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The Honorable Timothy M. Kaine
Governor of Virginia
Patrick Henry Building, 3rd Floor
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The Honorable Charles J. Colgan, Chairman
Senate Finance Committee
Senate of Virginia
Room 626
P.O. Box 396
Richmond, Virginia 23218

The Honorable Lacey E. Putney, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
General Assembly Building
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P.O. Box 406
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RE: Quarterly Report pursuant to Va. Code § 19.2-163

Dear Governor Kaine and Chairmen Colgan and Putney:

Virginia Code § 19.2-163, as amended, requires the Executive Secretary to report to the Governor, members of the House Appropriations Committee and members of the Senate Finance Committee on a quarterly basis “the number and category of offenses charged involving adult and juvenile offenders in cases in which court-appointed counsel is assigned” and “the amounts paid by waiver above the initial cap to court-appointed counsel.”

The vouchers submitted by court-appointed counsel through the fourth quarter of

FY2008 reflect the number and category of offenses charged involving adult and juvenile offenders as follows:

Category of Offense	Number of Charges	Amount Paid
Adult Offenders:		
Misdemeanors	112,906	\$13,909,194
Felony ≤ 20 years	86,090	\$25,851,560
Felony > 20 years	9,280	\$6,675,367
Felony Unclassified	4,246	\$1,810,536
Capital Murder	65	\$1,852,924
Total:	212,587	\$50,099,582
Juvenile Offenders:		
Misdemeanors	12,307	\$1,574,934
Felony ≤ 20 years	4,199	\$590,567
Felony > 20 years	636	\$98,086
Felony Unclassified	-	-
Total:	17,142	\$2,263,587
Adult + Juvenile Offenders:		
Grand Total:	229,729	\$52,363,169

Since July 1, 2007, 6126 waiver requests have been submitted seeking a total of \$2,048,670, and 5,952 have been approved for a total of \$1,845,171 paid to court-appointed attorneys by waiver above the initial cap. A breakdown of the waivers requested by category of offense charged and type of offender is provided below.

Category of Offense	Waivers Approved			Waivers Denied	
	Number of Waivers	Amount Requested	Amount Approved	Number of Waivers	Amount Requested
Adult Offenders:					
Misdemeanors	3,059	\$485,978	\$465,562	64	\$9,177
Felony ≤ 20 years	1,501	\$785,069	\$704,261	79	\$23,220
Felony > 20 years	312	\$536,629	\$489,906	10	\$5,239
Total:	4,872	\$1,807,676	\$1,659,729	153	\$37,636
Juvenile Offenders:					
Misdemeanors	647	\$99,260	\$95,218	17	\$2,674
Felony ≤ 20 years	361	\$73,364	\$66,677	3	\$561
Felony > 20 years	72	\$27,379	\$23,547	1	\$120
Total:	1,080	\$200,003	\$185,442	21	\$3,355
Adult + Juvenile Offenders:					
Grand Total:	5,952	\$2,007,679	\$1,845,171	174	\$40,991

If you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With kind regards,

Handwritten signature of Karl R. Hade in black ink.

Karl R. Hade

cc: Richard E. Hickman, Jr., Senate Finance Committee
Paul Van Lenten, House Appropriations Committee
Division of Legislative Automated Systems