</p> <p>ANALYSIS: The inmate's prior criminal record is not extensive and does not reflect violence or juvenile criminal activity. The inmate's limited number of prior felony convictions and lack of prior violence outweighs the aggravating circumstance that less than 5 years elapsed from his last release from custody till his current crimes. His prior criminal record is therefore a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>FACTOR 3: INSTITUTIONAL BEHAVIOR/PROGRAMMING</u> The inmate was received into the CDCR on the current term on 07/28/16 and has been in state prison for a little over one year and two months.</p> <p>NEGATIVE CIRCUMSTANCES: 1) None.</p> <p>POSITIVE CIRCUMSTANCES: 1) The inmate has remained disciplinary free in prison; 2) The inmate has held institutional jobs as a porter, kitchen worker and sewer worker; 3) The inmate has participated in self-help programming such as several AA/NA courses, Living in Balance, Parenting and Toastmasters.</p> <p>ANALYSIS: The inmate has behaved appropriately during while [sic] incarcerated and programmed in a positive manner. There are no negative circumstances. His institutional adjustment is therefore a mitigating factor.</p>

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						<p>FACTOR 4: RESPONSES TO LEGAL NOTICES A response to the Legal Notices was received from the inmate and was considered.</p> <p>SUMMARY: Although the inmate's prior criminal history is limited and non-violent and he has performed well for the past year while in prison, his commitment to prison for four felonies, two of which created an extreme risk to the public, is deemed to warrant substantial weight when assessing his risk to the community. At this time, the aggravating factor of the commitment offenses is found to outweigh the mitigating factors of the inmate's prior record and recent institutional adjustment. Accordingly, he is determined to an [sic] unreasonable risk of violence to the community at this time and his release is denied.</p> <p><i>Keith Stanton</i></p>
<p>Luis Alberto Chavez-Canaz SCUK CRCR 16-86710</p>	<p>10/20/2017</p>	<p>PC § 245(a)(2) Assault With a Firearm PC § 29800(a) Felon With Firearm</p>		<p>64 mos.</p>	<p>04/18/2019</p>	<p>07/30/2019- Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision: for Chavez-Canaz, Luis, BE7121: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence, or a current unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity in the community. Release denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor-#1 Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment</p>

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						<p>offense aggravate the inmate's current risk, of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 5 years and 4 months on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are PC 245(a)(2) Assault with a Firearm on Person, and PC 29800(A)(1) Felon/Addict in Possession of a Firearm. When victim refused to give money to inmate's friend outside of a bar, inmate's friend started physically fighting with victim. Inmate, a northerner gang member, pulled out a handgun and shot one round at victim, striking on the inside of victim's left bicep causing injury. After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstances in the case.</p> <p>The inmate personally used a deadly weapon. Inmate used a handgun to shoot the victim. There was one victim who suffered physical injury. The victim was shot in the arm by the inmate, causing injury. The inmate played a significant role in the crimes as compared to other offenders. Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor-#2 Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2005 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2017. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: PC 12020(A)(4) Carry Concealed Dirk or Dagger (2005) PC 186.22(A) Participate in Criminal Street Gang (2008) HS 11352 (A) Transport/Sell Narcotic/Controlled Substance (2008)</p>

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						<p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <p>The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years.</p> <p>The inmate was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim, or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to inmate's current convictions.</p> <p>The inmate was convicted of PC 186.22(A) Participate in Criminal Street Gang, and HS 11352 (A) Transport/Sell Narcotic/Controlled Substance on 9/9/08, released on 5/19/11, and convicted of the most recent commitment offense on 8/31/17. The inmate was free from incarceration for approximately 6 years 3 months before his current convictions.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal convictions coupled with inmate's current convictions show a pattern of similar criminal conduct that is increasing in severity.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 -Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses on November 9, 2017, a period of approximately one year and seven months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities:</p>

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						<p>Serious RVRs: None. Work: porter and ADA worker Vocational: None. Education: None. Self-Help: substance abuse programing re-entry, family relationships. Confidential Information: None.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: The inmate has limited participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments because inmate's combined total of 4 months of work assignments does not support a sustained period of participation in this area. Inmate has not received any educational achievements, has not completed any vocational training, and has worked minimally up until now. Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p><u>Case Factor#4 –Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were no responses to Legal Notices.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age (34), and any physical and/or cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the</p>

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						<p>inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>Great weight is given to the fact that the commitment offenses involved violence, use of a deadly weapon, and injury to victim, as this evidences inmate's violence. Great weight is given to the fact that the inmate played a significant role in the crimes as compared to other offenders, which shows that inmate will go above and beyond the violence being perpetrated by others, and that inmate will assume a leading role in the violence and crime. Great weight is given to the fact that inmate's criminal behavior has escalated into violence which displays inmate's disregard of public safety, and that inmate has not only continued his criminal behavior but has intensified his criminal mentality to include violence as a norm. Great weight is given to the fact that inmate has not meaningfully participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming, vocational, educational, or work assignments while incarcerated as this shows that inmate has not addressed the circumstances that contributed to inmate's criminal behavior and that inmate has not worked on improving himself so that the public can be reasonably assured the inmate will not return to the community with the same criminal mentality to be a detriment to society rather than a law-abiding and contributing citizen. This violence in conjunction with inmate's continued inability to follow the rules and norms of society and the fact that inmate has not meaningfully participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to inmate's criminal behavior makes inmate an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied tor release.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Kyros Chakur</i></p>

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<p>Larry Pewee Commander</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 12-20977</p>	<p>04/18/2013</p>	<p>PC § 417.8 Brandishing Weapon to Resist Arrest</p> <p>PC § 69 Resisting Executive Officer By Means of Force</p> <p>PC § 417.8 Criminal Threats</p>		<p>124 mos.</p>	<p>None Received.</p>	<p>08/07/2017: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision: When considering together the findings on each of the four case factors, both aggravating and mitigating, they do tend to show that Mr. Commander poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 – Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The commitment offenses are: (1) PC §417.8, exhibiting a firearm/deadly weapon to resist arrest; (2) PC §69, obstructing/resisting an executive officer; and (3) PC §422, criminal threats. All three offenses arise from the same course of conduct. The following facts are summarized from the probation report. On 2/22/12 two officers responded to a report that Mr. Commander was damaging a home and tearing up clothing. The clothing belonged to his girlfriend. The officers found Mr. Commander sitting in a chair in a neighbor’s yard. When they approached him, Mr. Commander yelled at them to “get the fuck out of here.” He then sprang out of the chair and brandished a knife at the officers. When the officers drew their firearms Mr. Commander started running away, still carrying the knife. He was soon captured. During his arrest Mr. Commander claimed to have guns and that when he got of he would “take care of you,” meaning the officers. The knife was recovered after a search of the area. Mr. Commander was convicted in Mendocino County on 6/5/12 and sentenced to a term of 10 years 4 months.</p> <p>The aggravating circumstances are: (1) Mr. Commander was personally armed with a knife; (2) there were multiple victims in the commitment offense; (3) there was violence and/or the threat of violence to the victims; and (4) he was</p>

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						<p>sentenced [on] two or more felonies during the commitment term. The mitigating circumstance is there was no physical injury to the victims. When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstance, Mr. Commander's current commitment offenses are an aggravating factor. Great weight was given to the [personal] use of a knife and the threats to harm the officers in the future.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 – Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>Mr. Commander's criminal history began in 1993 and continued until the current commitment offense in 2012. He has the following prior felony convictions: (1) assault with a deadly weapon and use of a firearm, PC 245(a)(2)/PC 12022.5 in Mendocino County on 9/24/1993 (a juvenile conviction); (2) PC 245(a)(1), assault with force likely to cause GBI, in Del Norte County on 3/12/1998, which was an offense he committed while he was incarcerated in PBSP; and (3) assault with force likely to cause GBI, PC 245(a)(1), in Mendocino County on 1/7/2002. He was paroled from this commitment on 4/28/2007. He was returned to CDCR twice for parole violations, and the current offense was committed on 2/22/12. The current commitment is his next felony conviction.</p> <p>The aggravating circumstances are: (1) Mr. Commander has a prior conviction for a violent offense pursuant to PC §667/5(c); (2) he has been convicted of three or more felonies; (3) his criminal history shows a pattern of assaultive behavior in that all three of his prior convictions involve a violation of PC §245; and (4) he was not free from incarceration for 5 years prior to the current commitment offense. There are not mitigating circumstances. When balancing the aggravating</p>

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						<p>circumstances against the lack of any mitigating circumstance, Mr. Commander's prior criminal record is an aggravating factor. His criminal history is one of violent behavior.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 – Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>Mr. Commander has been incarcerated on the commitment offenses since 5/23/2013, a period of approximately 4 years and two months. During incarceration he had no serious rules violations. He has participated and completed positive programming in Anger Management, Substance Abuse and Criminal Thinking. He has completed vocational training in Auto Body and Computer Literacy. He has worked as a porter, kitchen crewman, clerk and PIA Facilities Maintenance. He is presently assigned as an unskilled ADA worker. After balancing the positive factors against the negative factors, Mr. Commander's institutional record shows overall compliance with institutional rules and is a mitigating factor. He has programmed well and has no rules violations.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 – Response to Legal Notices</u></p> <p>There were no responses to Legal Notices. A letter from Mr. Commander dated 7/5/2017 requesting his release as a non-violent offender was read and considered in making this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When balancing the aggravating factors in this case, Mr. Commander's Current Commitment Offense and Prior Criminal Record with the mitigating factor of his Institutional Adjustment, the aggravating factors outweigh the mitigating factor. Mr. Commander's criminal history involves repeated acts of violence, and the current</p>

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						<p>commitment offense involves the threat of violence. Mr. Commander poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p><i>Thomas Sparks</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Jodi Marie Dutra</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-87903</p>	<p>11/09/2017</p>	<p>PC § 4532(b)(1) Escape From Custody</p> <p>PC § 594(b)(1) Vandalism > \$400</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p> <p>PC § 667.5(b) Prior Prison Commitment</p>		<p>60 mos.</p>	<p>03/21/2019</p>	<p>05/20/19: Expedited Release GRANTED.</p> <p>Decision for Dutra. Jodi. WF9000: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate does not pose a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a current, unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is approved.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 5 years imprisonment on the current commitment offense(s). The commitment offense(s) is/are violations of PC 4532(b)(1) (Escape), sentenced to 4 years, and PC 594(b)(1) (Vandalism), sentence stayed, plus a 1-year PC 667.5(b) enhancement.</p> <p>As documented, the pertinent facts of these offenses are that on October 19, 2016, Ms. Dutra damaged an electronic ankle monitor and evaded electronic monitoring of her whereabouts in violation of a home monitoring agreement. On September 19, 2017 Ms. Dutra was convicted by plea of these offenses.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes,</p>

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						<p>there are no aggravating circumstances and the following mitigating circumstances make this a mitigating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ms. Dutra did not personally use a deadly weapon, and 2. No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be a mitigating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 – Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate’s prior criminal history began in 2008 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2017. The inmate’s prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate’s current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: 2008, indentity theft (PC 530.5); 2008, fictitious check (PC 476); 2009, conspiracy/robbery (PC 182/211); and 2012, counterfeit apparatus (PC 480(a)).</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate’s prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate’s current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: Ms. Dutra has never been convicted of a PC 667.5(c) violent felony in the past 15 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate’s prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate’s current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: Noting that she was last released from incarceration for a felony conviction April 18, 2014, Ms. Dutra was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to her current convictions.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show</p>

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						<p>that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the temporal proximity of her felony convictions are an indication of criminal propensity that it not ameliorated by the mitigating circumstance that she has never been convicted of a PC 667.5(c) violent felony, and Ms. Dutra's prior criminal record is therefore adjudged to be a factor that aggravates her risk for violent criminality.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since November 21, 2017, a period of approximately 18 months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: During the 18 months of her current incarceration in CDCR, Ms. Dutra has not been found guilty of any violations of CDCR rules.</p> <p>According to the data recorded in the Strategic Offender Management System, Ms. Dutra has participated in the following activities in CDCR during the following periods of time: GED (completed), Substance Abuse Program, Self Awareness and Improvement Groups, Criminal Thinking, Anger Management, Satellite Kitchen worker, and Fire Fighter Training.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Ms. Dutra has not been found guilty of any violations of CDCR rules, and therefore has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since her last admission to prison,

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						<p>2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of Ms. Dutra's central file indicating Ms. Dutra has engaged in criminal activity since her last admission to prison,</p> <p>3. Ms. Dutra has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time, and</p> <p>4. Ms. Dutra has successfully participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to her criminal behavior for a sustained period of time.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: No aggravating circumstances are evident.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the above-identified mitigating circumstances, considered together with the absence of any aggravating circumstances, are dispositive that Ms. Dutra's institutional adjustment is a mitigating factor as indicative of her current risk of violence to the community.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from Inmate Jodi Dutra, by letters dated October 1, 2018 and March 30, 2019, respectively, which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as</p>

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						<p>documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>Noting that, with the exception of her 2009 conviction of conspiracy to commit robbery, Ms. Dutra has no documented history of criminality involving overt violence; and noting further that Ms. Dutra's current commitment offenses and institutional adjustment have, for the reasons discussed above, been assessed to be circumstances that mitigate her current risk of violence, it is adjudged that mitigating factors outweigh aggravating factors bearing on Ms. Dutra's current risk of violence to the community, and release is accordingly warranted. The inmate is approved for release.</p> <p><i>James Andres</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Dennis Earl Finley</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-86039</p>	<p>07/19/2016</p>	<p>VC § 23153(b) Driving While Under the Influence of Alcohol w/Injury</p>		<p>48 mos.</p>	<p>05/04/2018</p>	<p>06/13/2018: Expedited Release GRANTED.</p> <p>Decision for Finley, Dennis. When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is approved.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offense aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 4 years on the current commitment offense(s). The commitment offense</p>

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						<p>is VC 23153(b)- Driving Under the Influence with Bodily Injury.</p> <p>On 6/7/16, Mr. Finley was involved in a multi-vehicle collision. When officers arrived at the scene, one victim reported that she suffered head and neck injuries as a result of the multi-vehicle collision. Subsequently, officers approached Mr. Finley, wherein they immediately detected the strong odor of an alcoholic beverage emitting from his breath and person. Mr. Finley's speech was slurred and he was unsteady on his feet, he was transported to a local hospital where he provided a blood sample for analysis and subsequently arrested without incident.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstance(s) in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <p>There was one victim who suffered physical injury and several others who suffered a threat of physical injury. One victim suffered head and neck pain and the general public as a whole suffered a threat of physical injury as result of the inmate's reckless behavior of driving while intoxicated. Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1987 and continued until the commitment offense(s) in 2016. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions:</p> <p>1987- HS 11350- Possession of Controlled Substance 1987- HS 11355- Sell Material in Lieu of Controlled</p>

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						<p>Substance 1992- PC 487.2- Grand Theft Person 2004- PC 273.5(e)(1)- Corporal Injury to Spouse within 7 years of Prior Specified Conviction.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years. 2. The inmate was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current convictions. The inmate was released from custody on 11/20/06, for the offense of Corporal Injury to Spouse, and the current commitment offense occurred on 6/7/16. <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence are: The inmate's prior criminal convictions coupled with his current conviction show a pattern of similar criminal conduct that is increasing in severity. His prior criminal record consists of drug related offenses, grand theft person, and corporal injury to spouse. His current conviction increased in severity because the inmate's behavior jeopardized the lives of not only his girlfriend, who was a passenger in the car driven by the inmate, but he also risked the lives of numerous members of the public.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal</p>

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						<p>record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence because he has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years and he was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current conviction.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offense(s) since September 1, 2016, a period of approximately 1 year 9 months.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has no participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments. 2. The inmate has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the

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						<p>circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior. The inmate has been at CDCR for 1 year 9 months, he has participated in a 12 week Narcotics Anonymous course and a Drug and Alcohol Education course. Based on his history of drug use, coupled with his commitment offense which involved driving under influence resulting in physical injury, he could benefit from additional self-help programming, for a sustained period, which addresses the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were response(s) to the Legal Notices in support of release from Dennis Finely (letter dated 5/13/18) which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age (56), the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p>The factors mitigating Mr. Finley's current risk overall, his prior criminal history and institutional adjustment, outweigh the factor aggravating his current risk, his current commitment offense.</p> <p>His current commitment offense involved Driving Under the Influence with Bodily Injury, wherein a victim suffered injuries and several vehicles were damaged as a result of his reckless behavior.</p> <p>His prior criminal record consist of drug related crimes, grand theft person, and corporal injury to spouse. Despite his criminal record dating back to 1987, he has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years and he was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction</p>

