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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## FLORIDA COMMISSION ON OFFENDER REVIEW TO HOLD HEARINGS IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

**TALLAHASSEE, FLA –** On Wednesday, January 27 and Thursday, January 28, 2016, the Florida Commission on Offender Review will hold Commission hearings at the Miami-Dade State Attorney's Office located at 1350 N.W. 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue, E.R. Graham Building in Miami. Hearings are scheduled to begin promptly at 9 A.M., EST and are open to the public.

Florida law requires the Commission to hold hearings around the state at locations where parole eligible inmates committed their offense to facilitate the ability of victims and other interested parties to attend Commission hearings.

WHAT: Florida Commission on Offender Review hearings

WHEN: Wednesday, January 27 and Thursday, January 28, 2016, at 9 A.M., EST

**WHERE:** Miami-Dade State Attorney's Office, 1350 N.W. 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue, E.R. Graham Building, Miami.

The hearing agendas are available on the Commission's website at <a href="www.fcor.state.fl.us">www.fcor.state.fl.us</a>.

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The Florida Commission on Offender Review (FCOR) is a constitutionally authorized, quasi-judicial, decision-making body which has been serving the citizens of this state since 1941. The Commission holds offenders accountable for their behaviors and ensures public safety through its careful selection of offenders for re-entry into society by administering parole, conditional medical release, control release, conditional release, and addiction recovery release supervision. The Commission also acts as the investigative arm of the Governor and Cabinet, sitting as the Board of Executive Clemency in clemency matters. The Commission's mission is to ensure public safety and provide victim assistance through the post prison release process.