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The Honourable Ian Scott, Q.C. Attorney General Ministry of the Attorney General 18 King Street East TORONTO, Ontario M5C 1C5

Dear Mr. Scott,

In accordance with the provision of Section 5 of Order-in-Council 1417/77, I am pleased to submit the Tenth Annual Report of the Metropolitan Toronto Forensic Service (METFORS) for the period April 1st, 1986 to March 31st, 1987.

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Yours very truly,

Douglas C. Hunt

D. Hunt Chairman of the Board

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STATISTICAL REPORT

METROPOLITAN TORONTO FORENSIC SERVICE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mr. D. Hunt, Chairman*

Assistant Deputy Attorney General, Criminal Law

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Dr. R.E. Turner**** Professor of Forensic Psychiatry METFORS/Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

Mr. D. Shedden Administrator Clarke Institute of Psychiatry Dr. M.S. Phillips, Secretary Deputy Director - Administration METFORS

* Appointed June 2nd, 1987
** Retired from Board February 1987
*** New Member June 2nd, 1987
**** Retired from Board February 1987

METFORS MANDATE

- To conduct psychiatric observation, examination, assessment and appropriate treatment of persons who are before the courts and are referred to METFORS as a result of charges in the Judicial District of York; also to provide services for other judicial or correctional institutions, reporting and advising as appropriate.
- 2. To provide other psychiatric consultative services for the courts, government agencies and independent groups in the area of forensic psychiatry. This is to include forensic psychiatric consultations to general psychiatric facilities.
- 3. To provide the means by which appropriate persons may obtain education in forensic psychiatry, including participation in the postgraduate training program in the Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto, and in other professional and community groups and agencies, and to undertake research in the field of forensic psychiatry.
- To encourage the concept of a multi-disciplinary team approach in all of the aforementioned areas.

FOREWORD

When I was first approached to write the foreword to the Annual Report for METFORS, I didn't know whether to consider it an honour or the culminating focus of my five years of adverse notoriety. However, I was assured that it would be written according to my own perspective and with anonymity. The following is my personal view of METFORS as it relates to my experience there as an inmate/patient.

The event which got me into METFORS had its beginning a few years before I arrived there. At that time, I injured my back and, as a professional, began to self-prescribe a narcotic/ analgesic to ease the pain. I became addicted to the drug and a year later, the governing body of my profession began its investigation into my misconduct. The case would have ended there with my being suspended for professional misconduct had I not been also an avid arms collector and a reloader of firearm cartridges in my spare time. This access to various types of gun powder allowed me to fabricate a home-made bomb and during one of my highs induced by a mixture of drugs, in the dead of the night, I detonated the device. The resultant injuries I sustained hospitalized me for three weeks. During this period of recovery, the surgeon in charge offered to wean me from drug dependence. I hadn't realized before we started that he was going to use the 'cold turkey' method. The process took a terrible mental as well as physical toll, from two weeks of sustained withdrawal symptoms. At this point

in time, my lawyer hinted to me that the crown attorney would most likely ask that I be referred to METFORS for assessment at my bail hearing.

Before that, I had never heard of METFORS. My first impulse was that I didn't want to go. My lawyer encouraged me to, describing it as a hotel with only the front door locked and that I would have almost total freedom inside. I still had my qualms which became immaterial when the judge ordered that I be assessed for one day. I had never before been exposed to psychological testing and I became bewildered after a few hours of this activity. My bewilderment turned to disappointment and horror when it was announced that one day was not enough to assess me properly, and that it would take 30 days for it to be done.

So I entered METFORS as an inmate/patient feeling remorseful, and embarrassed for my family, since I came from an old-fashioned, conservative household. The offences I was charged with did not bother me a great deal since I didn't think I did it with any malicious intent and no one was hurt except myself. I just knew that my brain would be picked for the next four weeks.

The daily routine included group discussion sessions, exercise periods, formal assessment by psychologists and a psychiatrist, and visits from the staff members who I knew only by their first names. At that time, I went along

and cooperated to the best of my ability. In retrospect, however, I was extremely unstable at the time. The instability came from the shock of being incarcerated for the first time as an offender. I was contrite, candid and cooperative to the point of being obsequious. When this was overlaid with my recent rehabilitation a la cold turkey in the hospital, I became very vulnerable, almost confessional in my encounters with the staff. In this state, my reactions were too transient and volatile to be truly representative of my perpetual state of mind. Nevertheless, it contributed vital clues to solving the jigsaw puzzle that was the person.

