

Call for Pro Bono Attorneys: Represent Prisoners at Parole Hearings

In 1978, Illinois abolished parole and the system of indeterminate sentencing. However, nearly 300 prisoners – all sentenced for crimes committed prior to 1978 – are still eligible for parole. They are not entitled to counsel. These prisoners are called C# prisoners because their prisoner ID number begins with the letter C.

Through the C# Representation Project, volunteer lawyers have represented many of these prisoners at parole hearings. We need more help.

If you're interested in representing a prisoner at a parole hearing, please RSVP to attend our free training. Please share this notice with other attorneys.

WHEN: November 18, 2008, 12 noon – 1:30 p.m
WHERE: Winston & Strawn, 35 E. Wacker
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