

# NOTICE TO INMATES

## Elderly Offender Home Detention Pilot Program

Beginning February 5, 2009, the Bureau of Prisons is implementing a two-year pilot program called the Elderly Offender Home Detention Pilot Program ("the Program"). The Program is required as part of the Second Chance Act of 2007, Section 231(g), and will involve re-designating certain elderly inmates to home detention for the final portion of their prison sentences. A copy of the Second Chance Act of 2007 is available for your review in the inmate law library.

The Program has many eligibility criteria. To be eligible, you must meet at least all of the following criteria:

1. You are serving a prison sentence for U.S. Code, or D.C. Code felony, offense(s);
2. You are 65 years old or older, or you will be 65 years old at any time before September 30, 2010;
3. You have served 10 years or more on your current sentence;
4. You have served 75% or more of your current sentence;
5. You have no current or past conviction for a crime of violence, sex offense, terrorism offense, or espionage, as defined by the Program; and
6. You have a suitable home in which to reside.

If you meet the above criteria, contact any member of your unit team to discuss your possible participation in the Program. Your consideration to participate will include an assessment using additional eligibility criteria from the statute.

You may appeal an adverse decision through the Administrative Remedy Program.

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