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Subject: CM: Re review regarding serious road crimes.

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Good afternoon,

My name is Amanda Hardman, and my husband, three father of my 3 boys, was killed by a person who was on bail, who stole a car, driving 187km/h on the wrong side of the road...effected by drugs, and was unlicense. This person, even though we fought to have manslaughter charges was only incarcerated for 4 years.

This sentence did not meet society expectations or his family...on justice.

The issues I would like to bring up are

- 1. This person was already in goal for drugs and firearm changes...police opposed bail but the magistrate gave bail...6 weeks later my husband was killed. Bail for repeat offenders is too easy to get...leading time and time for tragic results like ours. There are no recourse to these magistrates that let people free...and who turn around and kill innocent people.
- 2. The police work so hard to make a strong case for manslaughter charges for victims of road deaths caused by peoplewho do not care about the law... the judicial system has the minimum and maximum but time and time we see these people have soft sentences and have freedom with a couple of years.

The judge even stated in his sentencing report, that this persons reckless driving was only for a short period of time and this is one of the reason for the lighter sentence....he only stopped because of the crash....because he killed my husband and could no longer drive the car...this is not a reason for a lighter sentence.

The judicial system have no link to victims..the impact it causes...the sense of justice that society is not currently feeling.

Things need to change...before more people have to suffer like we are....these repeat offenders need to have consequences for there actions.

Thank you for the opportunity to be heard.

Amanda Hardman

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