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FLORIDA PAROLE COMMISSION Monthly Accomplishments' Report December 2009

- **Featured Monthly Parole Case:**

At the **12/16/09** Commission meeting, a Presumptive Parole Release Date was set for Russell Sanborn, DC #882546, for **March 7, 2229**. Mr. Sanborn was convicted of first degree murder, burglary, robbery, kidnapping of the 18 year old female murder victim, and aggravated battery. These convictions were as a result of crimes committed during a home invasion robbery on April 16, 1984, in Miami-Dade County involving a family of four – father, mother, teenage son, and teenage daughter. Erinn Abramson was kidnapped from the family residence and died of multiple stab wounds. Mr. Sanborn's next parole interview was set for **August 2014** as the Commission found that it is not reasonable to expect that Mr. Sanborn will be paroled in the foreseeable future and set his next interview for the maximum allowable period of 5 years.

Monthly Accomplishments:

- 3,835 cases were docketed for 12 Commission hearings held between 9/09 and 12/09, an average of **320 cases per week**;
- Discontinued and consolidated telephone lines, resulting in a cost savings;
- Reduced the cost of our property insurance;
- Executed an agreement with FDLE to allow FPC to access the ACCURINT database which resulted in a substantial cost savings;
- Protected the Commission's quasi-judicial powers in a court case before the Second Judicial Circuit involving determination on recovery of taxable costs;
- Represented the Commission in thirty-one responses, motion, and briefs before Florida State and Federal courts this past month alone;
- Continued updating and finalizing rule changes to the Commission's rules for adoption;
- Upheld the Governor's "Open Government Initiative" by processing several public records requests from the public;
- December 1, 2009, a new Eligibility Review Form and Quality Assurance Measures for reviewing Restoration of Civil Rights cases were implemented statewide;
- December 10, 2009, the Commission presented 76 cases for the Clemency Board's consideration at the 4th quarterly Clemency Board Meeting;



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- On December 21, the Commission published the 68th Annual Report to the Governor and Cabinet and posted an electronic copy to the Commission's website for public access.