I suppose that is one of the reasons why the attending psychiatrist at METFORS has been recalling me for the past five years to compare findings obtained during the inpatient period and subsequent outpatient period. Unfortunately, such lengthy outpatient follow-up and/or treatment scheduling is not part of the mandate of METFORS. It is only required to perform, as accurately as possible, an assessment of an accused in a reasonable period of time as it pertains to his/her suitability to be released to society at large.

To me, personally, METFORS excels in two areas pertaining to assessment of inmates. The first is that the freedom of inmates to inter-mingle mimicks, to a certain point, a mini society environment and allows the observation of the interactions of the inmates. A case in point; I was attacked by another inmate for no apparent reason the day before I was due to be released. I suppose in a regular jail, the guards would dismiss it as just another fight. But at METFORS, notes máde previously by various assessors at depth of the aggressor, along with observations of his behaviour at large in the METFORS community, would allow the staff to arrive at a more accurate explanation of his outburst and thus provide the court with a more valuable assessment, albeit at the expense of another inmate. (It took 6 stitches to close a nasty gash over my left eye).

The second trait involves the individual attention paid to each inmate by the staff and the compassionate manner in which it is carried out. I, for one, was treated with dignity and empathy. This certainly facilitated the assessment of my condition and I think it contributed to my treatment as well.

In conclusion, I am one who has learned from first-hand experience the valuable service METFORS is performing for society. Μÿ personal experience there could not have been so terrible since I have been able to return to METFORS for the past five years for treatment without experiencing any horrible flashbacks. (Lately, my sessions with the METFORS' psychiatrist consist mostly of vocational and avocational guidance from him). Ì can say with certainty that I have benefitted from the services offered by METFORS and I think most inmates passing through have too.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Nineteen eighty-seven marks the tenth anniversary of METFORS.

The service was established by Order-in-Council 0.C. 1417/77 on May 15, 1977. A joint news release issued by the Ministry of the Attorney General and the Ministry of Health emphasized the need for the service and the role it was expected to perform. The Honourable R. McMurtry, then Attorney General, said: "Although such psychiatric services are being rendered in a limited way, the demands on the courts and the volume of persons appearing before the courts have exceeded the capacity of present psychiatric services." Mr. D. Timbrell, then Minister of Health, said: "The program's professional staff of psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers and nurses and support staff will have major commitments to teaching and research as well as to clinical service... This is recognized as a pilot project for possible expansion to other areas of the Province."

The first Chairman of the Board was the late Mr. F.K. Greenwood. Following his resignation in 1978, Mr. J.P. Rickaby, Crown Attorney for the Judicial District of York, was appointed as Chairman.

METFORS was opened officially on September 15, 1977 by The Honourable R. McMurtry, Attorney General for Ontario. He suggested our main responsibilities would be first rate clinical work and a commitment to research, particularly into the causes of violent criminal acts. In addition to rendering hundreds of reports to provincial court judges, and occasionally to district and High Court judges, we have provided a rich educational program and pursued a variety of research projects.

The educational programs over the past year are outlined in the attached appendices. During the past few years we have published three books through Dr. C.D. Webster, formerly Research Scientist, in collaboration with the Forensic Service of the Clarke Institute of Psychiatry. (1) Clinical Assessment Before Trial, 1982, by Webster, Menzies, and Jackson; (2) Mental Disorder and Criminal Responsibility, 1981, edited by Hucker, Webster, and Ben-Aron; and (3) Dangerousness: Probability and Prediction, Psychiatry and Public Policy, 1985, also edited by Webster, Ben-Aron and Hucker. A fourth book was published by Dr. R. Rogers: Conducting Insanity Evaluations, 1986.

Some 160 papers have been published in learned journals during the first ten years. In addition, on the initiative of Dr. Webster, 94 working papers have been written on topics relating to forensic psychiatry. The working papers in 1986-1987 are listed in Appendix A. The current publications and teaching endeavours are listed in Appendices B and D.

During most years we had four residents training for their fellowship in psychiatry for six or twelve months each. A staff development committee, under the able leadership of Ms. M. Swirsky, offered a variety of educational programs. We are indebted to the speakers who gave their time and expertise to participate in this program. The topics presented during the year are listed in Appendix F.

