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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 second 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	51,857	\$ 6,226,816
Felony ≤ 20 years	38,782	\$ 11,010,697
Felony > 20 years	3,856	\$ 2,513,803
Felony Unclassified	4,169	\$ 1,770,545
Capital Murder	40	\$ 1,027,303
Total:	98,704	\$ 22,549,164
Juvenile Offenders:		
Misdemeanors	4,088	\$ 494,773
Felony ≤ 20 years	1,453	\$ 185,117
Felony > 20 years	266	\$ 36,349
Felony Unclassified	-	-
Total:	5,807	\$ 716,238
Adult + Juvenile Offenders:		
Grand Total:	104,511	\$ 23,265,403

Since July 1, 2007, 1104 waiver requests have been submitted seeking a total of \$286,605, and 1,036 have been approved for a total of \$254,573 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	567	\$ 81,683	\$ 80,368	26	\$ 3,609
Felony ≤ 20 years	255	\$ 88,142	\$ 78,816	30	\$ 9,346
Felony > 20 years	54	\$ 69,181	\$ 68,371	4	\$ 3,079
Total:	876	\$ 239,006	\$ 227,555	60	\$ 16,034
Juvenile Offenders:					
Misdemeanors	93	\$ 13,454	\$ 12,167	6	1,070
Felony ≤ 20 years	54	\$ 10,286	\$ 8,891	1	120
Felony > 20 years	13	\$ 6,515	\$ 5,960	1	120
Total:	160	\$ 30,255	\$ 27,018	8	1,310
Adult + Juvenile Offenders:					
Grand Total:	1,036	\$ 269,261	\$ 254,573	68	\$ 17,344

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