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						<p>involving physical injury to a victim or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current conviction. Lastly, Mr. Finley has been incarcerated for 1 year 9 months, and although he has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior. To his credit he has participated in a 12 week Narcotics Anonymous course and completed the Drug and Alcohol Education Workbook. The tools gained in these programs could assist Mr. Finley in the community. Greater weight is given to his positive institutional adjustment. He has not been found guilty of any Institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. Therefore, the factors mitigating his current risk overall, outweigh the factors aggravating his current risk. The inmate is approved for release.</p> <p><i>Excel Sharrieff</i></p>
<p>Johnny Earl Green SCUK CRCR 16-85943 SCUK CRCR 14-79702</p>	<p>07/12/2016</p>	<p>PC § 245(a)(1) Assault with a Deadly Weapon PC § 69 Resisting Executive Officer By Force or Violence</p>	<p>District Attorney's Letter Opposing Early Release, dated April 27, 2018:</p> <p>Dear Board of Parole Hearing: I am in receipt, as of April 24, 2018, of the Board's notice of Nonviolent Parole Release Review for the above-named defendant. For the reasons stated below, I am strongly opposed to the early release of inmate Green.</p> <p>A. Trial Court Procedural History Mendocino County Superior Court Docket Number SCUK CRCR 14-79702</p>	<p>84 mos.</p>	<p>04/24/2018</p>	<p>05/31/2018: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Do Mr. Green's case factors show that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community? There are four case factors to consider.</p> <p>ANALYSIS:</p> <p><u>Current Commitment Offense:</u> Mr. Green's current commitment offense are one count of PC 245(a)(1) – Assault w/Deadly Weapon, PC 1170.12 – Prior Strike conviction, PC 667.5(b) – Prior Prison Term, which occurred on 05/29/16. He was convicted of the offense on</p>

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			<p>By felony two-count complaint filed on or about November 13, 2014, defendant Green was formally charged in Count One with a felony violation of Penal Code §§ 211 and 212.5(c), robbery in the second degree; and in Count Two with a felony violation of Penal Code § 69, resisting executive officer by means of threat or violence.</p> <p>The defendant was arraigned on the aforementioned complaint on November 14, 2014. The Public Defender was appointed as his counsel of record. Bail was set at \$90,000 and a preliminary hearing was calendared for November 25, 2016.</p> <p>The defendant was held to answer on the aforementioned charges at the conclusion of the preliminary hearing conducted on November 25, 2016.</p> <p>The defendant was arraigned on the resulting information on December 11, 2014. A jury trial was calendared for January 28, 2015. At the pre-trial conference, conducted on January 12, 2015, the defendant entered a guilty plea to Count Two. Count One was dismissed with a Harvey waiver for all purposes.</p> <p>Letter to Board of Parole Hearings Re: Johnny Earl Green April 27, 2018 Page 2</p>			<p>07/12/16.</p> <p>On 05/29/16, while he was on parole, he assaulted the victim and hit him on the head with a rock. He then punched and kicked the victim repeatedly. When police made contact with the victim, they observed that he was bleeding from his left ear and complained of pain in the rib area. The victim believed that Mr. Green was going to kill him.</p> <p>Mr. Green's second commitment offense is one count of PC 69, Resisting/Deterring an Officer w/Threat of Violence. He was convicted of the offense on 01/12/15. The total term of his sentence was seven years.</p> <p>On 11/12/14, store employees observed him shoplifting at a market and called police. When police arrived, he physically resisted arrest by grabbing the officer's stun gun and fleeing on foot. The police pursued him and another physical altercation ensued when he resisted arrest. The police officers received minor injuries as a result of the physical altercations. He was ultimately sentenced to state prison after violating his probation terms on this case.</p> <p>The circumstances in aggravation for the assault offense are: (1) The defendant personally hit the victim on the head with a rock, which was deemed to be a deadly weapon (2) There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. He caused serious bodily injury to the victim's head and rib area. He had multiple physical altercations with police officer, wherein the officers received minor injuries.</p> <p><u>Prior Criminal Record:</u> Mr. Green's prior criminal history began in 2004 and continued until the commitment offense(s) in 2016. His prior criminal record is a factor</p>

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			<p>The defendant was offered and he accepted a formal grant of probation for 36 months on February 9, 2015. As a term of that probation, the defendant was ordered to serve a "bullet" (365 days) in the Mendocino County jail. In short order, by May 7, 2015, the defendant was arraigned on a petition alleging violation of probation. He admitted violating probation on May 13, 2015. On May 19, 2015, the defendant's probation was permanently revoked and he was sentenced to 24 months in state prison.</p> <p>Mendocino County Superior Court Docket Number SCUK CRCR 16-85943</p> <p>By felony two-count complaint filed on June 1, 2016, defendant Green was formally charged in Count One with a felony violation of Penal Code § 245(a)(1), assault on another with a rock; in Count Two with a felony violation of Penal Code § 245(a)(4), assault by means of force likely to inflict great bodily injury; in Special Allegation One it was alleged that the defendant inflicted great bodily injury, within the meaning of Penal Code § 12022.7(a) ; in Special Allegation Two it was alleged that the defendant has previously suffered a prior conviction for Penal Code § 245(a)(1) with a § 12022.7(a)</p>			<p>aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p>The defendant has the following adult criminal convictions: (1) PC 245(a)(1) – Assault w/Deadly Weapon not a Firearm w/GBI in 2004, (2) PC 242 – Battery, and PC 69 – Resisting an Officer both Misdemeanors in 2014.</p> <p><u>Institutional Behavior/Rehabilitative Programming:</u> Mr. Green started his term on the current commitment offenses on 07/28/16 and has been incarcerated for approximately 1 year and 10 months.</p> <p>During his current term he has received a rules violation for fighting, which he was found guilty.</p> <p>Mr. Green has had limited participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments. He has had no participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior.</p> <p><u>Legal Notices:</u> There was a response from the Mendocino County District Attorney in opposition of his early release, which was reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p><u>DECISION:</u> When reviewing all the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age, the inmate's physical and cognitive limitations, the fact that he was previously certified as an MDO and paroled to Atascadero Hospital, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p>The inmate's commitment offenses were determined to be</p>
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			<p>enhancement, within the meaning of Penal Code § 667(a); in Special Allegations Three and Four it was alleged that the defendant has previously suffered separate prior prison commitments, within the meaning of Penal Code § 667.5(b). The defendant was arraigned on the aforementioned complaint on June 2, 2016. The Public Defender was appointed as his counsel of record. Bail was set at \$185,000 and a preliminary hearing was scheduled for June 15, 2016.</p> <p>On June 15, 2016, the defendant accepted the People's early plea offer and pled no contest to Count One. He also admitted the Strike allegation and Special Allegation Three. He agreed to a stipulated state prison commitment of 60 months with credits limited to 80 percent. The remaining count and special allegations were dismissed with a Harvey waiver for all purposes.</p> <p>On July 12, 2016, the defendant was sentenced to the 60 month state prison commitment, as outlined above.</p> <p>B. <u>CDCR Administrative Review Criteria</u></p> <p>While the District Attorney has little experience commenting on and applying the criteria considered in the course of the Nonviolent Parole</p>			<p>an aggravating factor, which together with the case factors of the prior criminal history as well as the institutional adjustment, outweigh any and all circumstances that may work to mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate reverted to criminal behavior and victimized the community with thefts and violence, and in the process was involved in physical altercations with peace officers, all within five years of his release from custody. Furthermore, the inmate continues to act out with violence within the institution and has not benefitted from rehabilitative or educational programs designed to prevent violence. The inmate is denied release.</p> <p><i>John Garcia</i></p>

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			<p>Review Process, the following effort and resulting comments are tendered for consideration nevertheless:</p> <p>Overall conclusion: When considering the case factors for inmate Johnny Earl Green, to the extent those factors are available to the prosecution for review and comment, it is respectfully asserted that this inmate poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the local community and his early release should be denied.</p> <p><u>Most Recent Commitment Offense (SCUK CRCR 16-85943)</u></p> <p>Inmate Green's newest offense is a felony violation of Penal Code section 245(a)(1), assault on another with a deadly weapon, to wit, a rock. He committed this violent offense while released on CDCR parole.</p> <p>The defendant was arrested on May 29, 2016 by Ukiah Police Officer Rigby for attacking a homeless inebriate and hitting the man in the head with a rock. When questioned, Green admitted he "took him out." When asked to explain what this meant, Green confirmed he had attacked the victim. Green admitted punching the victim numerous times in the face and then kicking the victim in the ribs. While Green originally denied using a rock, he</p>			
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			<p>later admitting hitting the victim over the head with the rock. In aggravation, Green's crime, by definition and by fact, rose to the level of violence. It should be further aggravating that the defendant attacked a man unable to defend himself due to excessive intoxication. Common sense would seem to also militate that committing the offense while on parole should also be aggravating.</p> <p><u>Prior Criminal Record</u> The District Attorney has no information regarding the inmate's prior juvenile criminal history, if any. Based on review of the Mendocino County District Attorney's "local history" database, as well as the inmate's state-wide rap sheet, it is asserted that Green's adult criminal history is the following: October 24, 2002: Green was convicted in Mendocino County of a misdemeanor violation of Penal Code § 148(a), resisting a peace officer. He was granted summary probation with terms for 24 months. This probation was later terminated as unsuccessful on October 18, 2004, based on the underlying facts of the felony next in order. December 20, 2004: While originally charged with attempted murder,</p>			
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			<p>Green was ultimately convicted in Mendocino County of a felony violation of Penal Code§ 245(a)(I) with a§ 12022.7 enhancement. Inmate Green was sentenced to CDCR on this matter with a commitment term of 84 months.</p> <p>August 8, 2014: Green was convicted in Mendocino County of misdemeanor violations of Penal Code §§ 242 and 69. Probation was denied and Green was sentenced to 90 days in the Mendocino County jail.</p> <p>The two commitment offenses are intentionally not mentioned in this section, as they are the main focus of the Board's review and have been noted separately.</p> <p>In aggravation, Green has been convicted of six crimes - three misdemeanors and three separate felonies - that are violent in nature. The prior convictions demonstrate a pattern of violence and repetitive criminal conduct that, by definition and fact, create an ongoing danger to the local community.</p> <p>There are no mitigating factors.</p> <p>On balance, the prior criminal record is an aggravating factor because of the acts of violence at both the misdemeanor and felony level; because of Green's violent, repetitive criminal conduct; because of Green's failure on formal</p>			
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			<p>supervision; and the fact that Green was not free from incarceration for a period of five years prior to committing the most recent current offense.</p> <p><u>Institutional Adjustment</u> The prosecution has had no information made available to us to be able to participate in an assessment in this regard.</p> <p>Without consideration of Institutional Adjustment, the District Attorney nevertheless respectfully asserts, on balance, that the facts underlying the commitment offenses and Green's Prior Criminal Record are aggravating factors for the reasons stated above. It is respectfully requested that inmate Johnny Earl Green be denied early "nonviolent" parole release. Candidly, there is nothing in the record demonstrating that this guy is nonviolent.</p> <p>Yours truly, C. David Eyster District Attorney</p>			
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						<p>believe that the inmate would kill him; Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u> The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2004 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2016. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: PC 245(a)(1)-Assault w/Deadly Weapon not Firearm with PC 12022.7(a)- GBI (12/20/2004); PC 69-Resisting/Deterring Officer w/Threat/Violence (5/6/2015 and the inmate was released from prison and paroled on 12/4/2015. The inmate was convicted of the following misdemeanor convictions: P242-Battery and P69-Resisting an Officer (11/13/2014).</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years because he was convicted of Assault with great bodily injury on 12/20/2004, which is more than 15 years ago.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate's prior criminal convictions coupled with his current convictions show a pattern of assaultive behavior because the inmate was convicted of a PC 69-resisting arrest and battery and assault, while his current conviction also involved Assault with a deadly weapon; and 2. The inmate was incarcerated for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim conviction within five years prior to his current

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						<p>conviction. In addition, the inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current conviction because he was released from prison and paroled on 12/4/2015 for his prior felony conviction for PC 69-Resisting, which is less than 2 years from the current commitment conviction date of 6/15/2016.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because although the inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years, great weight is given to the fact that the inmate has a pattern of assaultive conduct and the inmate was incarcerated for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim and a felony conviction within less than 2 years that involved assaultive conduct against victims.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u> The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since July 28, 2016, a period of approximately 3 years and 6 months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: During the current incarceration, the inmate was found guilty and assessed for the following serious Rule Violation Reports (RVRS): Refusal to work (10/30/2019); Rape (10/30/2018); and fighting (10/19/2016). There is reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file, dated 11/13/2018, indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. The inmate participated in the following positive programming: Adult Basic Education. The inmate's educational progress reports indicated that the inmate</p>

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						<p>needs to show more respect for classroom and school and frequent unexcused absences and ducats are affecting work.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <p>There are no mitigating factors.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison because he received two serious RVRS for fighting in 2016 and rape in 2018; 2. There is reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file, dated 11/13/2018, indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison; 3. The inmate has limited participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments because he only participated in ABE for 6 months. The inmate is commended for working on obtaining his GED. However, the majority of his Educational Progress Reports indicated that he has poor work ethics and his performance is unsatisfactory. The inmate needs marketable skills. The inmate needs to participate on his educational, vocational, or work skills for a sustained period of time so that he can obtain work skills or marketable skills so that he can obtain a job in the community and focus his time in a positive, structured, and deliberate way where he can contribute to the community by obtaining his own property, as opposed to committing assaults on victims; 4. The inmate has limited participation in available

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						<p>rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior, such as substance abuse, domestic violence, or gang involvement. The inmate needs to take programming to address his violence in the community and institution, as evident of the two violent RVRs for violence in institution and history and pattern of assaultive conduct in the community. The inmate needs to participate in rehabilitative or self-help programming for a sustained period of time to address why he continuously violate victims' person and he needs programming on the impact of his violence on the victim in the current commitment offense. He also needs rehabilitative tools to manage his emotions and behavior.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because great weight is given to the fact that the inmate was recently violent in the institution, has limited participation in self-help or rehabilitative programming and limited participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments. The inmate's lack of participation in self-help or rehabilitative programming is given great weight because inmate needs to address why he continuously is violent in the community and in a controlled environment, and why he used violence to resolve his disputes. In addition, the inmate needs to participate in work, education, or vocational assignments for a sustained period of time so that he can have marketable skills to obtain a job in the community which would help the inmate spend his time in a structured and pro social way. Without the self-help or rehabilitative programming to address the inmate's criminal behavior, the inmate will continue to re-offend.</p>

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						<p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u> There were response(s) to the Legal Notices in opposition to release from Mendocino District Attorney's Office, dated 4-27-18, which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including no known physical and cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. Great weight is given to the commitment offense, prior criminal record, and the institutional adjustment. In the commitment offense, the inmate used a deadly weapon that caused a physical harm to the victim. In the prior criminal record, although the inmate was not convicted of a statutory violent felony, great weight is given to the fact that the inmate was incarcerated for felony convictions that occurred less than 2 years from the current conviction date and his prior convictions were all assaultive conduct. In the institutional adjustment, the inmate was commended for attempting to work on his GED, but his overall progress is unsatisfactory due to poor work ethics. Great weight is given to the aggravating factors of being violent in the institution and having limited participation in self-help and rehabilitative programming and limited participating in vocation, work, and educational assignment because the inmate needs to address his violence in the current commitment offense and violence in the institution; and the inmate needs to obtain marketable skills so that he can obtain a law abiding job. Accordingly, based on the totality of the circumstances, the inmate does pose an unreasonable risk</p>
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						<p>of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Teresa Meighan</i></p>
<p>Joshua Justice Hayes</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 14-79287 SCUK CRCR 09-89977</p>	<p>01/06/2015</p>	<p>PC § 459/460(a) Residential Burglary</p> <p>VC § 2800.2 Recklessly Evading a Peace Officer</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p> <p>PC § 667.5(b) Prior Prison Commitment</p>		<p>124 mos.</p>	<p>09/11/2018</p>	<p>10/24/2018: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision for Hayes, Joshua AV7282: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u> The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 10.4 years on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are PC 459 Residential Burglary - 8 years (Doubled per PC 667(b)/PC 1170.12: Strike prior), VC 2800.2(a) Evading or attempting to evade a peace officer - 1.4 years Consecutive. The court also imposed a 1 year Enhancement, pursuant to PC 667.5(b) Prior prison term. Inmate was convicted on 11/21/14 and sentenced on 1/6/15.</p> <p>On 10/13/14, Victim returned home to find inmate and another with a U-Haul at his residence. The individuals left upon seeing victim. The victim entered his residence to see that his property (computer, laptop, and a tablet) had been taken.</p> <p>A second report was received from another victim who</p>