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Each Friday, clinical rounds are held at noon, ably coordinated by Ms. M. James. Many members of the staff have presented clinical/legal problems during these rounds.

The core of the clinical programs rests with the nursing staff, under the direction of Ms. L. Schubert, who twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week, observe, interact and counsel our inpatients. In collaboration with various members of our multi-disciplinary team, several new groups were added to the program: Lifeskills; Problem-Solving; Al-Anon and Alcoholics Anonymous; and a Relaxation group. All were initiated, organized and supervised by staff members. As well, the nursing team are actively involved in the various METFORS' committees and programs, including Defensive Restraints Training, Hostage Taking Exercises, and C.P.R., and they continue to attend and participate in various nursingrelated educational workshops offered by the local colleges, universities and agencies.

The social work department, under the guidance of Ms. M. Swirsky, is involved in a wide variety of activities. Our two social workers diligently interview patients, relatives and friends and play a major role in the arrangements for follow-up accommodation when discharged from custody. In addition to their day-to-day duties, both are active in committee work and educational activities and represent METFORS at special community social service functions, as outlined in the attached appendices.

Mr. B. Search, our recreational therapist, plays a major role in the ward activities of our twenty-three inpatients. The recreational opportunities range from arts and crafts, games, physical exercise, to movie presentations. An excellent weekend program was developed and led by two recreational therapy students. This program was wellreceived by both patients and staff. METFORS continues to attract a full complement of recreational therapy students for field placement, during the academic year.

We are indebted to our psychology staff, under the direction of Dr. R. Rogers, for their participation in both the assessment and treatment programs. They have made a major contribution to our research efforts. More recently they are conducting neuropsychological tests for those patients who may suffer from a variety of organic brain conditions.

While the focus of our attention has been to respond to the direction of the courts, we try at the same time to meet all the needs of patients referred to METFORS. The Foreword in this year's report attests to our efforts to meet the social, psychiatric, and physical needs of all persons sent to us by the judicial system.

On January 16, 1987, we were honoured by a visit from Mr. Chaloner, Deputy Attorney General, Mr. Carter, Assistant Deputy Attorney General, Courts Administration, Dr. Rakoff, Director and Psychiatrist-in-Chief of the Clarke, Mr. Farquhar, Chairman of the Clarke's Board of Trustees, and Mr. Shedden, Administrator of the Clarke.

On February 9, 1987, Mr. Rickaby retired. We express our indebtedness to Mr. Rickaby for his leadership over these nine years as Chairman of the METFORS' Board. The new Chairman, appointed by the Attorney General, is Mr. D. Hunt, Assistant Deputy Attorney General, Ministry of the Attorney General.

Several members of staff left during the past year. Dr. F. Jensen resigned to take up clinical practice in Stratford. Dr. C. Webster was appointed Psychologistin-Chief of the Clarke. Dr. L. Stermac left for the Forensic Service at the Clarke, as did Ms. K. Bita. Dr. S. Gorman left for work at Vanier Centre. We welcomed Dr. V. Srinivasan, psychiatrist; Dr. D. Nussbaum, psychologist; Ms. A. Sagar, social worker; Mr. R. Gillis and Ms. S. Dickens as research assistants. Following Dr. Webster's appointment to the Clarke, Dr. R. Rogers was appointed Coordinator of Research. We also acknowledge our indebtedness to Drs. Canella, Romaniuk and Scott, our residents during the year, for their clinical contribution. We trust that their educational experience was of value to them.

Dr. V. Rakoff, Director and Psychiatrist-in-Chief of the Clarke and Chairman, Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto, initiated a reorganization of the Clarke effective April 1, 1987. This has resulted in the following changes:

Dr. S. Hucker was appointed overall Chief of Forensic Services of both the Forensic Service at the Clarke and at METFORS, with Dr. R.J. Mahabir as Chief of Service of METFORS, reporting to Dr. Hucker. Dr. R.E. Turner continues on staff at METFORS and as Professor of Forensic Psychiatry. Dr. M. Phillips will be overall Administrator of Forensic Services.

We now look forward to our anniversary celebration to be held on September 21, 1987.

We trust that the mandate we were given in 1977 has been more than adequately fulfilled in our ten years of operation.

