# SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 09-05

#### **CJA Guideline Fees for Superior Court Cases**

#### **Supersedes Administrative Order 08-19**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Law 111-8 (2009), the hourly rate of compensation for legal services performed under the Criminal Justice Act has been increased; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section II(D)(5)(a) of the CJA Plan, the committee responsible for recommending modifications to the schedule of applicable guideline fees has proposed increases in the fees;

#### NOW, THEREFORE, it is by the Court

**ORDERED**, that the Table of Guideline Fees for Superior Court Cases be and hereby is amended to read as follows, effective nunc pro tunc to March 11, 2009.

Lead Offense Charged	Number of hours for experienced criminal law attorney	Guideline fee (\$90 per hour)
Extradition matters	1.5	\$135
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CASES		
Magistrate Judge-triable offenses, including all traffic cases, and all adult offenses prosecutable by the District of Columbia, <u>except</u> (1) possession of unregistered firearm and/or ammunition, (2) possession of drug paraphernalia, (3) welfare fraud, (4) violation of Compulsory Education Act	4.0	\$360
Driving while suspended	9.0	\$810
Driving while revoked	9.0	\$810
Driving while intoxicated or under the influence	9.0	\$810
Indecent exposure	9.0	\$810
Leaving the scene of an accident (property damage and/or personal injury)	9.0	\$810
Operating while impaired	9.0	\$810
Reckless driving	9.0	\$810
Speeding in excess of 30 m.p.h. over the speed limit	9.0	\$810
Fleeing a law enforcement officer	9.0	\$810

## TABLE OF GUIDELINE FEES FOR SUPERIOR COURT CASES

Lead Offense Charged	Number of hours for experienced criminal law attorney	Guideline fee (\$90 per hour)
UNITED STATES CASES		
Bail Reform Act (misdemeanor arising from Guideline Fee case)	9.0	\$810
Solicitation for prostitution	9.0	\$810
Solicitation for lewd and immoral purposes	9.0	\$810
Shoplifting	9.0	\$810
Taking property without right	9.0	\$810

### SO ORDERED.

BY THE COURT

March 30, 2009

/s/

Lee F. Satterfield Chief Judge

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