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The Honorable [Insert Representative's Name] [Insert Legislator's Address here (if mailing)] [City, S.C. Zip Code]

Dear Senator OR Representative [Insert Last Name]:

My name is [Insert Your Name] and I reside at [Insert Your Address] in Poulsbo, Washington. I am a [property owner/taxpayer/mother/father/grandparent] residing in the 23rd legislative district.

I am writing to ask that you help stop the unsafe placement of civilly committed Level 3 Sexually Violent Predators in our county's residential neighborhoods. I believe there has been apparent gross negligence by the Department of Corrections, the Special Commitment residential home located at 17373 Viking Way NW, Poulsbo WA. This group home came into our neighborhood under the radar, without notification to neighbors or county officials. I am disturbed at how quickly four civilly committed Level 3 Sexually Violent Predators (with more offenders already planned to be placed on this same property) have become my recent neighbors without any notification prior to their concentrated placement.

Furthermore, I was disturbed to learn that there was vital information that was omitted from official court reports that served as the basis for the court's decision that the proposed living arrangement will provide adequate protection for the community. Specifically, the fact that this residence is in close proximity to a school bus stop was absent from these initial documents. This alone would have prevented the siting as the location and vicinity to the school bus stop poses an imminent threat to our most vulnerable citizens.

It is my contention and belief that these Level 3 Sexually Violent Predators that have been civilly remanded to SCC and are now being released into the care of private corporations, be remanded back to the custody of and remain under the supervision of the State of Washington, in a secure, state-run facility not located in residential neighborhoods.

I ask that you consider the emotional, physical and monetary impact this placement has on your constituents. I request you send me a response.

Respectfully,

[Insert Your Name]