February 13, 2024 @ 1:00pm (House Hearing)

Maryland General Assembly House Judiciary Committee Room 101 House Office Building Annapolis, MD 21401

RE: HB 0724 – Criminal Procedure – Petition to Reduce Sentence (Md Second Look for All) **SUPPORT**

My brothers was sentenced to Life all suspended but 35 years plus 20 years consecutive with a total of 55 years. After coming to the realization of knowing my brother Eric Gatlin has been locked up for over 21 yrs, since he was 20 yrs old, my mom struggled with depression each of those yrs and with great strength she's still here. I'm always willing to support a program that helps others in situations that can bring loved ones together. I pray every day that my brother gets a chance to come home and hug our mom in this lifetime. I'm in full support of this House Bill 724.

Respectfully,

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