

PETITION TO DENY PAROLE

New York State Division of Parole
Victim Impact Unit
97 Central Avenue
Albany, NY 12206

RE: Inmate Shuaib Raheem

DIN# 74A2617

Parole Board:

On January 19, 1973, Shuaib Raheem, While participating in an armed robbery of a sporting goods store in Brooklyn brutally murdered Police Officer Stephen Gilroy.

Police Officer Gilroy, 29 years old, an eight year veteran of the N.Y.P.D. was married for three years at the time of his violent death and his wife, Patricia was sentenced to a life without her husband because Shuaib Raheem sentenced her husband to death on that fateful night. The fact that Shuaib Raheem had a clean disciplinary record since October 1999, obtained multiple collegiate degrees and has received a substantial degree of support from the community is not a valid reason to grant parole to an individual who murdered a police officer in cold blood. Police Officer Gilroy's wife has lived an exemplary life for the past 35 years and she will never receive parole from the nightmare that Shuaib Raheem sentenced her to.

The parole of Shuaib Raheem would be a grave injustice to Police Officer Gilroy, his wife and family as well as society. The murder of a police officer is a serious crime that demands justice and that is life in prison. Please do not release this cop killer and give Stephen's wife and family peace of mind knowing that Stephen's killer will remain behind bars for the rest of his life.

The undersigned petitions members of the Parole Board to deny parole for Shuaib Raheem.

Respectfully,

NAME: _____

RESIDENCE ZIP CODE: _____

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