§5K1.1 SUBSTANTIAL ASSISTANCE DEPARTURE CASES: DEGREE OF DECREASE FOR OFFENDERS IN EACH PRIMARY OFFENSE CATEGORY<sup>1</sup> Fiscal Year 2017

Table 30

		Median Sentence	Median Decrease in Months From	Median Percent Decrease From
PRIMARY OFFENSE	N	in Months	Guideline Minimum	Guideline Minimum
TOTAL	6,867	36	33	49.2
Murder	6	120	86	45.4
Manslaughter	0			
Kidnapping/Hostage Taking	12	120	109	46.1
Sexual Abuse	63	63	60	44.8
Assault	6	16	19	47.1
Robbery	56	48	28	34.7
Arson	10	34	26	44.2
Drugs - Trafficking	4,151	50	41	45.0
<b>Drugs - Communication Facility</b>	33	0	24	99.9
<b>Drugs - Simple Possession</b>	1			
Firearms	620	50	33	41.7
Burglary/B&E	2			
Auto Theft	14	35	32	45.1
Larceny	44	6	18	72.1
Fraud	966	6	21	77.1
Embezzlement	20	0	12	100.0
Forgery/Counterfeiting	34	0	16	100.0
Bribery	34	6	26	87.9
Tax	48	0	18	100.0
Money Laundering	180	18	28	63.1
Racketeering/Extortion	132	40	45	48.9
Gambling/Lottery	7	0	6	100.0
Civil Rights	13	24	30	54.0
Immigration	181	12	10	49.9
Child Pornography	32	120	64	38.5
Prison Offenses	8	7	5	40.0
Administration of Justice Offenses	72	0	12	100.0
Environmental/Wildlife	16	0	17	100.0
National Defense	20	19	32	67.4
Antitrust	17	0	12	100.0
Food & Drug	11	0	10	100.0
Other Miscellaneous Offenses	58	0	18	100.0

Of the 66,873 cases, 7,128 received a §5K1.1 substantial assistance departure. Of these, 6,942 cases had complete guideline application information. Due to an inability to calculate the extent of departure for cases with a guideline minimum of life, an additional 73 cases were also excluded from this table. Of the remaining 6,869 cases, two were excluded due to missing sentence information. Note that the information presented in this table does include sentences of probation, but does not include any time of alternative confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2017 Datafile, USSCFY17.