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April 14, 2009

The Honorable Timothy M. Kaine
Governor of Virginia
Patrick Henry Building, 3rd Floor
1111 East Broad Street
Richmond, Virginia 23219

The Honorable Charles J. Colgan, Chairman
Senate Finance Committee
Senate of Virginia
10677 Aviation Lane
Manassas, Virginia 20110-2701

The Honorable Lacey E. Putney, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Virginia House of Delegates
P.O. Box 127
Bedford, Virginia 24523

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 during the first three quarters of FY2009 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	82,245	\$10,760,811
Felony ≤20 years	63,192	\$20,384,407
Felony > 20 years	6,282	\$5,607,138
Felony Unclassified	-	-
Capital Murder	43	\$1,589,106
Total:	151,762	\$38,341,462
Juvenile Offenders:		
Misdemeanors	13,448	\$1,786,402
Felony ≤20 years	4,730	\$730,240
Felony > 20 years	685	\$132,147
Felony Unclassified	-	-
Total:	18,863	\$2,648,790
Adult + Juvenile Offenders:		
Grand Total:	170,625	\$40,990,252

Since July 1, 2008, 9,586 waiver requests have been submitted seeking a total of \$3,405,269, and 9,448 have been approved for a total of \$3,063,775 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.

Waivers Approved

Category of Offense	Number of Waivers	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Adult Offenders:			
Misdemeanors	4,996	\$924,268	\$871,236
Felony ≤20 years	2,287	\$1,271,948	\$1,140,873
Felony > 20 years	388	\$820,418	\$722,105
Total:	7,671	\$3,016,634	\$2,734,214
Juvenile Offenders:			
Misdemeanors	1,037	\$166,737	\$157,438
Felony ≤20 years	627	\$147,023	\$136,868
Felony > 20 years	113	\$37,826	\$35,235
Total:	1,777	\$351,586	\$329,541
Adult + Juvenile Offenders:			
Grand Total:	9,448	\$3,368,220	\$3,063,775

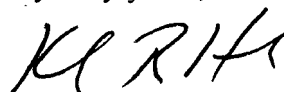
Waivers Denied

Number of Waivers	Amount Requested
66	\$10,564
49	\$18,655
5	\$2,829
120	\$32,048
14	\$3,218
3	\$1,458
1	\$325
18	\$5,001
138	\$37,049

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

With kind regards, I am

Very truly yours,



Karl R. Hade

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cc: The Honorable William C. Wampler, Jr.
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