

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

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U.S. DIST. COURT, WESTERN DIST. OKLA.  
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IN RE: AUTHORIZATION FOR SUBMISSION )  
AND PAYMENT OF VOUCHERS UNDER THE ) G.O. 21-7  
CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT )

**ORDER**

The Court authorizes counsel providing representation under the Criminal Justice Act of 1964, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, (“CJA”) to submit interim vouchers for payment of fees and expenses for attorneys in any case without the necessity of filing a motion to allow such interim payments. The initial interim voucher may be submitted no earlier than four months after the date of appointment for services rendered to date. Subsequent interim vouchers may be submitted when the current interim voucher is greater than \$4,000.00 or at intervals of four months after the date of the previously submitted interim voucher, whichever occurs first. Within 45 days of the conclusion of representation, counsel should submit final vouchers for both the attorney and service provider fees. The final voucher shall note the amount and dates of all interim vouchers paid and shall request payment only for amounts not previously paid.

Submission of an interim voucher is not required but is intended to alleviate the anticipated hardship on counsel and their service providers of undertaking representation for an extended period of time without compensation and to expedite the processing, review, and payment of CJA vouchers. The Court reserves the right to delay or withhold payment on any interim voucher.

ENTERED this 6<sup>th</sup> of May, 2021.



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TIMOTHY D. DeGIUSTI  
Chief United States District Judge



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SCOTT L. PALK  
United States District Judge



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CHARLES B. GOODWIN  
United States District Judge



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PATRICK R. WYRICK  
United States District Judge



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JODI W. DISHMAN  
United States District Judge



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BERNARD M. JONES  
United States District Judge