GOVERNOR’S COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE & SENTENCING REFORM

REGULAR MEETING

Thursday, February 18, 2016

1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority

300 West Adams, Suite 200

Chicago, IL 60606

1:00-1:15: **Opening Remarks & Administrative Issues**

*Rodger Heaton, Chairman*

1:15-3:00: **Why Lengthy Mandatory Sentences Matter: Presentation and Discussion**

*Megan Alderden, Research Director, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority*

*Dave Olson, Commissioner, Loyola University Chicago*

*Nate Steinfield, Research Director, Sentencing Policy Advisory Council*

3:00-3:15: **Break**

3:15-4:15: **Continued Discussion**

4:15-5:00: **Public Comment**

*Members of the public are asked to keep their comments to three minutes*