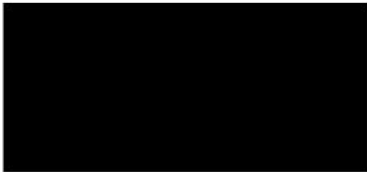




PAROLE BOARD OF CANADA
DECISION

OFFENDER INFORMATION :

Name : ALEXANDER, CHRISTOPHER MAURICE



TYPE OF REVIEW :

- DAY PAROLE - PRE RELEASE (PAPER)

PANEL INFORMATION :

OBSERVER (S) PRESENT (except during deliberations) : NO
EXCLUDED FROM PART OF HEARING : NOT APPLICABLE
REASON : NOT APPLICABLE

ASSISTANT PRESENT : NO
ELDER /ADVISOR : NO

FINAL DECISIONS :

DAY PAROLE - PRE RELEASE CONTINUED 2022-02-24

Day parole is continued for 6 months with special conditions imposed.

LEAVE PRIVILEGES :

LEAVE PRIVILEGE FOR DAY PAROLE - PRE RELEASE - REGULAR
MUST RETURN TO FACIL. NIGHTLY
No Leave Privileges - you must return to the residential facility nightly.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS :



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Condition	Status
<ul style="list-style-type: none">NOT TO CONSUME ALCOHOL Not to consume, purchase or possess alcohol.	IMPOSED
<ul style="list-style-type: none">NOT TO CONSUME DRUGS Not to consume, purchase or possess drugs other than prescribed medication taken as prescribed and over the counter drugs as recommended by the manufacturer.	IMPOSED
<ul style="list-style-type: none">NO CONTACT WITH CERTAIN PERSON Do not associate or communicate with any person you know or have reason to believe is involved in criminal activity or substance misuse.	IMPOSED
<ul style="list-style-type: none">FOLLOW TREATMENT PLAN Follow treatment plan/program to be arranged by your parole supervisor in the areas of emotions' management, substance abuse, reintegration and past trauma.	IMPOSED
<ul style="list-style-type: none">OTHER SPECIAL CONDITION Not to travel to or through Kitimat, Terrace, Burnaby or Vancouver Island without the prior written permission of your parole supervisor.	IMPOSED
<ul style="list-style-type: none">NO CONTACT WITH VICTIM(S) No direct or indirect contact with any member of the deceased victim's family.	IMPOSED
<ul style="list-style-type: none">OTHER SPECIAL CONDITION No direct or indirect contact with J.B.	IMPOSED
<ul style="list-style-type: none">REPORT RELATIONSHIPS Immediately report all sexual and non-sexual relationships and friendships with females and any changes to the status of the relationships/friendships to your parole supervisor.	IMPOSED

PREVIOUSLY IMPOSED SPECIAL CONDITION(S) STILL IN EFFECT : NOT APPLICABLE

NEW INFORMATION SHARED WITH THE OFFENDER : NOT APPLICABLE

REASONS FOR DECISION(S) :

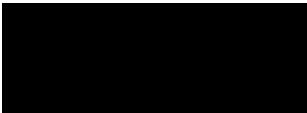
All persons reading this decision are informed there was a Publication Ban imposed by the Court. Anyone reviewing this decision is reminded of the Publication Ban and legal consequences for violating it.

Your file is before the Parole Board of Canada (Board) with recommendations from the Correctional Service of Canada (CSC) to continue your day parole for an additional six months.

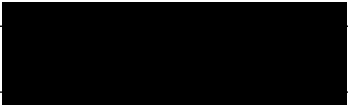
To make its decision, the Board must determine whether you will not, by reoffending, present an undue risk to society before the expiration of your sentence. The Board must also consider whether your release will contribute to the protection of society by facilitating your reintegration into society as a law-abiding citizen.

In making the decision to continue day parole for six months the Board has considered the following information:

You are a 40-year-old Indigenous man serving your first federal sentence for Life. You were convicted of Second Degree Murder and started your sentence in May 2002. Parole eligibility was



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set at seven years.

After a night of drinking and doing drugs in December 1998, you entered a neighbour's home where she lived with her young child. The victim woke up and attempted to flee but you caught and stabbed her approximately 83 times. The victim's young daughter found her mother's dead body the next day and ran for help. File information indicates you returned to the home in an attempt to clean the scene of any possible evidence.

