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## EXHIBIT C

August 6, 2021

Dear Judge Johnson,

My name is Daevon Baker and Charles Watts is my father. Even though he has been in prison for so long I feel like I know him well from the many stories I have heard about him. All of the stories are about how compassionate and how happy people are when he's around. Before he had to go to prison he always made sure those in his circle were well taken care of and supported. He still does everything he can to put a smile on *our* faces, like telling us jokes, no matter what he may be going through himself. He has a great energy and has tried his best to be a part of our lives even while he is in prison. It would mean the world to me and my sister for him to come home.

Even from afar, I can honestly say my father is one of my biggest inspirations. It isn't easy to go all the way to the prison to visit him but the few times I have been able to he's always shown me that he is a good guy and shouldn't be judged based on mistakes he made when he was younger by hanging out with the wrong crowd. He inspired me to stay out of trouble by talking to me about his experience. Now that I have a son it's more important than ever for my father to be here in our lives.

So much lost time certainly can not be made up, but his release can mark the beginning of a fresh start.

Sincerely,

Daevon Baker