

INDETERMINATE SENTENCE REVIEW BOARD
BOARD MEETING
SUMMARY MINUTES

February 5, 2018

A regular meeting of the Indeterminate Sentence Review Board was held in the ISRB Office Building located at 4317 Sixth Avenue SE, Lacey, commencing at 9:30 a.m.

Present were:

Board Members:

Staff:

Kecia Rongen
Lori Ramsdell-Gilkey
Jeff Patnode
Elyse Balmert

Robin Riley, Executive Assistant
Sheila Lewallen, Victim Liaison

A. To the Table Case – Members had a full Board discussion of this ISRB case.

PRE-84

- John Demos
- DOC #287455
- Purpose: Full Board Discussion
- Date: February 5, 2018
- List of Documents Reviewed
 - ISRB File
- An updated prosecutor recommendation was not received.

- Mr. Demos was seen for a .100 Hearing on January 23, 2018 at the Washington State Penitentiary.

- **Summary Discussion**
Ms. Balmert presented the case.

Mr. Demos is under the jurisdiction of the Board in King County Cause 84717 for Attempted Rape in the First Degree Count I and Burglary in the First Degree Count I.

The crime involved Mr. Demos entering the room of a female resident at a youth hostel where he was employed and sexual assaulting her. He was 25 years old when he committed this crime and he is currently 65 years of age.

Mr. Demos has prior convictions in Yakima County Cause 18819 for Attempted Robbery and Assault in Second Degree with Intent to Commit Rape. He was parole from this cause when he committed the instant offenses.

Risk assessment scores rate him as a low to moderate risk to re-offend.

Mr. Demos has had an extensive infraction history with the last one occurring in 2017. He has acquired six negative Behavioral Observations since December of 2015.

Mr. Demos works as a custodian and has completed chemical dependency treatment. He has also taken Stress/Anger Management and Conflict Management.

Mr. Demos denies committing the sex offenses for which he is convicted. He also told panel members that he was committed to prison for something he did not do and he would just as soon die in prison as a martyr. He refuses to complete the Sex Offender Treatment and Assessment Program and also says he is not interested in going to a camp setting. After his hearing he wrote a letter to the Board stating he is ready for parole.

Mr. Demos has no support in the community and the Board considers him to be too high a risk to release at this time.

- **Recommendation:** Not parolable, add 36 months.
Schedule .100 Hearing 120 days prior to PERD.
- **Vote:**

Elyse Balmert	Agree with recommendation
Lori Ramsdell-Gilkey	Agree with recommendation
Jeff Patnode	Agree with recommendation
Kecia Rongen	Agree with recommendation