APPENDIX A

METFORS' WORKING PAPERS IN FORENSIC PSYCHIATRY

1986 - 1987

- 92. Turner, R.E. Fitness to Stand Trial.
- 93. Phillips, M.S. & Dickie, B. Initial Disposition of Persons Found Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity or Unfit to Stand Trial in Ontario - January 1985 to June 1986.
- 94. Phillips, M.S. & Dickie, B. Persons Who Have Reoffended Whilst on Warrants of the Lieutenant Governor in Ontario.

Appendix B

ARTICLES PUBLISHED & IN PRESS MANUALS, REPORTS TO GOVERNMENT

- 1. Bagby, R.M., Silverman, I., Ryan, D.P. and Dickens, S.E "Effects of Mental Health Legislative Reform in Ontario." Canadian Psychology, 28:1, 21-29, 1987.
- 2. Phillips, M.S. "Persons Discharged from Warrants of the Lieutenant Governor in Ontario." <u>Canadian Journal of</u> Psychiatry, in press.
- 3. Phillips, M.S. and Thompson, L.C. "Psychiatric Assessments Under the Young Offenders Act." Dimensions in Health Service, Vol. 63, No. 5, June 1986.
- 4. Phillips, M.S. and Spears, C. "Young Persons (Aged 14-18) Detained Under the Lieutenant Governor in Ontario." Adolescence, in press.
- 5. Rogers, R. "Assessment of Criminal Responsibility: Empirical Advances and Unanswered Questions." Journal of Psychiatry and the Law, in press.
- 6. Rogers, R. "Assessment of Malingering Within a Forensic Context." In D.N. Weisstub (Ed.), Law and Mental Health: International Perspectives (Vol. 3), New York: Pergamon Press, in press.
- 7. Rogers, R., Seman, W., and Clark, C.C. "Assessment of

Responsibility: Initial Validation of the R-CRAS with the M'Naghten and GBMI Standards." International Journal of Law and Psychiatry, 9, 67-75, 1986.

- 8. Rogers, R. and Zinbarg, R. "Bad or Mad? Antisocial Backgrounds of Defendants Evaluated for Insanity." International Journal of Law and Psychiatry, in press.
- 9. Rogers, R. <u>Conducting Insanity</u> <u>Evaluations</u>. New York: Van Nostrand Reinhold, 1986.
- 10. Rogers, R. Review of "Critical Issues in American Psychiatry and Law." (Vol. 2). Contemporary Psychology, 32, 76, 1987.
- 11. Rogers, R. "Ethical Dilemmas in Forensic Evaluations." Behavioral Sciences and the Law, in press.
- 12. Rogers, R. and Wettstein, R.E. "Relapse in NGRI Patients: An Empirical Study." International Journal of Offender Therapy and <u>Comparative Criminology</u>, 29, 227-236, 1986.
- 13. Rogers, R. and Turner, R.E. "Understanding of Insanity: National Survey of Forensic P s y c h i a t r i s t s a n d Psychologists." <u>Health Law in</u> Canada, 7, 71-75.
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- 14. Swirsky, M. and Bita, K. "Violence in the Families of the Mentally Ill: Some Clinical Considerations." <u>Canadian Social Work Review</u>, 1986.
- 15. Turner, R.E. "Forensic Psychiatric Services in Canada." In R. Bluglass and R. Bowden (Eds.), Textbook of Forensic Psychiatry, England, in press.
- 16. Bennett, R.C. and Turner, R.E. "Predictors of Accidental Death and Suicide." In W.S. Clough (Ed.), <u>Transactions of the</u> Association of Life Insurance <u>Medical Directors of America,</u> <u>Ninety-Fifth Annual Meeting</u>, <u>70</u>, 36-45, 1987.
- 17. Glaister, J., Dickens, B., Harvey, W.R.C., King, E.P., Lynch, A.A., and Turner, R.E. "Suicide: Fundamental Questions of Social Policy in Canada." In R. Cohen-Sadler (Ed.), Proceedings of the Eighteenth Annual Meeting, American Association of Suicidology, Toronto, Canada, 206-220, April 18-21, 1986.
- 18. Turner, R.E. "Treatment of Pedophilia." Psychiatric Treatment Manual, American Psychiatric Press Inc., in press.
- 19. Turner, R.E. "Warrants of the Lieutenant Governor." <u>Canadian</u> Journal of Psychiatry, in press.