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						<p>described a similar encounter. Later, deputies caught sight of the same U-Haul and ordered the driver to stop. Inmate told deputies: "Fuck you, I didn't do anything." Deputies advised inmate to exit the vehicle or he would be tased. Inmate was then struck in the arm. He began screaming and left the scene driving at a high rate of speed. Inmate and his partner eventually abandoned the vehicle and attempted to escape on foot. After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstances in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <p>There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. This occurred when inmate and his cohort drove away from the deputies at a high rate of speed and attempted to avoid police contact. Their reckless manner of driving placed not only the pursuing officers at risk, but the general public as well. Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1994 and continued until the commitment offense in 2014. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: VC 2800.2(a) Evading, HS 11350(a) Possession of controlled substance (2011); PC 496(a) Receiving stolen property (2006); PC 243(d) Battery with serious bodily injury (2004); PC 12021(a)(1) Possession of firearm by felon, PC 459 2nd Degree Commercial Burglary (1997); VC 10851(a) Vehicle theft (1994).</p>

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						<p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence are: Inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence are: Inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current conviction. Inmate was convicted of VC 2800.2(a), Evading and HS 11350(a), Possession of controlled substance in 2011, and he was convicted of his current crime in 2014.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence because Inmate has a very recent prior conviction for VC 2800.2(a), Evading or attempting to evade. This conviction occurred in 2011. His current crimes also include a VC 2800.2(a), Evading or attempting conviction. Inmate was convicted for these crimes in 2014. A conviction for VC 2800.2(a) is considered inherently threatening because it puts not only the pursuing officers at risk but the general public as well. Consequently, the fact that inmate's prior recent conviction for Evading or attempting having occurred so shortly before his current conviction for the same crime makes his prior criminal record an aggravating factor.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since January 29, 2015, a period of approximately 3.10 years.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities:</p>

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						<p>There is no reliable confidential information in inmate's C-file indicating inmate's participation in illegal activities. Inmate has incurred 115 rule violations: Fighting (2016) Inmate and another were fighting in culinary.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence: There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. Inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time. This is evidenced by the 17 months inmate has worked in dining. Inmate has also taken education courses and he did some work for the Protestant chapel. Inmate is now employed as a dorm porter. The inmate has successfully participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his or her criminal behavior. This is noted by inmate's voluntary participation in NA and CGA even though he is not earning Milestone credits. The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence: Inmate has been found guilty of Institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. This occurred when he received a 115 for Fighting - Resulting in the use of force. Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence because Inmate began programming in a</p>

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						<p>positive manner shortly after his arrival at CDCR. He began with Protestant services and then he started working in dining. Later, inmate got involved in education. However, he was involved in a physical fight with another inmate in 2016. Although the incident occurred on 2/25/16, it nevertheless was an act of violence on the part of inmate. Consequently, inmate's institutional conduct is an aggravating factor.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from Joshua Hayes, 10/15/18, which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including taking into consideration all the mitigating factors and all the aggravating factors, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p>Inmate's instant crimes placed both pursuing authorities and the general public at great risk in his attempts to avoid arrest. On 6/23/11, a little more than 3 years earlier, inmate was sentenced to a new term for the exact same offense. In both instances, inmate displayed a complete disregard for the safety of others. Once in custody, inmate did begin early and positive programming. However, he also incurred a 115 for Fighting - resulting in the use of force. Accordingly, inmate's release at this time would pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Kenneth Allen</i></p>

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<p>Dustin Gabriel Henderson</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 15-81006</p>	05/17/2016	<p>PC § 245(A)(1) Assault With a Deadly Weapon</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p> <p>PC § 667(A) Prior Serious Felony Conviction</p>		156 mos.	02/26/19	<p>04/19/2019: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p><u>Decision for Henderson, Dustin, BA2383:</u> When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four cases factors, the inmate poses an unreasonable risk of violence, and an unreasable risk of significant criminal activity in the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 – Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offense(s) aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 13 years on the current commitment offense(s). The commitment offenses are PC 245(a)(1)-Assault with a Deadly Weapon, and PC 667(a)(1)-Prior Felony Conviction of Serious Offense. The inmate was convicted of this current commitment offense on 2/24/2016. On 3/9/2015, the inmate was involved in a</p>

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						<p>road rage, where the inmate was driving his vehicle and using his vehicle as a weapon, chasing the victim (another driver) down on the road, and then the inmate fired his BB gun into the victim's vehicle, shattering the window.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate personally used a deadly weapon and 2. There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 – Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1994 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2015. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: Oregon convictions for Attempt to commit crime- Murder and Robbery 1st degree (1994); and Theft 1st degree (1996).</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or, significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years; and 2. The inmate was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current convictions. <p>There are no aggravating factors.</p>

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						<p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because there are no aggravating factors. Great weight is given to the fact that the inmate does not have a statutory violent felony and has not had any convictions for five years or more, as the inmate was last convicted of a felony crime in 1996.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 – Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since June 23, 2016, a period of approximately 2 years and 10 months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: During the current incarceration, the inmate was found guilty and assessed for a serious RVRs for fighting (1/7/2017). There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. The inmate participated in the following positive programming: vocation computer literacy, Criminal and Addictive Thinking Recovery Group, voluntary GED, visual and performing arts, Vocational Computer & Related Technology, and clerk, laudatory chrono for Participation in Blythe Cancer Resource Center. The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last

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						<p>admission to prison; and</p> <p>2. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <p>1. The inmate has been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison for fighting (1/7/2017); and</p> <p>2. The inmate has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior. The inmate has not participated in available rehabilitative or self-help programming addressing for a sustained period of time.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior and was violent in the institution. Great weight is given to afore-mention factors because the inmate continues to be violent in the institution as well as violent in the community. While the inmate is commended for participating in vocational programming, the inmate has not addressed his assaultive behavior, as he used a deadly weapon to assault the victim during a road rage incident in the current commitment offense and was involved in violence in the institution. The</p>

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						<p>inmate needs to meaningfully participate in available self-help or rehabilitative programming for a sustained period of time that addresses why he committed the current commitment offense and why he is violent in the institution, as recent as 2017 for fighting.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 – Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were response(s) to the Legal Notices in support of release from the inmate, via letter dated 2/12/2019, indicating that he struggled with addiction since 13 years old, supporting release which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the inmate's physical and cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>The mitigating factors are that the inmate was not convicted of statutory violent felony and his last conviction was in 1996. However, great weight is given to the commitment offense and the institutional behavior. In the commitment offense, the inmate was involved with a road rage issue in which he used a deadly weapon and there was one victim who suffered a threat of physical harm. In the institutional adjustment, the inmate was involved with violence in 2017. He is commended for participating in vocational assignments for a sustained period of time, but the inmate needs to participate in available self-help or rehabilitative programming for a sustained period of time to address the reasons why he was involved in violence in the current commitment offense and why he continued to involved himself with violence in the institution. The</p>

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						<p>inmate indicated in his response, via letter dated 2/12/2019, that he has had a long addiction with substance abuse since he was 13 years old and may want to explore available self-help and other rehabilitative programming regarding this matter if it is part of the reason why he committed his current commitment offense/assaultive behavior. Accordingly, based on the totality of the circumstances, the inmate does pose a current unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Teresa Meighan</i></p>
<p>Steven Gene Hensley</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 11-18554 SCUK CRCR 09-89977</p>	<p>01/27/2012</p>	<p>PC § 451(c) x 19 Arson of Forest or Grassland Restitution Owing: \$354,138</p> <p>PC § 273.5 Inflicting Corporal Injury on Spouse</p>	<p>By definition, while very dangerous in rural counties, this form of arson is legislatively deemed only a serious felony, not violent like other forms of arson.</p>	<p>240 mos.</p>	<p>07/05/2018</p>	<p>08/13/2018: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p><u>Decision for Hensley, Steven, AK7619:</u> When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four cases factors, the inmate poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 – Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's commitment offense(s) aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 20 years on the current commitment offense(s). The commitment offense(s) is/are PC 273.5, inflicting corporal injury on spouse, occurring in 2009, and 19 counts of arson of forest land, PC 451(c), occurring in 2011. Following an extensive investigation in Mendocino County, the inmate, Mr. Hensley, was identified and confessed to lighting 20 fires. He was observed by witnesses, was in the areas of the fires at the time of the fires, and left incriminating evidence on scene.</p>

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						<p>The inmate admitted to alcohol and drug abuse at the time of the offenses.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstance(s) in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. The inmate's wife was punched in the head several times by the inmate and sustained injuries as a result. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 – Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2009 and continued until the current commitment offense(s) in 2011. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: No prior adult felony convictions.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has no prior criminal convictions. <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <p>None</p>

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						<p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence because he has no priors.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 – Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offense(s) since February 2, 2012, a period of approximately six years, six months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: The inmate reports he has participated in EOP programs including AA/NA, depression management, anger management, aggression replacement training, and thinking for a change. He has worked in the dining room, yard, main kitchen as a cook, clerk, porter, recreation aid, carpenter, adult care giver, canteen worker and in the PIA office.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison.
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						<p>3. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate’s institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate’s current risk of violence:</p> <p>1. The inmate has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior, such as domestic violence.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate’s institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate’s current risk of violence because the inmate received a sentence of 20 years for domestic violence and arson. Although he has participated in some programming, there is no indication that he has addressed the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 – Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were response(s) to the Legal Notices in support of release from the inmate received July 20, 2018 and March 28, 2018 which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate’s age, the inmate’s physical and cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate’s current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate’s risk of</p>

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						<p>violence.</p> <p>The inmate caused bodily injury to his wife in the domestic violence offense and has not addressed the circumstances that contributed to the domestic violence or the 19 counts of arson. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Ana Soares</i></p>
<p>Steven Gene Hensley</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 11-18554 SCUK CRCR 09-89977</p>	<p>01/27/2012</p>	<p>PC § 451(c) x 19 Arson of Forest or Grassland Restitution Owing: \$354,138</p> <p>PC § 273.5 Inflicting Corporal Injury on Spouse</p>	<p>By definition, while very dangerous in rural counties, this form of arson is legislatively deemed only a serious felony, not violent like other forms of arson.</p>	<p>240 mos.</p>	<p>07/05/2017</p>	<p>08/10/2017: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on reasons state below:</p> <p>Do Mr. Hensley's case factors show that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community? There are four cases factors to consider.</p> <p>ANALYSIS</p> <p>1) <u>Current Commitment Offense</u>: Mr. Hensley's current commitment offense are 19 counts of PC 451(c) – arson of structure or forest land which occurred from 07/05/11 through 08/21/11 and PC 273.5 – inflict corporal injury on spouse which occurred on 03/21/09. He was convicted of the offenses on 01/27/12 and received a total term of 20 years.</p> <p>On the arson offenses there was a series of unexplained forest fires in Mendocino County between 07/04/11 and 08/21/11. Mr. Hensley admitted to starting 19 of these unexplained fires.</p> <p>On the 2009 DV offense Mr. Hensley struck his wife in the head and face with his fists. She had numerous injuries to her neck, back and face.</p>

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						<p>arson offenses. He does not have any other felony convictions or serious juvenile adjudications.</p> <p>The circumstances in aggravation are: (1) it has been less than 5 years between the date of release from his last incarceration on 05/01/09 and the 07/04/11 offense date for the current arson commitment.</p> <p>The circumstances in mitigation are: (1) no weapon was used in any of the commitment offenses; (2) he has not been convicted of 2 or more felony convictions or serious juvenile adjudications and (3) he does not have any known juvenile record.</p> <p>After balancing the aggravating and mitigating circumstances Mr. Hensley's prior criminal record is a mitigating factor in this case. Because the 2009 DV offense is considered under current commitment offenses Mr. Hensley has no other felony convictions or serious juvenile adjudications prior to the current commitment offenses.</p> <p>3) <u>Institutional Behavior/Rehabilitative Programming</u>: Mr. Hensley started his term on the current commitment offenses on 02/20/12 and has been incarcerated for approximately 5 years and 5 months. During his current term he has not been involved in any negative behavior.</p> <p>During his current term Mr. Hensley has been involved in the following positive behavior: he has participated in Adult Basic Education II. He has worked as [an] assisted care giver, plant ops carpenter, plant ops painter, recreation aide, porter, MAC secretary, janitor, dining room worker, and yard crew worker.</p> <p>Mr. Hensley's overall institutional behavior and rehabilitative programming does show compliance with institutional rules and programs and therefore is a</p>

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						<p>mitigating factor in this case. He has remained violation free and has a steady work history.</p> <p>4) <u>Legal Notices</u>: There was no response from Mr. Hensley in support of his early release.</p> <p>SUMMARY: The aggravating circumstances of Mr. Hensley's commitment offenses and prior criminal record outweigh the mitigating circumstances of his institutional behavior and rehabilitative programming. Mr. Hensley has programmed well during his 60 months in prison and has remained violence free. He is to be commended for that. However, the commitment offense involves violence. His criminal record dates back to 1984 and does contain violence, although that was for a robbery in 1991. Also Mr. Hensley [stands] convicted of 19 separate counts of arson. The evidence supports a finding that Mr. Hensley does pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community at this time. Release is Denied.</p> <p><i>Patrick Reardon</i></p>
<p>Jesus Anthony Herrera</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-86852</p>	<p>09/27/2016</p>	<p>PC § 69 Resisting Executive Officer By Force or Violence</p>		<p>32 mos.</p>	<p>05/16/2017</p>	<p>11/07/2017: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: When considering together the findings on each of the four case factors, both aggravating and mitigating, they demonstrate that Mr. Herrera poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Accordingly, Mr. Herrera is denied release.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 – Current Commitment Offense</u> Mr. Herrera's current commitment offense PC69 Resisting Officer w/Force/Violence, is an aggravating factor in this</p>

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						<p>case.</p> <p>On 8/4/17, Mr. Herrera was in public and appeared to be intoxicated. When an officer attempted to stop Mr. Herrera, Mr. Herrera stated, "Fuck you," charged the officer, slapped the officer's hand and shoved the officer backwards while continuing to swear. The officer deployed a canine, which grabbed Mr. Herrera by the arm. The officer attempted to subdue Mr. Herrera but Mr. Herrera punched the officer and the pair began to grapple. The canine was deployed a second time and bit Mr. Herrera in the knee. After a violent struggle, Mr. Herrera ran away a short distance before the officer caught up to him and another struggle ensued. The canine bit Mr. Herrera again as the grappling continued. Additional officers arrived and subdued Mr. Herrera. The officers confirmed Mr. Herrera's parole status and took him into custody.</p> <p>Mr. Herrera entered a plea agreement and was sentenced to a total term of 2 years, 8 months on the current commitment offense.</p> <p>The aggravating circumstances are: 1) There were two or more officers involved in the commitment offense; 2) There was violence or threat of violence to the officers during the offense; and 3) Mr. Herrera was on parole at the time of the offense.</p> <p>The mitigating circumstances are: 1) No weapon was used; and 2) No physical injury to a victim occurred.</p> <p>When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, Mr. Herrera's current commitment offense is an aggravating factor because of the level of violence involved in the continued resistance of the officers and canine during the offense.</p>

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						<p>During incarceration, Mr. Herrera has not incurred any RVRs. He has participated in or completed the following positive programming: Anger Management, Substance Abuse.</p> <p>After balancing the positive factors against the negative factors, Mr. Herrera's institutional record shows overall compliance with institutional rules and is a mitigating factor because he has not incurred any RVRs and is participating in positive programming.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 – Response to Legal Notices</u> No responses to Legal Notices were received.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When balancing the aggravating factors in this case, the commitment offense and prior criminal record, with the mitigating factor in this case, institutional behavior, the aggravating factors outweigh the mitigating factor. Mr. Herrera may be commended for his recent rehabilitative efforts. However, those are outweighed by his lengthy and threatening criminal record and the violent nature of his commitment offense. Accordingly, Mr. Herrera is denied release.</p> <p><i>Neal Chambers</i></p>
<p>Lonnie Lane Hesser</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-84306</p>	<p>5/6/2016</p>	<p>PC § 459/460(a) x 3 Residential Burglary</p>		<p>72 mos.</p>	<p>4/24/2018</p>	<p>04/23/2018: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>The above inmate was referred to the Board of Parole Hearings under the Nonviolent Parole Review Process. However, it has been determined [that] the inmate is not eligible for the Nonviolent Parole Review Process at this time. As a result, this case has been closed by the Board of Parole Hearings and the inmate will not be considered for release at this time.</p>

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						<p>Please direct any inquiries concerning the inmate to the institution where the inmate is housed. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.</p> <p>JURISDICTIONAL REVIEW: BPH does not have jurisdiction, no further review.</p> <p>REVIEW ON THE MERITS: Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>On 04/06/18 inmate Hesser was found guilty of a division A2 offense for distribution of a controlled substance for a RVR issued on 01/20/17. Based on these findings, BPH does not have jurisdiction to conduct a review.</p> <p><i>Shannon Hogg</i></p>
<p>Robert Curtis James</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-86753 SCUK CRCR 16-87694</p>	<p>01/12/2017</p>	<p>PC § 29800(a)(1) Felon in Possession of a Firearm</p> <p>PC § 530.5(a) Using the Peronal I.D. of Another</p>		<p>60 mos.</p>	<p>08/16/2019</p>	<p>11/25/2019: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision for James, Robert, BC0606: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate does not pose a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a current, unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is approved.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of five years on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are PC 29800</p>