There are multiple victim statements on file; the victims have submitted statements steadfastly since 2008. The most recent statement was submitted to the Board prior to your day parole being granted in August 2021. The victim expressed her anger and trauma over the death of her loved one. She does not support your release and made specific requests for conditions to protect her and society should you be released.

The judge referenced the seriousness of the offence which was aggravated and heinous. It was the murder was of a helpless and gullible victim and extreme in its brutality. He stated that the violence you engaged in and your apparent willingness to carry out similar acts in the future [referring to the undercover scenarios] suggested an on-going risk to the community. He commented on a lack of remorse on your part.

Your criminal offending began at a young age with issues with theft and forgery. You have admitted to selling drugs and committing other criminal activity including assaults, threats, weapons and break and enter related offences for which you were not charged or convicted. You have driven recklessly.

It appears you completed a period of probation and community service successfully.

Prior to being released on day parole you had participated in over 1000 escorted temporary absences (ETAs). Your unescorted temporary absence (UTA) was marred by you being found in a location that was unauthorized while on a UTA in 2011.

You were previously released on day parole while serving this sentence but your case management team (CMT) was informed in June 2016 that you were under investigation for two counts of sexual assault. Your release was suspended and you were subsequently revoked in September 2016. File information indicates the 2017 charge for sexual assaulted resulted in a stay of proceedings.

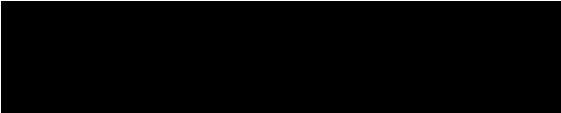
The Board has considered your Indigenous social history in making the decision today. You were exposed to alcohol abuse as a child, moved frequently and suffered from neglect and sexual abuse. The Board notes that you were not raised in a traditional manner that could have provided you with protective factors and acknowledges the connection between your childhood experiences and your involvement in the criminal justice system.

Prior to your release on day parole your institutional behaviour improved and you completed programming and made progress.

The most recently completed psychological risk assessment (2020) states you present a moderate risk for violent recidivism and may be manageable with adequate structure and supervision.

The most recent Correctional Plan Update (CPU) #14, completed in May 2021, indicates you now require a medium level of intervention to address your static risk factors, and continue to require a

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high level based on dynamic factors.

The CPU states that all seven risk factor domains were identified as contributing risk factors in your case. You now required a moderate need for improvement in the domains of personal/emotional orientation, employment, and marital/family.

Your accountability and motivation are now rated as high. You have a medium reintegration potential and are engaged in your correctional plan.

You were granted day parole in August 2021, after the Board concluded your release would not constitute an undue risk to reoffend upon the community. You are subject to special conditions regarding drugs, alcohol, certain persons, relationship, victims, employment, treatment, contact with a specific person and a geographical restriction.

Overnight leave privileges were not authorized by the Board. The Assessment for Decision (A4D) completed on December 30, 2021 indicates that overnight was authorized by the Board, which is not accurate.

CSC reports that your behaviour has been appropriate on day parole. They state you have been fully engaged in the programming at the community residential facility (CRF), which includes vocational training, employment, treatment sessions and Indigenous cultural activities.

You are described as a respectful and considerate resident at the CRF where you live. There has been no indication of any return to criminal activity or substance abuse. You have successfully completed the Indigenous Community Maintenance Program and, at the end of the program, your overall ability and commitment to use the skills necessary to manage your various risk factors were assessed as 'moderate'. No further programming was recommended.

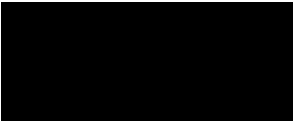
You want to remain in your current geographical area on your next term of day parole. You have on-going acceptance at your current CRF but also have acceptance for residency at another.

Your community supports remain limited as you have not had the opportunity to establish any new relationships or supports in the community at this time. Consultation with police confirms they are supportive of you remaining in the area.

