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Non Violent Parole Review Process
Board of Parole Hearings
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Re: STANISLAV GORBENKO, CDC# AZ2202, Court Docket #16F00073

Inmate Gorbenko is a well-established violent felon, and should not be paroled. The circumstances surrounding his current conviction and his prior criminal record show that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community.

Inmate Gorbenko committed the charges underlying the present offense while he was on formal searchable probation for his prior strike offense and had an active felony warrant. Officers went to his residence to serve the warrant and carry out a probation search. Inside his residence, officers located 2 digital scales, \$483 U.S. currency, 12.76g of black tar heroin, 6.89 grams of black tar heroin, \$1000 U.S. currency, \$300 U.S. currency, \$500 U.S. currency and **300** rounds of ammunition. The present case is particularly troubling in that possessing drugs with the intent to sell them is a circumstance that can lead to great violence.

When he committed the above offense, the inmate was on probation for his strike offense. He was convicted on February 22, 2012 of first degree burglary. In that case, the victim's residence was burglarized 4 times in a similar fashion within a span of 2 months and thousands of dollars worth of electronics were stolen. Latent fingerprints collected from the interior and exterior of the sliding glass door matched the inmate's. The victim recognized the inmate as a friend and frequent visitor of his next door neighbor.

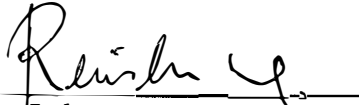
On October 13, 2011, the inmate was convicted of a violation of Penal Code section 245(a)(1). (It is unknown to the writer whether this was a strike offense.) In that case, the inmate and another suspect, [REDACTED], assaulted a hotel employee that confronted them. At one point, the inmate grabbed the victim's arm and held him while [REDACTED] punched him in the face. Then, the inmate used a pipe to hit the victim on the back of his head. [REDACTED] then grabbed the pipe and hit the victim with it numerous times. The victim suffered from injuries to his hand, temple and cheek. At the same time, the inmate was convicted of possession of heroin with the intent to sell it out of the same hotel. When he committed the crimes above, the inmate was on formal probation out of Nevada County for a felony burglary conviction.

These violations, and the present case confirm that the inmate, even while monitored by law enforcement on probation, is unable to regulate his behavior and if released, will continue to defy society's laws. The inmate is a serial offender that has made no attempts to rehabilitate.

Given the inmate's propensity for violence, drugs and his poor past performance on probation, the Sacramento County District Attorney's office requests that the Board deny early release for this inmate. Denying early release and requiring the inmate to serve the remainder of his term, will ensure the safety of the citizens of Sacramento County.

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

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Renishta Lal", written over a horizontal line.

Renishta Lal

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