Warden Smith FCI Florence P.O. Box 6500 Florence, Colorado 81226

Re: John Doe, Reg. No. 12345-678

Request for Compassionate Release

## Dear Warden Smith:

I am writing to formally request compassionate release pursuant to Program Statement 5050.50: Compassionate Release/Reduction in Sentence: Procedures for Implementation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 3582 and 4205(g). I am initiating this request for compassionate release based on the extraordinary and compelling circumstances described below.

I am requesting consideration for compassionate release/reduction in sentence based on the incapacitation of my 70-year-old mother. Last month, my mother was diagnosed with Stage IV pancreatic cancer. My father passed away last year, and I am an only child. There is no one else that can serve as my mother's caregiver during trying time.

Based on her recent diagnosis, my mother will need care on a daily basis. She cannot drive and will need someone to take her to her medical appointments, pick up her prescriptions, and assist her with her daily activities. She will need help getting groceries, making meals, and other taking care of herself and her home. I am the only family member that can give my mother the care she so desperately and urgently needs.

If I am granted compassionate release to provide care for my mother, I plan to reside with her at her home in Denver, Colorado. She has savings and health insurance that will fortunately help her afford her medical treatment. Likewise, I already have a job opportunity in place once I am released at Blackacre that will allow for me to support myself financially as well as help my mother with her bills. I will have flexible work hours that will allow me to be there for my mother whenever she needs.

In addition, since I have been incarcerated I have made great strides to improve myself and learn from my past mistakes. I have taken college courses and earned my bachelor's degree, and I have completed over 120 hours of programming and courses offered by the institution. I am a low risk for recidivism based on my PATTERN score, and I have done everything I can to be a better person and better son.

I humbly beg you to please consider my request for compassionate release based on my mother's debilitating medical circumstances. There is no one else that can provide the care she needs and deserves. I truly believe this is my chance to not only redeem myself, but to repay my loving mother for the care she has given me my whole life.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

John Doe Reg. No. 12345-678