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Sheriff Disputes Supervisor's Claim on Cause of Crime

Milwaukee, WI – Milwaukee County Sheriff David A. Clarke Jr. issued the following statement in response to a news release sent yesterday by Supervisor Eyon Biddle:

I find it to be the height of hypocrisy that Supervisor Biddle would be lamenting about once again being burglarized. This soft-on-crime gasbag continually advocates for criminals in the form of 'alternatives to incarceration,' phony 'second-chance' programs, and the least restrictive means with which to deal with criminal behavior.

It's foolhardy to think someone commits burglary because they couldn't find a job. His news release was nothing more than a thinly disguised campaign literature piece while he is a candidate in an aldermanic race.

There's no doubt in my mind that, if apprehended, we would learn that the perpetrator who broke into Biddle's home is a career criminal. It'll be interesting to see if Biddle advocates for judicial leniency in the form of a watered-down sentence for the creep who violated the sanctity of his home.

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