APPENDIX C NEW HONOURS, APPOINTMENTS, OFFICES HELD

BITA, Karen

Appointments:

Field Instructor Faculty of Social Work University of Toronto (reappointment)

Committees:

Chairman Program Committee Wilkinson House (reappointment)

Boarding House Subcommittee Supportive Housing Coalition (reappointment)

Field Instructor's Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry (reappointment)

Chairman Housing Committee Department of Social Work

Social Work representative Metro Habitat

O.A.P.S.W., O.C.C.S.W. Registration Committee

Bozanich, Mileva

Committees:

Nursing Practice Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

Garcia, Lyda

Committees:

Audit Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry JONES, Nevel

Committees:

Pharmacy Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

LYNES, Patrick G.

Appointments:

Consultant Psychiatrist Ontario Correctional Institute

MAHABIR, Rodney J.

Honours:

Elected Fellow of the Royal College of Psychiatrists of Great Britain

Appointments:

Consultant Psychiatrist Medical Advisory Committee Ministry of Transportation

Consultant Forensic Psychiatrist St. Michael's Hospital

Member and Consultant Ontario Lieutenant Governor's Board of Review

Consultant Psychiatrist Ontario Correctional Institute

McDONALD, Angus

Appointments:

Consultant Psychiatrist Oak Ridge Division Penetanguishene Mental Health Centre

OJCZYK, Maria

Committees:

Nursing Practice Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

Nursing Advisory Committee on Education Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

ROGERS, Richard

Appointments:

Associate Professor of Psychiatry and Special Lecturer in Psychology University of Toronto

Editor Behavioral Sciences and the Law

Editorial Board Member International Journal of Law and Psychiatry

Committees:

Forensic Services in the Public Sector Division 41 American Psychological Association (reappointment)

Division 41 Program Committee APA Convention Washington, D.C.

SAGAR, Amesta

Committees:

Housing Committee Department of Social Work

SEARCH, Brian

Appointments:

Program Module Manager Clarke Occupational Therapy Department

SCHUBERT, Lorraine

Committees:

Pharmacy Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

Nursing Research Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

SRINIVASAN, Vasu

Appointments:

Consultant Psychiatrist Ontario Correctional Institute

SWIRSKY, Marlene

Appointments:

Field Instructor Faculty of Social Work University of Toronto (reappointment)

Committees:

Chairperson Subcommittee to respond to Hucker Report Social Action Committee O.A.P.S.W. Planning Committee Violence in the Family Conference Department of Social Work (reappointment)

Field Instructor's Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry (reappointment)

Association of Mental Health Discharge Planners

Planning Committee Conference - "A Comprehensive Approach to Discharge Planning" Association of Mental Health Discharge Planners

Social Action Committee O.A.P.S.W.

TURNER, R. Edward

Appointments:

Member and Consultant Ontario Lieutenant Governor's Board of Review

Consultant Psychiatrist Ontario Correctional Institute

Committees:

Ad Hoc Review Committee Department of Psychiatry Clinical Institute Addiction Research Foundation

Chair, K.G. Gray Foundation Lecture Annual Meeting Canadian Psychiatric Association

Chair, Forensic Section Annual Meeting Canadian Psychiatric Association

WILLIAMS, Holly

Committees:

Nursing Research Committee Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

Appendix D

SCHOLARLY ADDRESSES, TEACHING, MEDIA INVOLVEMENT

BITA, Karen

Presentations:

Bita, K. & Swirsky, M. "The Schizophrenic Patient and the Law: Family and Community Responses" O.A.P.S.W. Annual Meeting Wilfred Laurier University May 1986

Swirsky, M. & Bita, K. "Issues in Assessing Violence in Families who have Mentally Ill Relatives that Acquire Criminal Charges" Archway Clinic, Q.S.M.H.C. September 1986

Regehr, C., Bita, K. & Swirsky, M. "Murder in the Family: Family Dynamics and Implications for Practice" Violence in the Family Conference Department of Social Work Clarke Institute of Psychiatry November 1986

Bita, K. & Swirsky, M. "Personality Disorders" Psychopathology Course Faculty of Social Work University of Toronto February 1987

Attendance:

Opening Ceremonies Art Eggleton House May 1986

GILLIS, Roy

Presentations:

Gillis, J.R. & Marshall, W.L. "Male Judgements of Consent in Sexual and Non-Sexual Contexts" Annual Meeting of the Canadian Psychological Association June 1986

"Rapists' Attitudes Toward Women" Annual Meeting of the Ontario Psychological Association February 1987

HERMANSTYNE, Lance

Presentations:

"Forensic Psychiatric Nursing: An Overview" Correctional Worker Program Students Centennial College

"Forensic Psychiatric Nursing: An Overview" Nursing Students George Brown College

Teaching:

Supervisor Field Placement Correctional Worker Program Students Centennial College

Supervisor Psychiatric Nursing Students George Brown College

HERMANSTYNE, Lance continued

Volunteer:

Escort for Canadian Immigration Department for returning psychiatrically ill patients out of Canada to their country of origin.

PHILLIPS, Michael S.

Presentations:

"Developments in Forensic Psychiatry" 20th Anniversary Clarke Institute of Psychiatry May 1986

"Youth in Conflict" Centracare Saint John Inc. St. John, New Brunswick October 1986

Participant "Optimizing Medical Staff Relationships" American College of Health Care Executives October 1986

Teaching:

"Issues in the Treatment of the Mentally Ill Offender" Selective Core Course #1215 First Year Medical Students University of Toronto

"Current Issues in the Canadian Health Care System" Health Care Administration Canadian School of Management

PHILLIPS, Michael S. continued

Member

Doctoral Committees

G. Lang: "Medical Administration in Teaching Hospitals"

S. Fazzari: "Clinical Counselling"

ROGERS, Richard

Presentations:

"Ethical Issues in Forensic Evaluations" Canadian Psychological Association Annual Convention June 1986

"Ethical Dilemmas in Forensic Evaluations" American Academy of Psychiatry and Law October 1986

Wettstein, R.M., Rogers, R. & Mulvey, E. "Insanity Standards: A Prospective Comparison" American Academy of Psychiatry and Law October 1986

Invited Lectures:

"Introduction to Forensic Psychiatry" Mental Health-Law Course Osgoode Hall York University September 1986

ROGERS, Richard continued

"Malingering Factitious Disorders" Interactive Television Series December 1986

"Malingering: Can It Be Measured?" Police Recruits C.O. Bick College January 1987

"Advances in Insanity Evaluations" Southwest Conference on Psychology and Law January 1987

"Ethical Issues in Forensic Context" Colloquium for the Department of Psychology University of Buffalo March 1987

Teaching:

"Psychological Aspects of Criminal Law" Third Year Level Undergraduate Course Woodsworth College University of Toronto Summer/Fall 1986

SEARCH, Brian

Presentations:

"METFORS at 10" Occupational Therapy Department Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

"Wellness Conference '86" Occupational Therapy Department Clarke Institute of Psychiatry

SEARCH, Brian continued

Teaching:

Supervisor Field Placement Recreation Leadership Students Centennial College and Humber College programs

Supervisor "Experience '86 Program" for Summer Students Ministry of the Attorney General

SWIRSKY, Marlene

Presentations:

Bita, K. & Swirsky, M. "The Schizophrenic Patient and the Law: Family and Community Responses" O.A.P.S.W. Annual Meeting Wilfred Laurier University May 1986

Swirsky, M. & Bita, K. "Issues in Assessing Violence in Families who have Mentally Ill Relatives that Acquire Criminal Charges" Archway Clinic, Q.S.M.H.C. September 1986

"Personality Disorders" Human Service Counsellor Program George Brown College October 1986

Regehr, C., Bita, K. & Swirsky, M. "Murder in the Family: Family Dynamics and Implications for Practice" Violence in the Family Conference Department of Social Work Clarke Institute of Psychiatry November 1986

SWIRSKY, Marlene continued

Bita, K. & Swirsky, M. "Personality Disorders" Psychopathology Course Faculty of Social Work University of Toronto February 1987

"Forensic Social Work" Elizabeth Fry Society Volunteers February 1987

TURNER, R. Edward

Presentations:

"The Development of Forensic Psychiatric Services in Toronto" 20th Anniversary Clarke Institute of Psychiatry May 1986

"Predictors of Accidental Death and Suicide" Annual Meeting Association of Life Insurance Medical Directors September 1986

Teaching:

"Confidentiality" Third Year Medical Students Medical Jurisprudence Univerity of Toronto

"Is This Criminal Insane?" Family Practice Rounds Sunnybrook Medical Centre

Turner, R.E. & Rogers, R. "Forensic Psychiatry" Selective Core Course #CS1214 First Year Medical Students University of Toronto Appendix E GRANTS

Rogers, R. Use of the SIRS in the Clinical Assessment of Malingering Clarke Institute Research Fund \$3,000

Rogers, R., Turner, R.E., and Gillis, R.

