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Re: Otto P. Higgins
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Gentlemen:

I am writing this letter in behalf of Otto P. Higgins, whose application for a parole is before your Honorable Board for consideration in September. I can speak of the many fine things that have been accomplished for Kansas City during his regime as Director of Police of Kansas City, of his

ability as a business man, and of the many things that he has done for others that are not generally known. Aside from this, I have more than a personal reason for an appeal for him in his behalf. Otto Higgins married my sister in 1911 and should you consider this application for parole, knowing him as I do, I can assure you that he intends to return to his family which of course consists of his wife, and two daughters, and five grandchildren, of whom he is very fond and proud. I can assure you that he intends to become again a good citizen in the community.

Although Mrs. Higgins is my sister. I can truly say that she is a very cultured woman, has been at all times a devoted wife, and a good mother, with the very highest ideals. They were most unfortunate to lose their only son last July, almost prior to his conviction on Income Tax evasion.

This being his first offense, I beg of you to grant him this parole as his family has already suffered immeasurably. That he may be returned to them is my earnest plea.

Sincerely yours,
Louis G. Loschke

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