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October 16, 2018

The Honorable Ralph S. Northam
Governor of Virginia
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The Honorable Thomas K. Norment, Jr., Co-Chairman
Senate Finance Committee
P.O. Box 6205
Williamsburg, Virginia 23188

The Honorable Emmett W. Hanger, Jr., Co-Chairman
Senate Finance Committee
P.O. Box 2
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The Honorable S. Chris Jones, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
P.O. Box 5059
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RE: Quarterly Report pursuant to Va. Code § 19.2-163

Dear Governor Northam and Chairmen Norment, Hanger, and Jones:

Virginia Code § 19.2-163 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 following table details the vouchers submitted for compensation by court-appointed counsel during the first quarter of fiscal year 2019 and reflects the number and category of offenses charged involving adult and juvenile offenders:

**Number and Category of Offenses Charged Involving Adult and Juvenile Offenders
 in Cases With Court-Appointed Counsel Assigned
 1st Quarter, (7/1/18-9/30/18)**

Category of Offense	Number of Charges	Amount Paid
Adult Offenders:		
Misdemeanors	28,290	\$ 3,548,286
Felony ≤ 20 years	22,976	\$ 7,780,273
Felony > 20 years	2,014	\$ 2,412,331
Capital Murder	18	\$ 556,729
Total:	53,298	\$ 14,297,619
Juvenile Offenders:		
Misdemeanors	2,532	\$ 323,628
Felony ≤ 20 years	1,060	\$ 139,556
Felony > 20 years	112	\$ 18,305
Total:	3,704	\$ 481,489
Adult + Juvenile Offenders:		
Grand Total:	57,002	\$ 14,779,108

During the first quarter of fiscal year 2019, 1,075 requests for waivers of statutory fee caps were submitted seeking a total of \$ 648,567, and 951 requests for waivers were approved for a total of \$ 573,932 paid to court-appointed attorneys above the initial statutory fee cap. A breakdown of the waivers requested by category of offense charged and type of offender is provided in the table below.

**Waivers Requested by Court-Appointed Counsel Above the Initial Cap
 by Category of Offense Charged and Type of Offender
 1st Quarter, (7/1/18-9/30/18)**

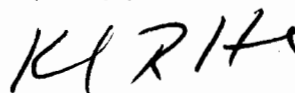
Category of Offense	Waivers Approved			Waivers Denied	
	Number of Waivers	Amount Requested	Amount Approved	Number of Waivers	Amount Requested
Adult Offenders:					
Misdemeanors	514	\$ 105,516	\$ 97,174	67	\$ 14,258
Felony ≤ 20 years	283	\$ 242,041	\$ 219,393	46	\$ 17,900
Felony > 20 years	59	\$ 236,498	\$ 232,822	-	-
Total:	856	\$ 584,055	\$ 549,389	113	\$ 32,158
Juvenile Offenders:					
Misdemeanors	58	\$ 10,838	\$ 10,542	7	\$ 5,460
Felony ≤ 20 years	34	\$ 10,671	\$ 10,191	4	\$ 885
Felony > 20 years	3	\$ 4,500	\$ 3,810	-	-
Total:	95	\$ 26,009	\$ 24,543	11	\$ 6,345
Adult + Juvenile Offenders:					
Grand Total:	951	\$ 610,064	\$ 573,932	124	\$ 38,503

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

With kind regards, I am

Very truly yours,



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