A Diagnostic Study of Auditory Hallucinations: Relevance to the Social Impairment and Management of Psychotic Individuals Canadian Psychiatric Foundation \$5,400

APPENDIX F STAFF DEVELOPMENT

Committee Members

Marlene Swirsky, Chairman Brian Search Patrick G. Lynes Roy Gillis Lana Stermac (to August 1986)

Program

"Reflections on Research at METFORS" Dr. C.D. Webster April 16, 1986

"Outcome of METFORS Research on Information Families Would Like About Their Relatives" Ruth Thompson, M.S.W. Donna Macaulay, M.S.W. Clarke Institute of Psychiatry May 21, 1986

"Discharge Planning: Keys to Effective Planning and Implications for METFORS' Patients" Marlene Swirsky June 17, 1986

"Suicide" Gordon Winch Distress Centre July 14, 1986

"Female Violence: The First Step Toward Mental Health" and film: "Love, Honoured and Bruised" Marilyn Wilcoxon, B.A. Education Wife Assault September 17, 1986 Margaret James Maria Ojczyk Steven Hughes Mileva Bozanich

"Identifying and Helping Victims of Torture" Dr. Cowgill Survivors International October 15, 1986

"Psychologist as Expert Witness in the Courts" Dr. Ruth Bray November 19, 1986

"The Young Offenders Act" Associate Chief Judge Harold Rice Provincial Court (Criminal Division) December 17, 1986

"Programs for Young Offenders" Nancy Bennett, Provincial Coordinator Hugh MacLellan, Planning Officer Community Corrections Branch Ministry of Correctional Services January 21, 1987

"How Policy is Developed" Michael Cochrane, Counsel Policy Development Division Ministry of the Attorney General February 16, 1987

Appendix G

VISITORS TO METFORS

Superintendent Getty 14 Division Metropolitan Toronto Police

Sergeant Ruthledge 14 Division Metropolitan Toronto Police

Michael J. Churgin University of Texas School of Law Austin, Texas

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Ross Myers Medical Consultant New Brunswick Correctional Services

Dennis Stroh Whitby Psychiatric Hospital

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Mary Ellen McIntyre Minister's Advisory Committee on Corrections

Jean Schwenger Minister's Advisory Committee on Corrections

Loretta Okimaw Minister's Advisory Committee on Corrections

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Penelope Hodge Minister's Advisory Committee on Corrections

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TABLE Al

| PSYCHOLOGICAL OPINIONS REGARDING BAU PATIENTS | |
|---|--|
| ASSESSED AT METFORS DURING THE PERIOD | |
| SEPTEMBER TO NOVEMBER 1986 | |

| OPINION | YES | | NO _ | | UNC | CLEAR_ | TOTAL | |
|-------------|-----|------|-----------|------|-----|--------|-------|-------|
| OPINION | Ñ | % | Ñ | % | Ñ | % | Ñ | % |
| | | | · · · · · | | | | | |
| Fit | 58 | 63.0 | 22 | 23.9 | 11 | 13.9 | 91 | 100.0 |
| Certifiable | 23 | 24.0 | 48 | 50.0 | 50 | 26.1 | 96 | 100.0 |

TABLE A 2

NEED FOR FOLLOW-UP TREATMENT IN BAU PATIENTS ASSESSED DURING THE PERIOD SEPTEMBER TO NOVEMBER 1986

| | YES | % | NO | X | DK | Ж | % |
|------------|-----|------|----|------|----|------|-------|
| | | | | | | | |
| Inpatient | 8 | 8.7 | 67 | 72.8 | 17 | 18.5 | 100.0 |
| Outpatient | 31 | 33.3 | 38 | 40.9 | 24 | 65.8 | 100.0 |

