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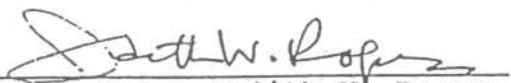### Washington, D. C. 20001
ORDER

In accordance with *Shepard v. United States*, 533 A.2d 1278 (D.C. 1987) and *Doe v. United States*, 583 A.2d 670 (D.C. 1990), relating to the review and approval of vouchers submitted by court-appointed counsel for compensation under the Criminal Justice Act, it is
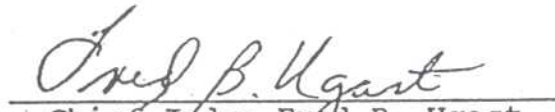
ORDERED that in all cases in which appellate counsel is appointed by the District of Columbia Court of Appeals and counsel concludes that a motion should be filed on behalf of his or her client in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia pursuant to D.C. Code § 23-110 (1989 Repl.), counsel should seek an appointment for that purpose in the Superior Court.

If appellate counsel is appointed as counsel by the Superior Court, the voucher submitted by counsel for services performed in the Superior Court, including work done in connection with the motion before formal appointment, shall be submitted for approval to the Superior Court judge to whom the motion was assigned.
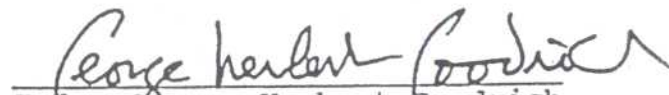
If appellate counsel is not appointed by the Superior Court, the voucher submitted by counsel for services performed in connection with the § 23-110 motion shall be reviewed for approval by the Chief Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals upon recommendation for payment made by the appropriate judge of the division which heard the appeal.
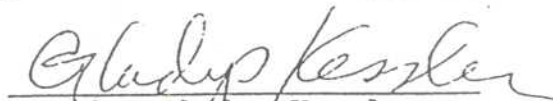
If new counsel is appointed by the Superior Court for purposes of the § 23-110 motion, the voucher submitted by that counsel for services performed in the Superior Court shall be submitted for approval to the Superior Court judge to whom the motion was assigned.

Chief Judge Judith W. Rogers
District of Columbia
Court of Appeals

Chief Judge Fred B. Ugast
Superior Court of the
District of Columbia

Judge Frank E. Schwelb
District of Columbia
Court of Appeals

Judge George Herbert Goodrich
Superior Court of the
District of Columbia

Judge Gladys Kessler
Superior Court of the
District of Columbia

Date: June 17, 1991