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						<p>(possession of firearm by felon), for which the inmate received a sentence of three years, and three counts of PC 530.5, for which the inmate received a sentence of eight months per count.</p> <p>The factual basis for each offense was reviewed from the inmate's file, and no applicable aggravating circumstances were found.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate did not personally use a deadly weapon. 2. No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be a mitigating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2014, and continued until the commitment offenses in 2016. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: PC 496 (receiving stolen property) in 2014 and PC 1320(b) (failure to appear on a felony) in 2015.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <p>The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <p>The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current convictions. He served time in county jail 2014 and 2015, and he was released from state prison to Community Re-Entry on 11/24/15.</p>

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						<p>In the 5 years preceding the current conviction, the inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction. Inmate's last period of incarceration, related to the prior felony conviction ended sometime in 2015. He was convicted of the current offenses on 12/14/2016. As such, the inmate was free from a felony conviction incarceration period for less than 3 years when the inmate was convicted for the current offenses. This tends to show the prior incarceration period did not significantly deter his criminal behavior in the community for substantial period of time.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because , while the inmate has no prior statutorily violent convictions in the past 15 years, the inmate was not free from incarceration for a significant period of time when he was convicted for the current offense. This suggests the prior incarceration did little to deter the inmate's criminal behavior in the community.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since January 26, 2017, a period of approximately two years and nine months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities:</p> <p>Education: Adult Basic Education and GED Classes On-Site College</p> <p>Vocation: None noted.</p> <p>Work:</p>

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						<p>Dining Room Yard Crew Landscape Gardener Self-Help/Rehabilitation: Substance Abuse Disorder Treatment</p> <p>The inmate has been found guilty of the following RVRs: Possession of a cell phone 9/26/19; Battery on prisoner 9/3/18; possession of contraband (2-inch metal nail concealed in pen) 5/17/18; use of controlled substance 3/22/18, 2/28/18, 12/28/17, 12/6/17, and 9/7/17; possession of alcohol 12/28/17 and 10/28/17; disobeying orders 11/15/17 and 8/22/17; possession of cellular telephone 9/11/17, possession of tattoo paraphernalia 7/30/17; refusing urine sample 4/12/17; absence from count 4/8/17.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: There are no applicable mitigating circumstances.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has been found guilty of an institutional Rule Violation Report resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison, specifically, battery on a prisoner, on 9/3/18. 2. There is reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. 3. The inmate has limited participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments. His participation in these areas has been sporadic and of relatively short duration. He last participated in any

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						<p>assignment or program in May of this year.</p> <p>4. The inmate has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior. His total participation in these types of programs is thus far limited to four months of SUDT.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate engaged in violent conduct relatively recently, and his criminal thinking and substance abuse appear to remain relevant. His positive program participation has been limited, and, in light of his numerous RVRs for drug use, his four months of SUDT does not appear to have led to a successful outcome.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were no responses to Legal Notices.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age (24), the inmate's physical & cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>The aggravating case factors, the prior criminal record & the institutional adjustment, outweigh mitigating case factor, the current offenses. While the inmate's current offenses do not involve violence or assaultive conduct, it is concerning, the inmate was in possession of a loaded</p>

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						<p>firearm in the community on 7/29/2016, less than 3 years from a prior incarceration period. He has been violent less than 15 months ago when he attacked & injured another prisoner on 9/3/2018. In addition, the institutional adjustment case factor shows limited or no participation in rehabilitation programs addressing the circumstances contributing to his criminal behavior. His rules violations related to use of controlled substances, incurred after his participation in a substance abuse recovery program, demonstrate he did not apply or learn anything from the substance abuse recovery program. As such, the inmate poses a current unreasonable risk of violence to the community or of significant criminal activity to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Vijay Desai</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Raymond Devon Jones</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-85711</p>	<p>08/10/2017</p>	<p>PC § 29800(a)(1) Felon in Possession of a Firearm</p> <p>PC § 30305(a)(1) Prohibited Person in Possession of Ammo</p> <p>PC § 496(a) Possession of Stolen Property</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 X 2 Prior Strike Conviction</p>		<p>64 mos.</p>	<p>03/21/2019</p>	<p>05/13/2019: Expedited Release GRANTED.</p> <p>Decision for Jones, Raymond- BE0583: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate does not pose a current, unreasonable risk of violence, or a current unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is approved.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 5 years, 4 months, on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are as</p>

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						<p>follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. PC 29800(a)(1) Felon Possess Firearm (4 years as a Second Striker) 2. PC 30305(a) Felon Possess Ammunition (1 year, 4 months) <p>On 4/21/16, the inmate was observed with a methamphetamine pipe in his truck. During a search of the vehicle, 10.7 grams of methamphetamine and a loaded .32 caliber revolver were recovered. The inmate also had a .32 caliber bullet in his pocket.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are no aggravating circumstances. The following mitigating circumstances make this a mitigating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate did not personally use a deadly weapon. 2. No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be a mitigating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1994 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2016. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 1994: PC 211 Robbery First Degree 2. 1996: PC 459 Burglary First Degree 3. 2005: VC 10851(a) Vehicle Theft 4. 2005: PC 134 Prepare False Evidence

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						<p>5. 2014: HS 11377 Possess Controlled Substance</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony in the past 15 years. The inmate was convicted of PC 211 Robbery in 1994, but no records indicate that crime was considered violent at the time. 2. The inmate's prior criminal convictions, coupled with his current convictions, shows a pattern of similar criminal conduct that is decreasing in severity. 3. The inmate was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim, or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current convictions. Records indicate the inmate was released from a prior felony incarceration on 7/25/09, and convicted of the current offenses on 4/26/17, nearly eight years later. The inmate was convicted of felony Possession of Controlled Substance in 2014, but was sentenced to five years probation. <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <p>None.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because there are no aggravating factors under the review criteria. The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony, his criminal conduct appears to be decreasing in severity, and he was free from incarceration for nearly eight year prior to the</p>

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						<p>current convictions.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since August 31, 2017, a period of approximately 21 months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: Serious Rules Violation Reports:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 3/9/19: Constructive Possession of a Cellular Telephone 2. 5/8/18: Constructive Possession of a Cellular Telephone <p>Vocational/Educational/Work Assignments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Laundry 2. Upholstery Machine Operator <p>Self-Help/Rehabilitative Programming:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Narcotics Anonymous 2. CGA 3. Anger Management 4. Transition Skills 5. GOBI 6. Re-entry Substance Abuse Program 7. Peacemakers Community Trans (PACT) <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to

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						<p>prison.</p> <p>2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison.</p> <p>3. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time. This is considered successful participation for a sustained period of time and may assist the inmate with obtaining employment in free society.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: The inmate has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior. While the inmate may be commended for his participation in various programs over the last approximately 7 months, such does not yet rise to the level of being considered successful participation for a sustained period of time.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because while the inmate has not yet successfully participated in self-help and rehabilitative programming for a sustained period of time, that circumstance is outweighed by circumstances present in mitigation. The inmate has not incurred any RVRs involving physical injury, has not engaged in criminal activity in prison, and has successfully participated in work assignments.</p>

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						<p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from the inmate, dated 1/14/19, which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>Under the review criteria, the inmate's current commitment offense, prior criminal record, and institutional behavior are considered mitigating. The inmate's current offenses did not involve assaultive behavior or use of a deadly weapon. Further, the inmate's prior record appears to show criminal conduct which is decreasing in severity, and he was free from incarceration for a felony conviction for nearly eight years prior to the current offenses. Finally, the inmate has not incurred any Rules Violation Reports involving physical injury nor engaged in criminal activity in prison, but has successfully participated in work assignments for a sustained period of time. For these reasons, the inmate does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is approved for release.</p> <p><i>Neal Chambers</i></p>
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Noah Myles Luranhatt SCUK CRCR 15-81135	09/18/2015	PC § 422 Criminal Threats	District Attorney's Letter Opposing Early Release, dated April 27, 2018: We are in receipt, as of April 2, 2018, of your notice of Nonviolent Parole Release Review for the above-named defendant. For the reasons stated below, I am opposed to the early release of inmate Green. A. <u>Trial Court Procedural History</u> SCUK CRCR 16-85943 By felony complaint filed on or about March 26, 2015, defendant Luranhatt was charged with a felony violation of Penal Code section 422, making criminal threats against a Sheriff's Deputy. A Strike allegation was alleged asserting the defendant had previously been convicted of a felony violation of Penal Code section 245(a)(1), assault with a deadly weapon (Mendocino County	108 mos.	4/3/2018	05/8/2018: Expedited Release GRANTED. Decision for Luranhatt, Noah, AG4700: When considering the finding on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is approved. Statement of Reasons: <u>Case Factor #1 – Current Commitment Offense</u> The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offense(s) aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of nine years on the current commitment offense(s). The commitment offense(s) is/are Regarding [sic] the circumstances of the crime, on 03/25/15, a Mendocino County Sheriff's Deputy conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle. The inmate was the passenger. During the stop, the deputy became suspicious as the inmate was exhibiting unusual behavior. After being informed that the inmate was on active parole for an assault and learning there were two officer safety warnings related to the inmate, the deputy put the inmate in handcuffs to conduct a parole search. As the deputy was applying the restraints, the inmate began tensing his grip, moving around and pulling forward causing the deputy to

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			<p>Superior Court docket number SCUK CRCR 10-15576-002). It was also alleged the defendant had served a prior prison commitment, within the meaning Penal Code section 667.5(b).</p> <p>The defendant was arraigned on the aforementioned complaint on March 27, 2015. The Public Defender was appointed as his counsel of record. Bail was set at \$155,000 and a preliminary hearing was scheduled for April 8, 2015. It is noted in the District Attorney's case file notes that this defendant had also threatened to kill a black Sheriff's Deputy during a prior law enforcement interaction.</p> <p>On April 8, 2015, the defendant pled guilty to the substantive charge. He also admitted as true the Strike allegation and the prior prison allegation.</p> <p>On May 19, 2015, the defendant was sentenced to a suspended state prison sentence of 108 months and placed on formal supervised probation for 36 months. As a condition of probation, the defendant was ordered to serve 180 days in county jail.</p> <p>The defendant violated the terms of</p>			<p>suspect he was under the influence of a central nervous system stimulant. The inmate was found to be in possession of a hypodermic needle, a small amount of marijuana and a small amount of psilocybin mushrooms and began pleading with the deputy to not take him to jail. The deputy informed the inmate that it would be up to Parole whether or not he went into custody. The Parole Department was contacted and dispatch reported they wanted the inmate taken into custody on a parole hold. Once the inmate learned he was going to jail, he became threatening and told the deputy that it was now "personal" and stated to the deputy "you better watch your back" as he (the inmate) would "be out of custody soon." The inmate further threatened to kick out the parole [sic] vehicle's windows and beat the deputy's "ass."</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstance(s) in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. There were one or more victims who suffered the threat of physical injury. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in this case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 – Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2011 and continued until the commitment offense(s). [sic] The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: PC 245(a)(1) Assault with Deadly Weapon in 2011. Note that the inmate was</p>

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			<p>his probation in short order. By petition seeking violation of the defendant's probation, filed July 9, 2015, it was alleged that the defendant had been discharged as unsuccessful from the Hilltop substance abuse rehabilitation program on July 2, 2015. It was also alleged that he had failed to keep probation informed of his current address and contact information. As of July 8, 2015, the defendant had also failed to provide proof to probation that he had participated in a court-ordered mental health evaluation.</p> <p>The defendant was arraigned on the violation of probation petition on July 19, 2015. A contested probation violation hearing was scheduled for July 28, 2015.</p> <p>The defendant admitted the allegations in the VOP petition on July 28, 2015.</p> <p>Over the District Attorney's objection, the defendant was referred on August 14, 2015 to the drug court team for drug court suitability. Later that same day, the drug court team deemed the defendant unsuitable for drug court participation due to prior violent offenses and lack of ability to</p>			<p>released to parole on this offense on 01/05/13.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years. <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current conviction. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence because the inmate was out of custody less than three years before again committing a crime involving felony violence. The inmate's prior record reflects felony violence. As such, it is probative of a risk for felony violence. Furthermore, the relative short time that elapsed between the inmate's last release from prison and the time he committed the current commitment offense demonstrates the inmate was not deterred from future criminality by incarceration. The inmate's prior criminal record therefore shows an increased risk for felony violence. Accordingly, this aggravating circumstance warrants substantial weight and is deemed to outweigh the fact that the inmate has not been convicted of a crime listed in P667.5(c) during the past 15 years.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 – Institutional Adjustment</u></p>

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			<p>meaningfully participate in the drug court program.</p> <p>On August 28, 2015, the court offered the defendant an opportunity to apply for and, if accepted, to participate in and complete the residential Delancey Street program in San Francisco.</p> <p>On September 15, 2015, it was determined that the defendant had been rejected by Delancey Street.</p> <p>On September 18, 2015, it was further determined that the defendant had temporarily escaped from custody during the Delancey Street interview but was successfully recaptured. Only then did the court deny the defendant's request to be reinstated on probation and ordered the suspended state prison sentence executed upon. The defendant was sentenced to state prison for the nine years previously suspended. He was awarded 135 days credits for actual days in custody and 134 days of 4019 credits.</p> <p>B. <u>Administrative Review Criteria</u></p> <p>While the District Attorney has little experience commenting on and</p>			<p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offense(s) since October 1, 2015, a period of approximately two years and seven months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities:</p> <p>Education: The inmate attended adult education classes (ABE) from 01/28/16 to 02/29/16 (approx. 1 month); again from 06/10/16 to 01/18/17 (approx. 6 months); and GED classes from 12/08/17 to 05/01/18 (approx.. 5 months).</p> <p>Vocation: The inmate began the Vocational Computer Literacy class on 02/09/17 and completed the course on 03/22/17 (completion certificate noted).</p> <p>Work: No work assignment located on the current term.</p> <p>Self-help/Rehabilitative programs: The inmate completed the following self-help programs:</p> <p>Transitions program (04/28/16 – 05/27/16); Family Relations (02/15/17 – 09/25/17; [sic] Criminal Thinking (04/15/17 – 07/31/17); Substance Abuse (06/13/17 – 08/18/17); and Anger Management (06/24/17 – 10/12/17).</p> <p>The inmate also participated in a substance abuse class from 08/08/16 to 01/18/17 (approx. 5 ½ months); attended the Arts & Corrections group 04/10/18 to 04/25/18 (15 days); and Old School Gangs Anonymous from 04/24/18 to 05/02/18 (for approx. 2 hours).</p> <p>Currently, the inmate has been assigned to: the Freedom & Choice (self-awareness) group since 01/17/18;</p>

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			<p>applying the Nonviolent Parole Review Process, the following effort is made nevertheless:</p> <p>Overall conclusion: When considering the case factors for inmate Noah Myles Luranhatt, to the extent those factors are available to the prosecution for comment, it is respectfully asserted that <u>this inmate poses an unreasonable risk of violence</u> to the local community and his early release should be denied.</p> <p><u>Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>Inmate Luranhatt's newest offense is a felony violation of Penal Code section 422, criminal threats against a peace officer. He committed same while on parole. The defendant was arrested on July 8, 2015 by Deputy Hank Stolfi of the Mendocino County Sheriff's Office for drug-related offenses. Luranhatt then informed the deputy that he (Luranhatt) was going to jail now and had nothing to fear. He claimed to be a "two-time Strike" felon and that Deputy Stolfi had "better watch your back" because this is now</p>			<p>Alcoholics and Narcotics Anonymous since 04/13/18; and Criminal Gangs Anonymous (CGA) as of 04/19/18.</p> <p>The inmate has not received any Rules Violations reports during his current prison term and no confidential information indicates he has been involved in criminal activity during his current incarceration.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating he has engage in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. 3. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational and educational assignments for a sustained period of time. 4. The inmate has successfully participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior for a sustained period of time. <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <p>None.</p>