TABLE A3

OPINIONS REGARDING BAU PATIENTS' UNDERSTANDING OF THE ROLE OF KEY FIGURES AT METFORS ASSESSMENT PERIOD SEPTEMBER TO NOVEMBER 1986

| | Ñ | NONE | MILD | MODERATE SEV | ERE TOTAL | UNRATABLE |
|-----------------|------|------|------|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| Defense Counsel | (95) | 64.2 | 13.7 | 10.5 3 | .2 1.1 | 7.4 |
| Crown Counsel | (97) | 53.6 | 12.4 | 17.5 4 | .1 2.1 | 10.3 |
| Judge | (96) | 64.6 | 12.5 | 10.4 3 | .1 1.0 | 8.3 |
| Jury | (95) | 63.2 | 13.7 | 9.5 3 | .2 1.1 | 9.5 |
| Defendant | (96) | 65.6 | 9.4 | 10.4 4 | .2 1.0 | 9.4 |
| Witnesses | (95) | 57.9 | 13.7 | 14.7 3 | .2 1.1 | 9.5 |
| Police | (96) | 60.4 | 12.5 | 13.5 3 | .1 1.0 | 9.4 |
| Psychiatrist | (96) | 55.2 | 15.6 | 15.6 3 | .1 1.0 | 9.4 |



TABLE B1

SUMMARY DATA ON INPATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM METFORS DURING SEPTEMBER TO NOVEMBER 1986 BY MARITAL STATUS



TABLE B2

SUMMARY DATA ON INPATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM METFORS DURING THE PERIOD SEPTEMBER TO NOVEMBER 1986 BY AGE

| AGE | | | MALES _ | FI | MALES _ | | TOTAL |
|---------|----|----|---------|----|---------------------------------------|----|-------|
| AGE | | Ñ | % | Ñ | χ | Ñ | % |
| 16 - 19 | | 12 | 85.7 | 2 | 14.3 | 14 | 12.7 |
| 20 - 24 | | 24 | 85.7 | 4 | 14.3 | 28 | 25.5 |
| 25 - 29 | | 17 | 94.4 | 1 | 5.6 | 18 | 16.4 |
| 30 - 34 | | 14 | 100.0 | | — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — | 14 | 12.7 |
| 35 - 39 | | 15 | 93.8 | 1 | 6.3 | 16 | 14.5 |
| 40 - 44 | | 8 | 88.9 | 1 | 11.1 | 9 | 8.2 |
| 45 - 49 | ÷. | 5 | 83.3 | 1 | 16.7 | 6 | 5.5 |
| 50 - 54 | | 3 | 100.0 | 1 | | 3 | 2.7 |
| 55 - 59 | | 1 | 100.0 | | | 1 | .9 |
| 60+ | | 1 | 100.0 | | - | 1 | .9 |
| | | | | | | | |

 $\tilde{n} = 110$





TABLE B4

| SUMMARY | DATA ON | INPATIENTS | DISCHARGED | FROM | METFORS | |
|---------|---------|-------------|-------------|-------|---------|--|
| | DURING | SEPTEMBER 1 | TO NOVEMBER | 1986 | | |
| | | BY OFF | ENSE | 1 - C | | |

| OFFENSE | Ñ | % |
|-----------------------|----|------|
| Murder/Attempt | 5 | 4.9 |
| Sexual Assault | 13 | 12.7 |
| Assault | 28 | 27.5 |
| Firearm | 9 | 8.8 |
| Arson | 3 | 2.9 |
| Theft/Fraud | 22 | 21.6 |
| Motor Vehicle | 1 | 1.0 |
| Fail to Attend/Comply | 8 | 7.8 |
| Obstruct/Mischief | 13 | 12.7 |

 $\tilde{n} = 102$

Missing Observations = 8

TABLE B5

SUMMARY DATA ON INPATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM METFORS DURING SEPTEMBER TO NOVEMBER 1986 BY PSYCHIATRIC CATEGORY

| CATEGORY | Ñ | | % |
|-------------------|----|-------|-----------------------|
| Schizophrenic | 37 | | 41.6 |
| Organic Psychotic | 2 | | 2.2 |
| Affective | 11 | a a a | 12.4 |
| Anti-Social | 18 | | 20.2 |
| Other Personality | 16 | | 18.0 |
| Sexual Disorder | 1 | | 1.1 |
| Substance Abuse | 4 | | 4.5 |
| ñ = 89 | | | an an Aras An Aras |

Missing Observations = 21