

MONTEREY COUNTY

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Attn: Non-Violent Parole Release Review

Board of Parole Hearings
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Re: Inmate: Echeverria, Gonzalo
CDCR #: BK5897
Court Case #: 19CR006716, SS161899

Dear Board of Parole Hearings:

Our office is in receipt of a Nonviolent Parole Release Review, dated May 15, 2020 regarding this inmate referencing the above case numbers. Please be advised that the inmate was convicted of a felony charge of carrying a loaded firearm in a vehicle, with a gang enhancement in SS161899; and street terrorism with a strike prior in 19CR006716. He received a cumulative sentence of 8 years, 4 months in state prison.

While the inmate's criminal history only consists of these two crimes, the persistent gang involvement as well as the nature of the crimes is not an encouraging sign for his success on parole. In SS161899, the inmate was found in a vehicle with three other gang members and had a loaded firearm in his possession. He was granted probation in that matter. He was deported because of that conviction and then returned to Salinas. After his return, he did not report to probation and, notably, did not stay out of trouble. His conviction in 19CR006716 stems from his assisting a fellow gang member with breaking out of CDCR custody. The inmate was then sentenced to prison for both cases.

Given the inmate's failure on probation and continued gang involvement, the People do not believe that he is a good candidate for parole. For these reasons, the People respectfully request that parole be denied at this time.

Respectfully Submitted,

JEANNINE M. PACIONI, DISTRICT ATTORNEY

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cristina Johnson".

/s/Cristina Johnson, Deputy District Attorney