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			<p>“personal.” Luranhatt claimed he was a “level four” inmate, referring to his classification level at CDCR. Luranhatt told the deputy that he was going to “do what he had to do” to the deputy, calling the deputy “a punk bitch hiding behind a badge.” The deputy’s ride-along further reported that Luranhatt threatened that Deputy Stolfi had “awakened the dragon” and that Deputy Stolfi had better watch out because the defendant “will be out of custody soon.” The defendant commented on the fact that the deputy had a firearm and was “hiding behind his gun,” but Luranhatt noted that he also had guns. Luranhatt threatened to kick out the windows of the patrol vehicle and beat Deputy Stolfi’s “ass.”</p> <p>In aggravation, Luranhatt’s crime, by definition and by fact, rose to the level of a significant threat of violence. It is further aggravating – or a part of that same aggravation – that the defendant threatened to use a firearm in the future. Common sense would seem to militate that committing the</p>			<p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate’s institutional behavior, work history and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate’s current risk of violence because the inmate has not engaged in any serious misconduct while in prison; has attended several rehabilitative programs – both in the areas of education and self-help – and has upgraded vocationally.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 – Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were response(s) to the Legal Notices in support of release from the inmate (undated) which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>There were response(s) to the Legal Notices in opposition to release from Mendocino County District Attorney which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate’s age (27) and any physical and cognitive limitations, the factors mitigating the inmate’s current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate’s current risk of violence.</p> <p>The inmate’s current commitment offense involved the threat of harm against an officer, thus making it an aggravating factor (however, it should be borne in mind that the record reflects the inmate was under the influence of drugs at the time he made the threats and the crime did not involve any actual violence or injury). Additionally, the inmate’s prior criminal record reflects violence and less than five years passed between the time he was last released from prison and the date of [sic] he</p>
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			<p>commitment offense while on parole should also be aggravating.</p> <p><u>Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>Luranhatt's prior juvenile criminal history involves one misdemeanor offense adjudicated in 2006. Luranhatt was made a ward of the court and placed on juvenile probation on May 13, 2006 for a misdemeanor violation of Penal Code section 496(a), receiving stolen property. Luranhatt thereafter violated this grant of juvenile probation ten separate times, beginning on August 8, 2006 and ending on November 20, 2008. The grant of juvenile probation was terminated in November 20, 2008 as unsuccessful.</p> <p>Luranhatt's adult criminal history began relatively quickly thereafter:</p> <p>July 19, 2010: Luranhatt was convicted of a misdemeanor violation of Penal Code section 242. He was granted summary probation with terms for 12 months.</p> <p>August 17, 2010: Luranhatt was</p>			<p>committed his current commitment offense, thereby making his prior record a factor which also aggravates his risk for violent re-offense. However, these aggravating factors must be balanced against the inmate's institutional adjustment over the past two years and seven months. During this time, the inmate has completed multiple self-help programs, attended educational classes and completed a computer literacy class. Moreover, he has not engaged in any violence, criminal activity or serious misconduct while incarcerated. The inmate's progress in [sic] and behavior in prison has been good. His prison adjustment demonstrates significant rehabilitative gains and does not suggest a high risk for future criminality. Furthermore, the inmate's prison adjustment is the most current factor, thus making it a factor warranting considerable weight. It is recognized that the inmate's prior criminality – both his current crime and prior record – will always create a risk of violence. However, the issue (and standard) is whether it is an "unreasonable" risk. In view of the inmate's positive prison adjustment for sustained period of time, his risk of violence is no longer considered an "unreasonable" risk. For the foregoing reasons, at this juncture, the mitigating factor of the inmate's positive prison performance is found to outweigh the aggravating factors of his current commitment offense and prior criminal record. Accordingly, the inmate is not considered to be an unreasonable risk of violence. The inmate is approved for release.</p> <p><i>Keith Stanton</i></p>

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			<p>convicted of a misdemeanor violation of Penal Code section 243(e)(1), domestic battery. Surprisingly, Luranhatt was granted deferred entry of judgment on the new offense and ordered to attend anger management classes.</p> <p>November 18, 2010: Luranhatt was convicted of a felony violation of Penal Code section 243(a)(1), assault with a deadly weapon. On February 8, 2011, Luranhatt rejected probation and was sentenced to 36 months in CDCR.</p> <p>February 8, 2011: Given the commitment to state prison, Luranhatt's deferred entry of judgment was terminated. He was ordered to serve 60 days concurrent on the domestic battery, and 60 days concurrent on the earlier battery probation. The battery probation was terminated as unsuccessful.</p> <p>January 1, 2013: Luranhatt was paroled on his felony commitment. Between February 14, 2013 and March 25, 2015, Luranhatt was a</p>			
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			<p>wanted parolee at large five times.</p> <p>May 15, 2015: Luranhatt committed the instant commitment offense.</p> <p>In aggravation, Luranhatt has been convicted of three crimes – two misdemeanors and one felony – that are violent in nature. The prior convictions show a pattern of violence and repetitive criminal conduct.</p> <p>There are no mitigating factors.</p> <p>On balance, the prior criminal record is an aggravating factor because of the acts of violence at both the misdemeanor and felony level; because of the Luranhatt's violent and threatened violent, repetitive criminal conduct; because of Luranhatt's complete and dismal failure on all forms of supervision; and the fact that Luranhatt was not free from incarceration for a period of five years prior to committing the current offense.</p> <p><u>Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The prosecution has had no</p>			

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			<p>information made available to participate in an assessment in this regard.</p> <p>Without consideration of Institutional Adjustment, the District Attorney respectfully asserts, on balance, that the facts underlying the commitment offense and Luranhatt's Prior Criminal Record are aggravating factors for the reasons stated above. It is respectfully requested that inmate Noah Myles Luranhatt be denied release.</p> <p><i>C. David Eyster</i></p>			
<p>Jeremiah Victor Mcosker SCUK CRCR 16-87308</p>	<p>10/14/2016</p>	<p>PC § 594(b)(1) Vandalism</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p> <p>PC § 667.5(b) Prison Prior</p>		<p>60 mos.</p>	<p>07/30/2019</p>	<p>11/15/2019: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision for Mcosker, Jeremiah, BB4724: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a current, unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u> The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 5 years on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are: PC 594(b)(1), vandalism for</p>

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						<p>which the inmate received a term of 4 years (2 years doubled as a second strike). There was an enhancement pursuant to PC 667.5(b) of 1 year for prior conviction of a felony.</p> <p>The details of the inmate's commitment offenses are as follows: On 09/03/16, the inmate was observed on surveillance footage breaking the window of a pizza parlor. A search of the inmate incident to the arrest lead to the discovery of about 0.6 grams of methamphetamine and a methamphetamine pipe.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are no aggravating circumstances and the following mitigating circumstances make this a mitigating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate did not personally use a deadly weapon. 2. No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. 3. There was only one conviction. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be a mitigating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1996 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2016. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions:</p> <p>1996 – PC 422 terroristic threats 2003 – VC 10851(a) vehicle theft 2003 – PC 459-460(b) second-degree burglary 2006 – PC 273.5(a) infliction of corporal injury 2012 – VC 10851(a) vehicle theft</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record</p>

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						<p>that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years. <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current convictions. The inmate was released from his last commitment on 10/23/14 and was convicted of the current offense on 09/16/16. These dates are within 5 years of each other. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate was out of custody for less than 5 years (2 years) before his conviction on the current commitment offenses. The inmate's inability to remain free from incarceration while in the community for such a short period of time is indicative of a current risk of violence. This circumstance is more probative of current risk because it is more recent in time and therefore outweighs the inmate's lack of violent felony conviction within the last 15 years, making this factor a slightly aggravated one.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u> The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since November 10, 2016, a period of approximately 3 years. The inmate has been involved in the following activities: Reliable Confidential Reports of Criminal Activity</p>

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						<p>- None</p> <p>Rules Violations 04/06/18 – serious – destruction of state property worth less than 400 dollars 12/28/17 – serious – battery on a prisoner 12/09/17 – serious – refusing to accept assigned housing 10/26/17 – serious – battery on a prisoner</p> <p>Vocational Assignments - None</p> <p>Work Assignments - Outside Work Crew - Dining Room</p> <p>Educational Assignments - Adult Basic Education II</p> <p>Programs - None are noted in the inmate's central file. However, the inmate is a participant in the mental health delivery system and is taking programs through that system.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: 1. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: 1. The inmate has been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. The inmate incurred the following violent rules violations - 10/26/17, battery on a prisoner</p>

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						<p>- 12/28/17, battery on a prisoner</p> <p>2.The inmate has limited participation in available vocational, educational, or work assignments. The inmate has no participation in vocational assignments, only 3 months participation in work assignments and only 6 months participation in educational assignments. As a person with a commitment offense of vandalism the inmate would benefit from more sustained assignment participation to demonstrate he can operate within the rules of society in a pro-social way.</p> <p>3.The inmate has no participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior including his recent violent rules violations. According to the inmate's central file, he has taken no programs much less any programs to address his victimizing and impulsive behavior.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate has shown himself to engage in increasingly violent behavior by incurring two recent violent rules violations and he has yet to take programming to address this demonstrated violent propensity. He also has only limited participation in assignments. These circumstances outweigh the absence of confidential reports of criminal activity because they are more probative of future violence.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u> There were no responses to Legal Notices.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as</p>

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						<p>documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the relatively short passage of time, the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The mitigating factor is the inmate's commitment offense because no person's lives were endangered and it was merely a case of felony vandalism. However, this factor is outweighed by the other factors of review. The inmate's prior criminal history was found to be slightly aggravating due to the inmate's inability to remain crime free for a sustained period of time in the community. The inmate's institutional adjustment was found aggravating and given great weight because the inmate had shown a pattern of escalation into violence by incurring two recent violent rules violations while at the same time failing to engage in any programming to mitigate that propensity towards violence or to dedicate his time in a sustained way in assignment participation. Accordingly, based on the totality of circumstances, the inmate poses a current unreasonable risk of violence or a current unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Edward Taylor</i></p>
<p>Devyn Blake Miller</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-86241 SCUK CRCR 15-83860</p>	<p>09/13/2016</p>	<p>PC § 422 Criminal Threat</p> <p>PC § 140(a) Threatening a Witness/Victim</p> <p>PC § 273.5(a) Inflict Corporal Injury on Spouse/Cohabitant</p>		<p>84 mos.</p>	<p>09/09/2019</p>	<p>01/21/2020: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision for Miller, Devyn, BB2832: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence or significant criminal activity to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p>

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		<p style="text-align: center;">PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p>				<p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u> The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 7 years on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are from two combined cases. The first was a conviction on 12/20/15 for PC 273.5(a) corporal injury. In that case, on November 19, 2015, he assaulted his then girlfriend, punching her in the face and choking her. He received a 1 year sentence for that conviction.</p> <p>The second case involved 8/30/16 convictions for PC 422 criminal threats and PC 140(a) threatening a witness. In that case, in violation of the restraining order from case number 1, in June 2016 he began emailing and calling the victim from the prior case and threatening to kill her, her new boyfriend, and her entire family. He also threatened to do so if she called the police or reported his calls and texts. He received a sentence of 3 years for the PC 140(a), with 3 year enhancement per PC 667(b). A 2 year sentence for the PC 422 was made concurrent.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstances in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <p>There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury, as he assaulted the victim in the first case, and threatened her and multiple others in the second case.</p> <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u> The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2015 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2016. The</p>
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						<p>inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: Mr. Miller has no adult felony convictions prior to the current commitment crimes.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.) The inmate has no prior adult felony criminal convictions; 2.) The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years; and 3.) The inmate was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current convictions. <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <p>There are no applicable aggravating factors, due to the lack of an adult record prior to the current commitment offenses.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because of the lack of any risk aggravating factors to outweigh the multiple factors that mitigate the risk in this category.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u> The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since October 20, 2016, a period of approximately 3 years, 3 months.</p>

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						<p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: Today Mr. Miller's file was reviewed for his programming while incarcerated and his programming is noted. Although commendable, his efforts at programming are far outweighed by his multiple recent serious behavioral incidents in prison, as well as his criminality in prison. During incarceration, he has been found guilty of 3 serious rules violation reports involving violence or injury, or the threat of violence or injury. Two of these acts of violence were within the past 90 days. They are as follows:</p> <p>10/25/19: Found guilty of fighting with an inmate, over a pair of shoes the inmate stole from Mr. Miller's "homie", per Miller's admission.</p> <p>9/21/19: Mr. Miller was found guilty of fighting with an inmate in the day room.</p> <p>12/10/16: Found guilty of battery on an inmate. Mr. Miller is seen fighting with an inmate in the yard, and is described as being the aggressor in the RVR.</p> <p>There is also a reliable confidential memo dated 10/28/19 that indicates criminal activity in prison.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because These multiple incidences of violent behavior, the two most recent being within the past 3 months, are highly probative of Mr. Miller's current risk of violence. The same holds true for his criminality in prison per the October 2019 memo. At this time, these aggravating circumstances of multiple and recent rules violations involving violence which resulted in physical injury or the threat of physical injury, combined with his criminality in prison, far outweigh any mitigating circumstances in the case. Therefore, the inmate's institutional adjustment is determined to be an aggravating factor in the case.</p>

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						<p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u> There were no responses to Legal Notices.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age of 22, and any physical and cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>As evident from the above discussion, Mr. Miller has consistently engaged in criminality involving the use of violence or the threat of violence since reaching adulthood in July of 2015. He choked and punched his then girlfriend in November 2015, and was convicted of corporal injury as a result. Despite that conviction and the resulting probation and restraining order, in June of 2016 he began threatening that same victim with death, expanding the threats to include her family and new boyfriend. Once in prison, he has engaged in repeated acts of violence, with two fights having taken place within the past 90 days. In addition, he has been engaging in criminal activity in prison as evident from the reliable memo noted above. As a result, his current crimes and his in prison conduct are all aggravating and highly indicative of an enhanced risk of him repeating or continuing this violent behavior. These facts far outweigh any applicable mitigating factors. Therefore, he clearly poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Dale Pomerantz</i></p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">James Paul Miller</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-88221 SCUK CRCR 14-78294 SCUK CRCR 10-15426</p>	<p>12/22/2016</p>	<p>PC § 4573.5 Bringing Drugs into Jail/Prison</p> <p>PC § 422 Criminal Threat</p> <p>PC § 12021(c)(1) Prohibited Person in Possession of a Firearm</p>		<p>48 mos.</p>	<p>10/12/2018</p>	<p>11/21/2018: Expedited Release GRANTED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision for James Miller, #AV4087: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is approved.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 4 years. The commitment offense is PC 4573.5, bringing drugs into prison for which the inmate received 2 years (doubled as a second strike) on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are listed above. The details of the commitment offense are as follows: On 11/14/16, peace officers conducted a traffic stop and determined the inmate had a parole warrant. The inmate was taken to the Mendocino County Jail and a subsequent search revealed he had hidden nine grams of methamphetamine on his person.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are no aggravating circumstances and the following mitigating circumstances make this a mitigating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate did not personally use a deadly weapon. 2. No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury.