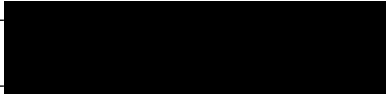
The Board remains very concerned with the nature and gravity of the index offence in which a vulnerable woman lost her life in a brutal and violent manner. The Board notes the indifference you demonstrated toward a young child who was in the residence at the time. Your risk to reoffend has been assessed as moderate which is concerning and suggests you will require a very gradual, heavily supervised and structured release. All seven domains were identified as contributing to your offence cycle and three of these domains continue to need a moderate level of improvement. The Board notes that you have only completed one period of day parole successfully to date.

The Board also finds that it appears you are living up to the expectations of offenders serving their sentences in the community. Your CMT report no behavioural issues or breach concerns. Your CRF has welcomed you to stay on with them on your second term of day parole and you also have acceptance for residency at a different CRF. You have completed programming and have done well, your commitment and ability are now rated as 'moderate' which reflects progress.

The Board has determined that because you are making progress in the community, are sober, are engaged in cultural practices and ceremony, are working and taking occupational training



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wherever possible, have done well in programming, are a polite and respectful resident of the CRF, have improved in your commitment and ability to use program skills, and have remained incident and breach free, that it has sufficient reliable and persuasive information to find that a day parole continued would not constitute an undue risk and will continue to facilitate your reintegration in the community as a law abiding member of society.

Accordingly the Board continues day parole for six months.

The Board does not authorize overnight leave. You require a gradual, structured and supervised release. You do not have any identified community based supports in the release community as of this date. Given the seriousness of your offending and your prior conditional release history, the Board finds an additional period of full compliance and stability is required in your case prior to overnight leave being appropriate. This decision has been made aligned with the principle of least restrictive means within the context of public safety. Should your CMT determine there are appropriate supports in the community where you may spend an overnight leave, they can recommend the Board reconsider leave.

CSC has not recommended the imposition of an employment/education special condition on your next period of day parole as it is no longer necessary or reasonable.

The Board imposes the following special conditions on day parole:

- 1. Not to consume, purchase or possess alcohol.
- 2. Not to consume, purchase or possess drugs other than prescribed medication taken as prescribed and over the counter drugs as recommended by the manufacturer.
- 3. Do not associate or communicate with any person you know or have reason to believe is involved in criminal activity or substance misuse.

You committed the index offence when intoxicated. Alcohol and drugs are disinhibitors and their use will increase your risk to become violent and reoffend. If you associate with people who commit crime, misuse alcohol or use drugs your risk to reoffend and relapse will increase.

- 4. Immediately report all sexual and non-sexual relationships and friendships with females and any changes to the status of the relationships/friendships to your parole supervisor.

You have a history of poor relationships with women, including your mother. You were accused of sexual assault by your last intimate partner who was using illegal drugs.

Your parole supervisor must know who you are associating with and the nature of your relationships, including the dynamics of your relationships.

- 5. Follow treatment plan/program to be arranged by your parole supervisor in the areas of emotions' management, substance abuse, reintegration and past trauma.

You have outstanding needs that will impact your reintegration and after 20 years of incarceration you will have some struggles with institutionalization issues. You are just beginning to learn about relationships and your emotional experiences are immature.

You have historical trauma that has not yet been fully addressed.

- 6. No direct or indirect contact with any member of the deceased victim's family.

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7. Not to travel to or through Kitimat, Terrace, Burnaby or Vancouver Island without the prior written permission of your parole supervisor.

There are serious victim concerns. The victims have the right to live their lives without any unwanted contact with you (by any means). Inadvertent exposure to you could result in further trauma or psychological harm; therefore you may not be in the places listed without the prior written approval of your parole supervisor.

8. No direct or indirect contact with J.B.

Your former partner has the right to live her life without any unwanted contact from you.

These special conditions are specific to your risk to reoffend or for the protection of victims. As such they are both necessary and reasonable to reduce that risk and protect the public. They are imposed for the duration of day parole unless removed or modified by a future Board.

DECISION(S) AND VOTES :

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2022-02-24

Board Member	Vote	Vote Date
DAWSON, C. A.	CONTINUED	2022-02-22
D'SOUZA, K. W.	CONTINUED	2022-02-24

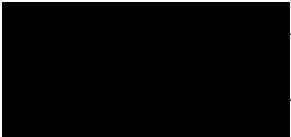
SIGNATURES :

DAWSON, C. A.

Board Member Signature Date

D'SOUZA, K. W.

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