

# Post Conviction Integrity Unit – Conviction Review Team

The Kern County District Attorney's Conviction Review Team reviews inmate requests for reconsideration of sentences under the authority of Penal Code § 1170(d). The foremost goal is to correct actual innocence with consideration in cases to eliminate disparity of sentences and promote uniformity of sentencing.

In order to conduct the review necessary to consider modifying a conviction the conviction review team will need access to the inmates Central File, Medical Records, and Psychiatric notes/records as well as answers to all the questions in the Application for Relief.

Please complete the Application for Relief, use additional pages if needed, and provide signed consent waivers allowing our team to receive copies of the Central File, Medical Records, and Psychotherapy notes for the inmate.

Please keep copies of all documents provided because none of the materials will be returned.

[Application for Relief](#)

[Central File Waiver](#)

[Medical Records Waiver \(CDCR 7385\)](#)

[Psychotherapy Notes Waiver \(CDCR 7385\)](#)

## **Eligibility:**

In order for your application to be reviewed, all of the following must apply:

- 1) The conviction must have been in Kern County.
- 2) The conviction must have been in Kern County Superior court, (not federal court).
- 3) If you are represented by an attorney, all communication must be made through your attorney.