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						<p>3. There was only one conviction.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2011 and continued until the commitment offense(s) in 2016. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: 2011 - PC 12021 (c)(1) possession of a firearm 2014 - PC 422 threaten crime with intent to terrorize</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years. <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current convictions. The inmate was released from his last felony commitment on 02/05/15 and was convicted of the current offense on 12/02/16. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence because the inmate was convicted of his current felony within one year of his release from his last felony commitment. It is also of concern that the prior felony conviction was assaultive in nature -- threatening with intent to terrorize. Therefore, this factor is slightly aggravating.</p>

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						<p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since 11/12/17, a period of approximately 1 year.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: Rules Violations: none Educational Assignments: General Education Vocational Assignments: Vocational Computer Literacy Work Assignments: Clerk, and Porter Programs and Self Help: Anger Management, and Criminal Thinking</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. 3. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments. I deem this to be sustained participation. 4. The inmate has successfully participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence because the inmate has demonstrated he is</p>

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						<p>not inclined to violent or criminal behavior through the absence of rules violations and confidential reports of criminal activity in his record. At the same time, he has demonstrated his pro-social and non-violent orientation by taking programming to address the circumstances of his commitment offense and participating in assignments that show he has learned useful skills and work habits.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4</u> - Response to Legal Notice</p> <p>There were no responses to Legal Notices.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the relatively short passage of time and what the inmate has accomplished in that time, the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p>Overall, the inmate no longer poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. His commitment offense involved bringing drugs into prison and as such it is not an aggravating factor. His prior criminal history while relatively short had a frequency of felony convictions that made it slightly aggravating. His institutional adjustment is a mitigating factor. He has completed training for a vocation and demonstrated positive work habits. There are no rules violations or confidential reports which implicate him in criminal activity. Most importantly, he has completed programming in the criminal thinking which was the driving force behind his commitment offense. The mitigating factors outweigh the aggravating factor. The inmate is approved for release.</p> <p><i>Edward Taylor</i></p>

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<p style="text-align: center;">Donald Gordon Powell</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 15-81852</p>	<p>07/24/2015</p>	<p>PC § 496(a) Receiving Stolen Property > \$950 Valuation = \$22,076.75</p>	<p>The term imposed by the local judge was doubled as the prosecution had alleged and proved up a prior Strike conviction. The Three Strikes law was passed, and then later modified, both by the voters, to ensure “longer prison commitments” for those who fall within the Three Strikes statutes.</p>	<p>48 mos.</p>	<p>07/05/2017</p>	<p>08/16/2017: Expedited Release GRANTED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Issue: Does Mr. Donald Powell (CDC# AX-4476) pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community? When considering Mr. Powell’s findings on the four case factors, both aggravating and mitigating, the factors demonstrate that Mr. Powell does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Current Commitment Offense:</u></p> <p>Mr. Powell’s current commitment offense(s) is a mitigating factor in this case. The commitment offenses are:</p> <p>On 6/9/2015, after the Victim watched Mr. Powell steal his mail which included “Money Orders.” The Victim followed him and pointed out Mr. Powell’s vehicle to the Police. During the search, the Officers found 19 stolen checks in the names of 11 different Victims. Many of the checks had been altered (even the ones he just took), and either had the names whited out or written over and now had the name of “Donald Powell” on them on the “pay to” line. The checks totaled above 20,000. On 1/19/2016, he was convicted of PC 475(C) Forgery of a completed check, Money Order. On 7/20/2015, he was convicted PC 496(A) Buy/Receive Stolen Property.</p> <p>Mr. Powell’s [sic] was sentenced to a total term of 5 years on the above convictions. His convictions will be examined for aggravating and mitigating factors that are common to the cases because the convictions are related in time and</p>

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						<p>type. He has the following aggravating factors (1) there were at least two victims of the above crimes, and (2) he was sentenced to two felonies.</p> <p>His mitigating points are (1) no weapon was used, (2) no violence, (3) no threats to a Victim, (4) no injuries to any Victim, and (5) theft related charges only.</p> <p>Mr. Powell's pervasive factors are that he altered and stole checks a theft related crime; therefore, his current offense is mitigating.</p> <p><u>Prior Criminal Record:</u></p> <p>Mr. Powell's prior criminal history began in 2008 and continued until the commitment offenses in 6/9/2015. His prior criminal record is an aggravating factor. He has the following serious criminal convictions (Adult): on 3/18/2008 – (1) PC 459 Burglary First Degree (Serious Felony per PC 1192.7(c)), (2) PC 459 Burglary Second Degree, (3) PC 476a Non-Sufficient Fund Check, and (4) PC 475(c) Possess Check with Intent to Defraud; and on 10/18/2011 – (5) PC 475(a) Possess Forged Paper and (6) VC 10851 Vehicle Theft.</p> <p>In review of Mr. Powell's prior record, the aggravating points are: (1) he has three or more felony convictions, (2) he was released CDCR on 10/8/2014 and current offense date of 8/6/2015 which is less than 5 years, (3) a pattern of similar repetitive conduct is established by his multiple checks, fraud, and forgery type convictions. Mr. Powell's mitigation factors are the following: (a) the majority of his convictions are theft offenses and (b) he has no known juvenile criminal record. Mr. Powell's criminal history spans nine years, and his history is without a significant source of violent criminal activity.</p>

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						<p>When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, Mr. Powell's prior criminal record is an aggravating factor because he does have multiple convictions and it spans nine years.</p> <p><u>Institutional Adjustment:</u></p> <p>Mr. Powell has been in custody (CDCR) on the current commitment offense since 8/6/2015 (two years). His behaviors during this confinement are the following: (1) No serious rule violations, (2) working with the Dairy as Mechanic, and (3) working in a Substance Abuse Program. Overall, his institutional record does show compliance with institutional rules and programs; therefore, his institutional conduct is a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>Response to Legal Notices:</u></p> <p>There was a response to the Legal Notices in support of release written by Donald Powell, dated 7/9/2017, which were considered in the decision. There was a response to the Legal Notices in opposition to his release from D.A.'s Office of Shasta County, written by Deputy DA, Stephanie A. Bridgett, dated 7/20/2017, that was considered in this decision.</p> <p>DECISION: In review, Mr. Powell has eight felony convictions that span nine years; however, the majority of those convictions are theft and paper related, and He does not have an assaultive felony conviction history. When balancing the aggravating factors (his prior criminal history) with the mitigating factors (his current commitment offense and his institutional adjustment), the mitigating factors outweigh the aggravating factor. Thus, Mr. Powell does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence</p>

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						to the community, and his release is approved. <i>James Weisbacher</i>
<p style="text-align: center;">William Villanueva Price</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 12-23809</p>	03/19/2013	PC § 273.5(E) Corporal Injury to a Spouse w/Prior Conviction		120 mos.	09/21/2018	<p>11/05/2018: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: When considering together the findings of each of the four factors for inmate William Price (AN8490), they show that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Early release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons: <u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offense aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 10 years on the current commitment offense. The commitment offense is PC 273.5(e)(1) corporal injury to a spouse/cohabitant with a prior. On 10/07/12, the inmate called the victim "stupid f-----g b-----" and punched the victim several times, while she was driving. The victim had to exit the vehicle to stop the physical attack. The victim also stated that the inmate had hit her approximately 15 to 20 times on prior occasions. The victim suffered the following injuries: pain and swelling under her right eye and under her upper cheekbone, and a contusion on the right side of the her head.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury due to the inmate's assaultive behavior.

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						<p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2009, and continued until the commitment offense in 2012. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: PC 245(a)(2) assault with firearm on person in 2009.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <p>The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in section 667 .5(c) of the Penal Code in the past 15 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <p>The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current conviction.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence because greater weight was given to the fact that the inmate was out of custody for only 4 years before he was convicted of the current offense demonstrating his inability to follow the rules and norms of society when he is not incarcerated.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p>

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						<p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offense(s) since March 28, 2013, a period of approximately 5 years and 7 months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: ABE 1, GED, dining room worker, kitchen worker, porter, vocational electronics, creative writing, insight to self-courses, 12 sessions of CCCMS anger management, substance abuse program, and certificate for core beliefs.</p> <p>It is noted that the inmate has been found guilty of the following serious RVRs during his current incarceration period with CDCR: possession of a cellular telephone, possession of alcohol, fighting, use of a controlled substance-morphine, refusal to provide a urine sample, admitted use of a controlled substance-marijuana, refuse to report, use of a controlled substance-THC Marijuana, and positive urinalysis-THC/marijuana.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison; and 2. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time (porter, GED courses, ABE, dining room worker, kitchen worker, vocational electronics, and creative writing). <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming</p>

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						<p>aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison (fighting on 8/26/15 and 1 /22/15); and 2. The inmate has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming, to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior, such as domestic violence. The fact that the inmate has participated in insight to self-courses, anger management, a core belief program, and 1 week of a substance abuse program do not support a sustained period of self-help programming in relation to his assaultive behavior and criminal conviction for corporal injury to a spouse/cohabitant. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence because greater weight was given to the fact that the inmate has incurred two RVRs for fighting (demonstrating that he cannot remain violence free even when he is incarcerated) and the inmate's limited participation in self-help programming that addresses the circumstances that contributed to his assaultive criminal behavior towards the victim. The inmate's limited self-help programming coupled with his RVRs for fighting make him an unreasonable current risk of violence to the community.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u> There were no responses to Legal Notices.</p> <p>SUMMARY:</p>

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						<p>When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age, the inmate's physical and cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p>Greater weight was given to the fact that the commitment offense involved physical violence towards the victim who suffered physical injuries as a result of the inmate's criminal conduct during the commitment offense, the inmate has incurred two RVRs for fighting (demonstrating that he cannot remain violence free and follow CDCR's rules and regulations), and his minimal participation in self-help programming during his incarceration with CDCR to address the circumstances that contributed to his PC 273.5(e)(1) criminal conviction. The aforementioned facts demonstrate that the inmate poses an unreasonable current risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Cristina Guerrero</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">William Villanueva Price</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 12-23809</p>	<p>03/19/13</p>	<p>PC § 273.5(E) Corporal Injury to a Spouse w/Prior Conviction</p>		<p>120 mos.</p>	<p>09/20/19</p>	

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<p style="text-align: center;">Jose A. Ramirez</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 15-82177</p>	<p>12/14/2015</p>	<p>HS § 11378 Possess a Controlled Substance For Sale</p> <p>PC § 136.1(A)(2) Prevent or Dissuade a Victim/Witness</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p>		<p>72 mos.</p>	<p>08/06/2019</p>	<p>11/20/2019: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision for Ramirez, Jose, AY6280: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a current, unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 6 years on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are PC 136.1(A) Attempt to Prevent/Dissuade Witness Against Testifying, 3 years doubled to 6 years due to a prior strike conviction, HS 11378 Possession of C/S for Sale, 3 years concurrent. The conviction date for these crimes was 10/22/15. The factual basis for each crime was reviewed from the inmate's file, and there were no aggravating circumstances applicable to them.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are no aggravating circumstances and the following mitigating circumstances make this a mitigating factor in the case:</p>

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						<p>1.The inmate did not personally use a deadly weapon. 2.No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. The inmate attempted to dissuade his sister from testifying against him and was found to have methamphetamine he possessed for purposes of sale. Therefore, the current crimes are found to be a mitigating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2003 and continued until the commitment offense(s) in 2015. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: 2003 PC 245(A)(1) Assault with Force:GBI Likely; 2012 PC 459 Burglary First, 9 months jail; 2014 PC 496(A) Receiving Stolen Property, sentenced to 16 months jail 10/15/14, reduced to a misdemeanor 12/5/14, PC 459 Second Degree Burglary, sentenced to 16 months jail 10/15/14, reduced to a misdemeanor 12/5/14.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years. The inmate has no PC 667.5(C) violent convictions. <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his or her current convictions. On 5/17/12, the inmate was sentenced to serve 9 months jail on a

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						<p>felony conviction for first degree burglary. On 10/15/14, the inmate was sentenced to serve 16 months jail on felony convictions for PC 496(A) Receiving Stolen Property and PC 459 Second Degree Burglary. Both the aforementioned dated are within 5 years of the inmate's conviction date of 10/22/15 on his commitment offenses. The inmates 2014 convictions were reduced to misdemeanors 12/5/14.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate has not been convicted of a PC 667.5(C) violent offense, and his last conviction involving violent behavior prior to his commitment offenses was in 2003, some 16 years ago. The foregoing mitigating circumstances are found to outweigh the aggravating circumstances of the inmate being sentenced to serve jail time on 3 property crime felony convictions within 5 years of the date of his conviction on the commitment offenses, noting that two of the property crime convictions were subsequently reduced to misdemeanors.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offense(s) since December 25, 2015, a period of approximately 3 years, 11 months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: 4/23/19 PC 4501 felony conviction - PC 4501 Assault with Force Likely to Cause GBI</p> <p>Serious RVRs:</p>

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						<p>Battery on Prisoner 6/13/19, 6/3/17, 7/7/16 Fighting 2/13/19, 4/9/16 Participation in a Riot 2/10/19 Pending Battery Causing Serious Injury 4/24/18</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his or her last admission to prison. This includes Battery on Prisoner 6/13/19, 6/3/17, and 7/7/16; Fighting 2/13/19, 4/9/16 and Participation in a Riot 2/10/19. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because information in the inmate's file concerning the inmate's programming and institutional behavior was reviewed. The inmate was found guilty of a Rules Violation Report dated 6/13/19 for Battery on Prisoner. The Rules Violation Report indicates a correctional officer observed inmate Ramirez and another inmate striking the victim inmate in the face with their fists. Multiple force options were utilized to stop the attack on the victim inmate. As a result of the inmate's recent violent behavior, approximately 5 months ago, it is determined that the inmate's institutional adjustment aggravates his current risk of violence.</p>

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						<p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There was a response to the Legal Notices in support of release from the inmate, a letter received 9/10/19 which was reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time and the inmate's age, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>During the inmate's current term of approximately 3 years, 11 months, the inmate has incurred six RVRs that involve physical injury/threat of physical injury, the most recent dated approximately 6 months ago on 6/13/19 for Battery on Prisoner. In 2019 alone, the inmate has been found guilty of RVRs for Participation in a Riot, Fighting and Battery on Prisoner. This recent pattern of violent behavior is found highly probative on the issue of the inmate's current risk of violence. Additionally, the inmate was convicted of a Tate term on 4/23/19 for a violation of PC 4501, Assault with Force Likely to Cause GBI. The underlying offense took place on 4/24/18, when the inmate, and another inmate repeatedly punched the victim inmate in the face and upper torso, refusing to get down when ordered to do so. The victim inmate suffered injuries that included a facial fracture and a laceration to his nose requiring sutures. The foregoing aggravating circumstances are found to outweigh the mitigating circumstances of the absence of a use of a weapon and physical injuries/threat of physical injuries in the commitment offense, the absence of PC 667.5(C) violent convictions and the inmate's positive programming when</p>

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						<p>assessing the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>John Denvir</i></p>
<p>Billy Joe Rickman</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 16-85102 SCUK CRCR 16-86758</p>	<p>12/01/2016</p>	<p>PC § 236/210.5 False Imprisonment/Hostage</p> <p>PC § 245(a)(1) Assault w/Deadly Weapon</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p>		<p>96 mos.</p>	<p>10/07/2019</p>	
<p>Harold Lloyd Rogers</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 14-78953</p>	<p>12/17/2015</p>	<p>VC § 23152(E)/23550.5(A) [DUI- drugs w/felony prior DUI]</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p> <p>PC § 667.5(b) X 2 Prior Prison Commitment</p>		<p>96 mos.</p>	<p>07/03/2018</p>	<p>08/15/2018: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: When considering together the findings of each of the four factors for inmate Harold Rogers (AY6278), they show that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Early release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offense aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of eight years on</p>

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						<p>the current commitment offense. The commitment offenses are VC 23152(E)/23550.5(A)(1), DUI within 10 years of other specified violations and PC 667.5(b), prior prison term, as an enhancement. On June 6, 2014 police responded to the scene of a traffic collision. The inmate had hit a tree and evidenced signs of intoxication. He was driving on a suspended license. During the probation investigation, the inmate indicated he had substituted methamphetamine for alcohol as his drug of choice.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstances in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate personally used a deadly weapon. 2. There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. 3. The inmate created a threat of violence by driving under the influence of alcohol/drugs and caused an accident and self-inflicted injuries. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1985 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2014. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: In 1985 the inmate was convicted of PC 459, first degree burglary, in 1989, PC 470, forgery, in 1991, PC 4573.6, possession of drugs in prison, in 2001, PC 10851 (a), vehicle theft, in 2001, PC 4532(b), escape from custody, in 2007 VC 23152(b)/23550(a), DUI/habitual traffic offender, and in 2009, VC23152(b)/23550.5(a), DUI/habitual traffic</p>

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						<p>offender/multiple offenses within 10 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence are: The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate's prior criminal convictions coupled with his current convictions show a pattern of assaultive behavior or a pattern of similar criminal conduct that is increasing in severity. The inmate has multiple DUI convictions and is a habitual traffic offender. 2. The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current convictions. The inmate was paroled July 15, 2011 and re-offended June 6, 2014. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has a pattern of similar criminal conduct with multiple drug and alcohol related offenses, and coupled with his current DUI conviction, exhibits a pattern that is increasing in severity as this offense involved a traffic accident. He re-offended within three years of his parole for DUI within 10 years and as a habitual traffic offender.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since December 22, 2015, a period of approximately 2 years 8 months.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities:</p>

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						<p>He has worked as a porter, a satellite kitchen worker, and as an inmate day laborer.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. 3. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time. <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <p>The inmate has limited or no participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior, such as substance abuse. The inmate is an admitted alcoholic/drug addict and has a history of offenses including burglary, forgery, vehicle theft, DUI, habitual traffic offender, as an adult from 1985 to 2014, 29 years, yet he has not participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence because although the inmate has worked while he has been incarcerated, he has not participated in</p>

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						<p>self-help programming or rehabilitation to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from the inmate dated July 10, 2018 which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age, the inmate's physical and cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p>The inmate drove intoxicated, endangering the motoring public and causing an accident. His criminal history includes drug and alcohol related offenses exhibiting a pattern of similar criminal conduct that is increasing in severity, with two DUI habitual traffic offender convictions not including the current DUI conviction. He has not participated in rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Ana Soares</i></p>
<p>Harold Lloyd Rogers</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 14-78953</p>	<p>12/17/2015</p>	<p>VC § 23152(E)/23550.5(A) [DUI- drugs w/felony prior DUI]</p> <p>PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction</p>		<p>96 mos.</p>	<p>07/05/2019</p>	<p>09/11/2019: Expedited Release APPROVED.</p> <p>Decision for Rogers, Harold, AY6278: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate does not pose a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is approved.</p>

