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Statement about the execution of Quintin Jones

(Fort Worth, TX) – “The death penalty is – and should be – reserved for the most heinous of crimes, the worst of the worst,” Tarrant County Criminal District Attorney Sharen Wilson said. “Quintin Jones’s case qualifies.”

“The trial jury was asked whether Quintin Jones was likely to be a future danger to society. Their answer was yes, for beating his 83-year-old great aunt to death with a baseball bat to steal \$30 from her in 1999 – and for participating in the beating deaths earlier that year of his two friends, Clark Peoples and Marc Sanders.”

“This case has been reviewed for years by judges throughout the court system who always affirmed the jury’s verdict,” Wilson said. “The law allows it, the facts justify it, the jury decided it.”

“Today, the State of Texas carried out the jury’s verdict.”

