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FLORIDA PAROLE COMMISSION Monthly Accomplishments' Report April 2010

• Featured Monthly Parole Case:

On April 14, 2010, the Commission voted unanimously to leave inmate Johnnie Brown's Presumptive Parole Release Date (PPRD) suspended due to an unsatisfactory release plan and a Judicial Objection from the 6th Judicial Circuit. Brown was originally sentenced on June 18, 1982, to life in prison as a result of his conviction of second degree murder for the violent murder of his girlfriend, with whom he had fathered a child and shared a history of domestic violence. On March 6, 1981, he chased and overpowered his victim slashing her approximately 33 times with a machete until she died. He then fled the scene and turned himself in to law enforcement later that night.

Brown initially had his Presumptive Parole Release Date (PPRD) set on May 11, 1983, with the PPRD set at November 5, 2002. Through the years, he has had several subsequent hearings where his PPRD was reviewed. At the time of his Effective Hearing held July 20, 2005, his PPRD was set at August 5, 2005, with the Commission declining to authorize Parole.

The Commission ordered Mr. Brown's next 5 year interview set for January 2015.

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APRIL 2010 RCR STATUS

As of April 1, 2010, there were 67,096 pending RCR cases. Of these, 31,112 were application cases and 35,984 were EOS/TOS cases.

AP	22,295	6,166	2,651	31,112
EOS/TOS	16,806	19,178	0	35,984
TOTAL	39,101	25,344	2,651	67,096

COMMISSION ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Administration: Organized and set up Parole Qualifications Committee pending June Commissioner vacancy; processing over 100 applications for PQC members to review and set for interviews later in May;
- Administration: Working with Operations in the overall coordination of Central Headquarters move to Southwood;



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- Administration: Finalized new Travel Procedure Directive;
- **Operations:** Overseeing all aspects of FPC move to 4070 Esplanade Way in late summer; signed contract with DMS; met with DMS Design Team;
- **Operations:** Reviewing and Finalizing plans for Commission Hearing set for May 26-27 in Ft. Lauderdale;
- **Clemency Administration:** Preparing clemency cases for the June 3 Clemency Board meeting; begun reviewing and sending files to storage in preparation for agency move;
- **Clemency Administration:** Hired Tracie Crawford to fill Julia McCall's vacant examiner position;
- Legal: Presented the case of <u>Jones, Willie v. Florida Parole Commission</u> before the Florida Supreme Court and argued that a statute of limitations should apply to challenges to the Commission actions revoking release;
- Legal: As of April 19, 2010 the General Counsel for the Parole Commission was admitted to practice before the U. S. Supreme Court;
- Legal: The General Counsel's office continues to review all contracts associated with the upcoming move to Southwood.