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		<p>PC § 667.5(b) X 2 Prior Prison Commitment</p>				<p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offense aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of eight years on the current commitment offense. The commitment offense is VC 23152(a), DUI within 10 years of other specified violations, with two counts of PC 667.5(b), prior prison term as an enhancement. The inmate was sentenced per strike prior, 667(b)/PC 1170.12.</p> <p>On 6/6/2014 police responded to the scene of a traffic collision. The inmate had lost control of his vehicle, gone off the road and hit a tree. He was transported to the hospital due to pain and a bloody nose. The inmate exhibited signs of intoxication. He was driving on a suspended license, and had a no bail bench warrant out of Mendocino County.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstances in the case, and the following circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.The inmate personally used a deadly weapon. By driving while under the influence of alcohol, the inmate endangered himself and the public. 2.There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p>
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						<p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1985 and continued until the commitment offense in 2014. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: In 1985 he was convicted of PC 459, burglary 1st, in 1989, PC 470, forgery, in 1991, PC 4573.6, possession of drugs in prison, in 2001, PC 10851(a), vehicle theft, in 2001, PC 4532(b), escape from custody, in 2007, VC 23152(b)/23550(a), DUI/habitual traffic offender, and in 2009, VC 23152(b)/VC23550.5(a), DUI/habitual traffic offender/multiple offenses within 10 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <p>The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.The inmate's prior criminal convictions coupled with his current convictions show a pattern of assaultive behavior or a pattern of similar criminal conduct that is increasing in severity. 2.The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current convictions. The inmate was paroled 7/15/2011 and convicted 10/6/2015, four years later. <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because although not convicted of a violent felony under PC 667.5(c), the inmate</p>

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						<p>was twice convicted as a DUI/habitual traffic offender, and he was convicted of the current DUI within four years of his prior release from incarceration.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offense since December 22, 2015.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: He has worked as a porter, as a satellite kitchen worker, and as an inmate day laborer. The inmate has no rule violations and no confidential information in his file. He previously obtained his GED while at CYA in 1985, and has transmission and auto mechanic training from the community.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports since his last admission to prison. The inmate has remained discipline free. 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. 3. The inmate has successfully participated in work assignments for a sustained period of time. <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <p>The inmate has no participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances</p>

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						<p>that contributed to his criminal behavior, such as substance abuse. The inmate's main problem has been alcohol or drug abuse by history.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because it is significant that he has no rule violations, no negative confidential information, and has worked so successfully for a sustained period of time.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from the inmate dated 7/30/2019 and 7/10/2018 which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age, the inmate's physical and cognitive limitations, the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>The inmate has been incarcerated almost four years on the current offenses. During this period of time he has remained free of rule violations and has worked successfully and for a sustained period of time. He clearly has vocational skills from the community, and previously obtained his GED. Although his commitment offense was aggravating and his prior criminal history is aggravating due to his repeated convictions as a DUI/habitual offender, he has not exhibited drug or alcohol behavior while incarcerated, although it would have been preferable to see the inmate program by attending substance abuse</p>

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						<p>high rate of speed, weaving in and out of lanes, and running red lights. The chase ended after officers laid down spike strips on Interstate 680. In December 2014, the trial court revoked Ruano's probation and imposed the previously imposed sentence of 16 years, 8 months, and 1 year, 8 months for the PC69. The aggravating circumstances include 1) Ruano was sentenced to two or more felonies during the current term; and, 2) he was on probation at the time of the offenses. In mitigation: 1) no weapon was used in the committing offenses; 2) the crimes did not involve violence; and, 3) no one was physically injured. When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstance [sic], Ruano's current commitment offense [sic] is an aggravating factor due to the extreme danger Ruano posed to the community during the multi-county high speed chase.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 – Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>Ruano's prior criminal record is considered an aggravating factor. He suffered thirteen (13) felony convictions including: HS11351.5 Possession of cocaine base for sale (1987, 1988, and 1991); HS11350 Possession of controlled substance (1989); HS11351 Possession of controlled substance for sale (1992); HS11378 Possession of controlled substance for sale (1996, 1997 – 2 counts, and 2008); VC 10851 Auto theft (1997); VC 2800.2 Evading – 2 counts (1997); and, PC245(a)(1) Assault with a deadly weapon (2006). The factors in aggravation include: 1) Ruano has been convicted of more than 3 felony offenses, as listed above; 2) he was not free from incarceration for at least 5 years prior to the date of the current offense [sic]. Ruano was incarcerated in 2008 on a drug offense and was on probation for that offense when he was arrested on July 16, 2009, and 3) the prior felony</p>

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						<p>convictions show a pattern of similar repetitive criminal conduct. There are no factors in mitigation, therefore, Ruano's prior criminal record is an aggravating factor.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 – Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>Ruano has been incarcerated on the commitment offense since December 30, 2014, a period of 2 years, 8 months. His EPRD is February 28, 2021. Ruano is a 53-year old fifth term. He is currently assigned to the scullery. Ruano incurred a serious rules violation on March 13, 2016 for possession of dangerous contraband. There are confidential memoranda, dated March 23, 2016 and June 26, 2015 which contain negative information. According to a chrono dated July 28, 2015, Ruano is a validated in-active member of the Northern Structure. He has not participated in any rehabilitative programs while in custody this term. His institutional adjustment is deemed an aggravating factor.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 – Response to Legal Notices</u></p> <p>Letters were received in support of early release from Jacqueline Trujillo and Jeffrey Ruano.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When considering together the aggravating factors of Jeffrey Ruano's current commitment offense, his prior criminality, and his negative institutional behavior, it is clear that Ruano poses an unreasonable risk of harm to the community. His criminal history spans 30 years with persistent misdemeanor and felony convictions, numerous parole and probation violations, and little to no behavior that would suggest that he has been rehabilitated. Early release is denied.</p> <p><i>Kathleen Newman</i></p>

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<p>Ivan Ocoltzi Sanchez</p> <p>SCTM CRCR 13-73915 SCTM CRCR 13-72354</p>	06/08/2015	<p>PC § 245(a)(1) Assault With a Deadly Weapon</p> <p>PC § 245(a)(1) Assault With a Deadly Weapon</p>	It was found true by a jury that the defendant is a participating member of a criminal street gang.	108 mos.	07/07/2017	<p>08/31/2017: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: After full review and considering together the findings on each of the four of the inmate's case factors, both aggravating and mitigating, they do tend to show that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 – Current Commitment Offense</u></p>

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						<p>The commitment offenses are: On 5/16/13 the inmate committed an assault with a deadly weapon in violation of the criminal street gang act [PC 245(A)(1) and PC 186.22(b)]. The inmate a Sureno gang member attacked a rival gang member with a two foot club hitting him. The inmate was also convicted of assaulting his girlfriend on 8/26/13. The inmate attacked her while in possession of a knife, by kicking her leaving lacerations and swelling, black and blue marks on her face. The inmate received a term of nine years.</p> <p>Circumstances in aggravation are [sic] 5/16/13: The inmate used a club/weapon, threatened/injured the victim and he was convicted of multiple offenses.</p> <p>The mitigating circumstances are: None.</p> <p>Circumstances for the 8/26/13 event: The inmate was in possession of a knife, threatened/injured the victim, and was convicted of multiple offenses. Mitigation: None.</p> <p>These circumstances must be balanced relative to risk of physical violence. In the commitment offense there is violence, injury weapons, and gang activity; overwhelming evidence of risk for future violence. The commitment offenses are aggravating.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 – Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate’s serious juvenile adjudications or prior criminal history began on 5/23/05 for two misdemeanors for submitting a false insurance claim and PC 148 resisting arrest.</p> <p>The aggravating circumstances are: None. The mitigating circumstances are: The inmate was not</p>

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						<p>convicted of any felonies and he was not in custody for five years preceding the commitment offense.</p> <p>Balancing the circumstances when there is no aggravation, no felonies and without incarceration preceding the commitment offenses within five years, the inmate's prior criminal record is mitigating.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 – Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate has been incarcerated on the commitment offense since 6/11/15, a period of approximately two years and three months. During incarceration the inmate has committed one rule violation on 9/6/15 for possession of a cell phone. He did completed [sic] substance abuse self-help group lasting five months per Chrono 5/18/16. After three months from incarceration he is in possession of a cell phone, subsequent thereto completed a positive program; however the serious rule violation outweighs the self-help, though very encouraging. Institution adjustment is aggravating.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 – Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>The inmate submitted a hand printed letter, undated, supporting his early release. This letter was reviewed and considered.</p> <p>SUMMARY: The aggravating factors in this case are the commitment offense and his institutional adjustment however his prior record is aggravating. His assault pursuant to gang activity in May 2013 and the assault against [sic] in September 2013 is weighty evidence of future risk for physical violence outweighing his prior record. His prior record is more remote in time and the aggravation is more current; thus, more relevant to</p>

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						current risk. The inmate does pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community and release is denied. <i>Walter Johnson</i>
<p style="text-align: center;">Jeremy Lee Simms</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 14-75767 SCUK CRCR 14-75532 SCUK CRCR 13-75384</p>	08/08/2014	<p>PC § 487(c) Grand Theft > \$950</p> <p>PC § 459/459(b) Commercial Burglary</p> <p>H&S Code § 11379 [Methamphetamine] Possession for Sale</p>	<p>This defendant is a recidivist who steals from those around him when not incarcerated. He previously suffered a prior Strike conviction for residential burglary in the Mendocino County Superior Court. He also does not learn a lesson from prior punishments. He had previously served <u>six</u> separate prison commitments before these crimes noted to the left.</p>	160 mos.	07/05/2017	<p>08/17/2017: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>Decision: When considering together the findings on each of the four of the inmate's case factors, both aggravating and mitigating, they demonstrate that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Accordingly, release is DENIED.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 – Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The inmate's current commitment offenses are an aggravating factor in this case. The commitment offenses are: (1) PC 487 Grand Theft Person; (2) PC 459 Burglary 2nd; (3) HS 11379(a) Transport Controlled Substance.</p> <p>On 1/22/14, Simms took cash from the register of a tire store. The [owner] followed Simms to his car and asked Simms to return the cash. Simms sprayed mace on the [owner].</p> <p>In November and December 2013, Simms took items from a residence. When later confronted about returning the stolen items, Simms threatened victims with a sawed off shotgun. When arrested on separate occasions, Simms was found to be in possession of meth, digital scales, pills, needles, a glass pipe, and large sums of cash.</p> <p>The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 20 years, 4</p>

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						<p>months on the current commitment offenses.</p> <p>The aggravating circumstances are: (Grand Theft/Burglary) there were 2 or more victims, injury to the victim, violence or threat of violence to the victim; and Simms was sentenced to 2 or more felonies.</p> <p>The mitigating circumstances are: (Transport Controlled Substance) no weapon was used.</p> <p>When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, the inmate's current commitment offenses are an aggravating factor because of the violence and injury involved.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 – Prior Criminal Record:</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal record is an aggravating factor in this case. The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1995 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2013 and 2014. The inmate has the following serious juvenile adjudications and/or adult criminal convictions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 6/16/95: PC459 1st Burglary 1st; 2. 6/16/95: PC460(b) Burglary 2nd; 3. 1/15/98: PC460(a) Burglary 1st; 4. 1/15/98: PC459(b) Burglary 2nd; 5. 9/21/01: PC12021(a) Felon Possess Firearm; 6. 9/24/03: HS11377(a) Possess Controlled Substance; 7. 8/26/04: HS11377(a) Possess Controlled Substance; 8. 12/17/08: VC2800.2(a) Evade PO: Disregard Safety; 9. 12/17/08: VC10851(a) Vehicle Theft; 10. 12/17/08: HS11379 Transport Controlled Substance <p>The aggravating circumstances are: Simms has been convicted of 3 or more felonies, less than 5 years elapsed</p>

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						<p>between release from prior incarceration on 3/22/12 and the new offense on 11/22/13.</p> <p>There are no mitigating circumstances present.</p> <p>When considering the aggravating circumstances and lack of any mitigating circumstances, the inmate's prior criminal record is an aggravating factor because of the length of the history that involves firearm possession and felony evading.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 – Institutional Adjustment:</u></p> <p>The inmate has been incarcerated on the commitment offenses since 8/28/14, a period of approximately 3 years.</p> <p>During incarceration, Simms has not incurred any fully adjudicated RVRs and has participated in college courses.</p> <p>After balancing the positive factors against the negative factors, the inmate's institutional record shows overall compliance with institutional rules and is a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 – Response to Legal Notices:</u></p> <p>There was a response to the Legal Notices in support of release.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When balancing the aggravating factors in this case, the commitment offenses and prior criminal record, with the mitigating factor in this case, institutional behavior, the aggravating factors heavily outweigh anything present in mitigation. Simms' current offenses that involved using mace on a victim, coupled with his lengthy criminal history that includes possession of a</p>

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						firearm and felony evading, demonstrate that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Accordingly, release is DENIED.
<p style="text-align: center;">Jeremy Lee Simms</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 14-75767 SCUK CRCR 14-75532</p>	08/08/2014	<p>PC § 487(c) Grand Theft > \$950</p> <p>PC § 459/459(b) Commercial Burglary</p> <p>H&S Code § 11379 [Methamphetamine] Possession for Sale</p>	<p>This defendant is a recidivist who steals from those around him when not incarcerated. He previously suffered a prior Strike conviction for residential burglary in the Mendocino County Superior Court. He also does not learn a lesson from prior punishments. He had previously served <u>six</u> separate prison commitments before these crimes noted to the left.</p>	160 mos.	07/05/2019	<p><i>Neal Chambers</i></p> <p>08/29/2019: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision for Simms, Jeremy, AU4183: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a current, unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 20 years, 4 months on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) PC 487(c) – Grand theft from person for which the inmate received a term of 6 years, (doubled as a second strike). (2) PC 459 – Burglary 2nd for which the inmate received a term of 16 months, consecutive to the other charge. (3) HS 11370.2(c) – Possession of controlled substance with prior felony conviction for which the inmate received a term of 3 years, consecutive to the other charge. (4) HS 11379(a) – Transportation of controlled substance for which the inmate received a term of 2 years, consecutive to the other charge. (5) There was an enhancement pursuant to PC 12022.1 for 2 years for committing a crime while on bail. (6) There were six enhancements per PC667.5(b) for prior

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						<p>prison terms (6 years).</p> <p>On 1/22/14, Simms took cash from the register of a tire store. The employee followed Simms to his car and asked Simms to return the cash. Simms sprayed mace on the employee.</p> <p>In November and December 2013, Simms took items from a residence. When later confronted about returning the stolen items, Simms threatened victims with a sawed off shotgun. When arrested on separate occasions, Simms was found to be in possession of methamphetamine, digital scales, pills, needles, a glass pipe, and large sums of cash.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstance(s) in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <p>1. There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. The inmate, Jeremy Simms, used threats of violence during the commission of his theft crimes. Police reports indicate that in January 2014, the inmate stole money from a cash register then sprayed mace at the store employee who confronted him. In December 2013, the inmate threatened the victim with a sawed off shotgun after being confronted about another theft he committed.</p> <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1995 and continued until the commitment offense(s) in 2014. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal</p>

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						<p>convictions: 06/16/95: PC459 Burglary 1st; 06/16/95: PC460(b) Burglary 2nd; 01/15/98: PC460(a) Burglary 1st; 01/15/98: PC460(b) Burglary 2nd; 09/21/01: PC12021(a) Felon Possess Firearm; 09/24/03: HS11377(a) Possess Controlled Substance; 08/26/04: HS11377(a) Possess Controlled Substance; 12/17/08: VC2800.2(a) Evade PO: Disregard Safety; 12/17/08: VC10851(a) Vehicle Theft; 12/17/08: HS11379 Transport Controlled Substance.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: 1.The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years. The inmate has not incurred any convictions for crimes defined by PC 667.5(c).</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: 1.The inmate's prior criminal convictions coupled with his current convictions show a pattern of similar criminal conduct that is increasing in severity. The inmate has eight prior felony convictions for theft and/or drug crimes, going back to 1995. However, in the current crimes, the inmate's behavior escalated to include violence. After stealing from a cash register, the inmate sprayed mace at an employee who told him to give back the money. When another victim confronted the inmate about his theft crimes, the inmate threatened the victim with a sawed-off shotgun. 2.The inmate was incarcerated for a felony conviction within five years prior to his current convictions. The inmate paroled from prison on 03/22/12 and he was</p>

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						<p>convicted of the current offenses on 07/28/14, a period of time less than 5 years.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate has a long history of criminal activity that includes primarily theft and drug offenses. However, the fact that his criminal behavior is escalating in his most recent crimes to include violence is given great weight. Considerable weight was given to the fact that the inmate was in the community for less than two years when he became involved in criminal activity again.</p> <p>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since August 28, 2014, a period of approximately 5 years.</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: WORK HISTORY: PIA Facilities Maintenance, Visiting Porter/Photographer, Clerk, and Outside Work Crew. VOCATIONAL TRAINING: None EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS: College Courses (32 units) SELF-HELP PARTICIPATION: Parenting Class (Removed due to lack of commitment to program), Katargeo Basic (Removed due to lack of commitment to program), Alcoholics Anonymous (Removed due to lack of commitment to program), Insight Garden Project, Parenting Class, Victim Awareness SERIOUS RULES VIOLATIONS: 05/16/18 Fighting</p>

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						<p>07/21/17 Fighting</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <p>1.The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time. The inmate has maintained a full-time work assignment since August 2015 and receives positive supervisor's reports. In addition, the inmate has completed several college courses and has a GPA of 3.29.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <p>1.The inmate has been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison. The inmate was issued two serious RVRs for fighting.</p> <p>2.There is reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. A confidential memorandum dated 08/21/18 was read and considered in this decision.</p> <p>3.The inmate has limited participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior, such as substance abuse. When the inmate was arrested, he was found to be in possession of methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia. His participation in rehabilitative programs to address substance abuse issues is very limited.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current</p>

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						<p>risk of violence or significant criminal activity because the inmate has failed to address the underlying causes of his criminal behavior through participation in substance abuse groups and other rehabilitative programs. Additionally, the inmate was found guilty on two serious RVRs involving violence and there is confidential information indicating that the inmate has been involved in criminal behavior while incarcerated. It is noted that the inmate has made substantial gains in the areas of work skills and educational upgrades; however, these gains are outweighed by his lack of efforts in other areas of rehabilitation, particularly substance abuse treatment.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from Jeremy Simms, letters dated 07/6/19 and July 18, 2017, which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time and the inmate's age of 44 years, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>In this review, the inmate's current offenses, his prior criminal history, and his institutional behavior are all aggravating factors. The inmate has a long criminal history dating back to 1995 that includes thefts, drugs, and other criminal behavior. However, of concern is that the inmate's most recent crimes have escalated to violence when the inmate is being confronted regarding his criminal behavior. This pattern of violent behavior continued during his incarceration resulting in two RVRs for fighting.</p>

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						Some aspects of his incarceration are positive. The inmate is commended for his educational upgrades and his improved job skills; however, at this time, the inmate continues to pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release. <i>Kathleen Newman</i>
Jerry Mark Stewart, Jr. SCUK CRCR 17-89845	12/07/2017	HS § 11366.8(a) Possession/Storing of Controlled Substances HS § 11379(a) Transportation of a Controlled Substance PC § 1170.12 Prior Strike Conviction		56 mos.	04/04/2019	05/31/2019: Expedited Release DENIED. Decision for Stewart, Jerry, BD4869: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a current, unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is denied. Statement of Reasons: <u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u> The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 4 years and 8 months on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are HS 11379(a)-Transport/Import Controlled Substance, (2 years doubled to 4 years due to strike prior, and HS11366.8(a)-Possess False Compartment to Store Controlled Substance, (8 months) for a total of 4 years and 8 months. On 5/5/2017, the deputy conducted a traffic stop where the inmate was driving a vehicle. The deputy observed that the inmate displayed signs of being impaired and the inmate admitted that he had prescription medication pills hours before, but was not feeling the effect of them. At some point the deputy searched the inmate's vehicle and recovered the following: a burrito on the passenger seat

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						<p>and noticed that the interior of the burrito was solid. The deputy tore the burrito and saw an aluminum foil and a clear sandwich bag containing methamphetamine; a small Altoids container that had a small amount of methamphetamine; and a yellow shopping bag that contained a clear gallon sized zip lock bag of marijuana. The deputy searched the inmate's person and recovered a piece of aluminum foil that contained methamphetamine. The marijuana found inside the inmate's vehicle weighed 24 grams and the methamphetamine weighed 34.2 grams. After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are no aggravating circumstances and the following mitigating circumstances make this a mitigating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate did not personally use a deadly weapon; and 2. No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury <p>Therefore, the current crimes are found to be a mitigating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u> The inmate's prior criminal history began in 1982 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2017. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: PC187 2nd- Murder 2nd with an enhancement of PC12022.5-use of firearm (10/7/1982 and released from prison on 5/18/2010). The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the

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						<p>Penal Code in the past 15 years; and</p> <p>2. The inmate was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current conviction.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: There are no aggravating factors.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because there are no aggravating factors. Great weight is given to the fact that the inmate has not been convicted of a statutory violent felony in the past 15 years; and the inmate was free from incarceration for a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury to a victim or a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current conviction. The inmate's only adult felony was for murder with a firearm conviction that occurred more than 30 years ago and was release from prison for this murder on 5/18/2010, more than 7 years from the current commitment conviction dates of 5/30/2017 and 11/9/2017.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u> The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since December 21, 2017, a period of approximately 1 year and 5 months. The inmate has been involved in the following activities: During the current incarceration, the inmate did not have any serious Rule Violation Reports (RVRS). There is no</p>

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						<p>reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison. The inmate has participated in the following positive programming: Landscaping, substance abuse recovery support groups, and Inmate day laborer; The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate has not been found guilty of institutional Rules Violations Reports resulting in physical injury or threat of physical injury since his last admission to prison; 2. There is no reliable information in the confidential section of the inmate's central file indicating the inmate has engaged in criminal activity since his last admission to prison; and 3. The inmate has successfully participated in vocational, educational, or work assignments for a sustained period of time. By participating in work assignments the inmate is obtaining marketable skills so that he can obtain a job in the community and focus his time in a positive, structured, and deliberate way where he can contribute to the community, as opposed to driving a vehicle that contained methamphetamine and marijuana that were packaged for transport/concealment. <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.The inmate has limited or no participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior, such as substance. However, the inmate needs to participate in substance abuse program for a sustained

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						<p>period time and needs to participate in self-help or rehabilitative programming to address why the inmate was driving a vehicle, observed by the deputy to be impaired, and admitted to taking prescription medication, and was transporting several packages of methamphetamine and a package of marijuana.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because although the inmate is commended for being disciplinary and violent free in the institution, as well as working on a marketable skill for as sustained period of time. The inmate's lack of participation in self-help or rehabilitative programming is given great weight because the inmate was driving a vehicle, observed to be impaired by the officer, and contained marijuana and several packages of methamphetamine.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u> There were responses to the Legal Notices in support of release from inmate, via letter dated 4/14/2019, supporting release which was reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including no known physical and cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The mitigating factors are that the inmate is commended for staying violence free in the institution and participated</p>

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						<p>in work assignments for a sustained period of time; that the commitment offense did not involve the use of weapon and did not involve physical harm or threat of physical harm against a victim; and that as for the prior criminal record, the inmate was not convicted of statutory violent felony or incarcerated for a felony conviction within 5 years of the current commitment offense, as the inmate had only one prior adult felony conviction for murder with the use of firearm in which he was convicted in 1982 and released from prison in 2010. However, great weight is given to the aggravating factor of having limited participation in self-help and rehabilitative programming to address why the inmate was driving a vehicle appearing to be impaired, admitting that he had prescription medication pills hours before; and why he was transporting methamphetamine and marijuana inside his vehicle. The inmate needs to participate in substance abuse programming and other available programming for a sustained period of time in order to address his criminal behavior in the community. Accordingly, based on the totality of the circumstances, the inmate does pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Teresa Meighan</i></p>
<p>Laureano Alvarado Valencia SCUK CRCR 14-76856</p>	<p>05/25/2017</p>	<p>PC § 29800(A)(1) Felon in Possession of a Firearm H&S § 11378 [Methamphetamine] Possession for Sale H&S § 11370.2 [Prior]</p>		<p>68 Mos.</p>	<p>11/20/2018</p>	<p>12/27/2018: Expedited Release APPROVED.</p> <p>Decision based on the reasons stated below:</p> <p>When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's, Laureano Valencia (#BD2426) four case factors, he does not pose an unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Release is approved.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p>

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						<p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u></p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 5 years 8 months on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are PC 29800(a)(1), felon in possession of a firearm, HS 11378, possession of a controlled substance for sale. Midterm of 3 years on Count 1, 1/3 midterm on Count 2, with a 3 year consecutive enhancement pursuant to HS11370.2(c) for possession of a controlled substance exceeding 1 kilo.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are no aggravating circumstances and the following mitigating circumstances make this a mitigating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The inmate did not personally use a deadly weapon. 2. No victims suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury. <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u></p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2003 and continued until the commitment offenses in 2017. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: 2003- HS11378, possession of methamphetamine for sale, armed with firearm.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence are:</p>

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						<p>1. The inmate has never been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code.</p> <p>2. The inmate was free from incarceration for a felony conviction for five years or more prior to his current convictions. The inmate was previously released from prison on 4/10/2006, and convicted of the current offenses on 3/16/2017, a period of time in excess of 5 years duration.</p> <p>There are no aggravating circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that are applicable.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence because The inmate's criminal history reflects two mitigating circumstances and there are no aggravating circumstances with which to offset. Therefore the inmate's criminal history is mitigating.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u></p> <p>The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since June 1, 2017, a period of approximately 1 year 7 months.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence:</p> <p>The inmate has been involved in the following activities: The inmate has no Rules Violation Reports. A review of the inmate's central file indicates the inmate has participated in the following work assignments during</p>

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						<p>his current term. -Main Kitchen Cook A review of the inmate's central file indicates the inmate has not participated in any vocational assignments during his current term. A review of inmate's central file indicates the inmate has participated in the following educational assignments during his current term. 11/7/2018-current, Adult ABE I A review of the inmate's central file indicates the inmate has not participated in any self-help or rehabilitative programming during his current term.</p> <p>The circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence are the inmate has no participation in available rehabilitative or self-help programming to address the circumstances that contributed to his criminal behavior.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence because the inmate has no history of violence, domestic violence, or gang participation. There is no evidence to establish the inmate has substance abuse concerns. Despite the inmate's lack of programming the inmate has been compliant with institutional rules, has engaged in work and recently commenced to improve his education. Therefore, his institutional adjustment is regarded as a mitigating factor.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u></p> <p>There were no responses to Legal Notices.</p>

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						<p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence.</p> <p>The inmate's prior criminal history, commitment offenses and institutional adjustment were all determined to be mitigating factors. The inmate has no history of violence and there being no aggravating factors, there is nothing to establish the inmate currently poses an unreasonable risk of violence. The inmate is approved for release.</p> <p><i>David Hurd</i></p>
<p>Angelo Jovan Want</p> <p>SCUK CRCR 12-22772 SCUK CRCR 12-20188 SCUK CRCR 10-11573</p>	<p>05/23/2014</p>	<p>PC § 664/187(a) Attempted Murder</p> <p>PC § 245(a)(2) Assault With a Firearm</p> <p>VC § 2800.2(a) Evading a Peace Officer</p> <p>PC § 422 Criminal Threats</p> <p>PC § 417/186.22(d) Drawing or Exhibiting a Weapon/Gang Affiliation</p> <p>PC § 1170.12</p>		<p>148 mos.</p>	<p>09/09/2019</p>	<p>01/16/2020: Expedited Release DENIED.</p> <p>Decision for Want, Angelo, AT7716: When considering together the findings on each of the inmate's four case factors, the inmate poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence or a current, unreasonable risk of significant criminal activity to the community. Release is denied.</p> <p>Statement of Reasons:</p> <p><u>Case Factor #1 - Current Commitment Offense</u> The circumstances of the inmate's current commitment offenses aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate was sentenced to a total term of 13 years on the current commitment offenses. The commitment offenses are from 3 combined cases, arising from incidents in 2010, 2011, & 2012. The crimes are, in order, PC 422 criminal threats with a PC</p>

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		Prior Strike Conviction PC § 667.5(a) Prior Serious Felony Conviction				<p>186.22 gang finding; VC 2800.2(a) reckless evasion; and PC 245(a)(2) ADW with a firearm. In order of their commission, the facts are as follows:</p> <p>Case #1: In April of 2010, he threatened a rival gang member with a knife, while making statements about his gang. When police went to arrest him the next day, he tried to punch the officer.</p> <p>Case #2: In November 2011, police tried to pull him over for a traffic violation. He led them on a high speed chase, driving recklessly until he crashed the car and then fled on foot, escaping into the forest. He was caught on a later date.</p> <p>Case #3: In July 2012, he shot a man he thought was a rival gang member and then fled the scene. When the SWAT team came to his house to arrest him, he ran off into the fields and farmland, escaping. A month later he was found at a motel, but again tried to run away.</p> <p>He originally had a suspended sentence for the 2010 PC 422, but it was imposed as a result of the other convictions. He was sentenced as follows: 3 years for the ADW, and 8 months each for the 422 and the firearm possession. A 2 year sentence for the evasion was made concurrent. Enhancements of 3 years, 8 months per PC 1170.12 and 5 years per PC 667(a) were added.</p> <p>After careful review and consideration of the aggravating and mitigating circumstances in all of the current crimes, there are aggravating circumstances in the case and the following aggravating circumstances make this an aggravating factor in the case:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.) The inmate personally used a deadly weapon, in these cases a knife and a gun; and 2.) There were one or more victims who suffered physical injury or threat of physical injury, which hold true in all 3 cases: he threatened a man with a knife and then tried to punch the police officer that was arresting him; he endangered the police and public with his reckless driving

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						<p>while trying to evade the police; and he shot a man. Therefore, the current crimes are found to be an aggravating risk factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #2 - Prior Criminal Record</u> The inmate's prior criminal history began in 2010 with the PC 422 conviction and continued until the commitment offenses in 2011 and 2012. The inmate's prior criminal record is a factor mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity. The inmate has the following adult criminal convictions: Mr. Want has no prior felony convictions. The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: 1.) The inmate has no prior criminal convictions; and 2.) The inmate has not been convicted of a violent felony as defined in subdivision (c) of section 667.5 of the Penal Code in the past 15 years. The circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record that aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity are: There are no aggravating circumstances. Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the circumstances of the inmate's prior criminal record mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because of the lack of any prior record and thus the lack of any aggravating factors.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #3 - Institutional Adjustment</u> The inmate was received into the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation on the current commitment offenses since June 19, 2014, a period of approximately 5 years, 7 months. The inmate has been involved in the following activities:</p>

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						<p>Today Mr. Want's file was reviewed for his programming while incarcerated and his programming is noted. Although commendable, his efforts at programming are far outweighed by his multiple serious and violent behavioral incidents in prison, as well as his significant criminality in prison. During the less than 6 years of his incarceration, he has been found guilty of 5 serious rules violation reports involving violence or injury, or the threat of violence or injury. They are as follows: fighting, May 2016 and November 28, 2018; participation in riots in March 2017 and September 2018, and battery on an inmate November 1, 2018. In addition, there are multiple reliable confidential memos, indicating ongoing significant criminal activity in prison. These are dated May 17, 2016, February 9, 2018, and March 12, 2019. In addition to them all being deemed reliable, their reliability is further enhanced or confirmed by the fact they are consistent with each other. A pending 115 dated 5/9/19 was not considered for this review.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming mitigate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: Please see the above analysis.</p> <p>The following circumstances of the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity: Please see the above analysis.</p> <p>Analysis: When balancing the aggravating circumstances against the mitigating circumstances, they tend to show that the inmate's institutional behavior, work history, and rehabilitative programming aggravate the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity because of the following: These five incidences of violent behavior, as well as his criminality in prison, as recent as less than a year ago, are highly probative of Mr. Want's current risk of</p>

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						<p>violence. At this time, these aggravating circumstances of multiple rules violations involving violence which resulted in physical injury, as well as the ongoing criminality in prison, far outweigh any mitigating circumstances in the case. Therefore, the inmate's institutional adjustment is determined to be an aggravating factor in the case.</p> <p><u>Case Factor #4 - Response to Legal Notice</u> There were response(s) to the Legal Notices in support of release from the inmate, dated 9/25/19, which were reviewed and considered in this decision.</p> <p>SUMMARY: When reviewing all of the case factors as documented above, and taking into account the totality of the circumstances, including the passage of time, the inmate's age, and any physical and cognitive limitations, the factors aggravating the inmate's current risk of violence outweigh the factors mitigating the inmate's current risk of violence or significant criminal activity.</p> <p>As evident from the above discussion, Mr. Want has consistently engaged in criminality involving the use of violence or the threat of violence for nearly the past 10 years. He threatened a man with a knife and tried to punch a police officer in 2010, engaged in reckless evasion in 2011, and shot a man in 2012. Once in prison, he engaged in violence in 2016, 2017, and three times in 2018. In addition, he has been engaging in criminal activity in prison since 2016. As a result, his current crime and his in prison conduct are all aggravating and highly indicative of an enhanced risk of him repeating or continuing this behavior. These facts far outweigh any applicable mitigating factors. Therefore, he clearly poses a current, unreasonable risk of violence to the community. The inmate is denied for release.</p> <p><i>Dale Pomerantz</i></p>

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