

**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 13-03**

(Appointment of Attorneys to the Criminal Justice Act Panel – March 2013)

WHEREAS, Administrative Order 10-2, issued on January 15, 2010, reconstituted the Criminal Justice Act Panel (“CJA Panel”) of attorneys and directed the CJA Panel Implementation Committee to receive and evaluate applications at any time, during the time between the periodic re-establishment of the Panels; and

WHEREAS, the CJA Panel Implementation Committee has considered applications filed on or before January 15, 2013, from new and previously-considered attorneys; and

WHEREAS, the CJA Panel Implementation Committee submitted its Report to the Chief Judge recommending additional attorneys be appointed to the CJA Panel as Full, Conditional, or Provisional; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Judge is satisfied that the recommendations of the CJA Panel Implementation Committee with respect to the attorneys to be placed on the CJA Panel have been made after careful study and consideration of each attorney eligible to be considered and should be accepted in their entirety without change;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is by the Court,

ORDERED, that the attached list of attorneys shall be appointed to CJA Panel as Full, Conditional, or Provisional Members as set forth therein; and it is further

ORDERED, that absent suspension or removal, and except as otherwise stated hereafter, the attorneys listed as Full Members are appointed to the CJA Panel until the re-establishment of the CJA Panel, at which time they must submit an application for reappointment, pending the determination of which they may remain CJA Panel members; and it is further

ORDERED, that the attorneys appointed as Provisional Members shall be eligible to accept appointment in misdemeanor cases for a period of two (2) years, unless shortened as hereafter described, at which time they must apply to become Full Members of the Panel for the remaining years of the term of the Panel and if not appointed as a Full Member their term of appointment shall expire; and it is further

ORDERED, that a Provisional Attorney may apply to be appointed as a Full Member prior to the expiration of the two-year term, provided that (1) the attorney represents a defendant in at least two felony jury trials, as lead counsel or second chair, and (2) the CJA Panel Advisory Committee recommends the attorney appointment as a Full Member; and it is further

ORDERED, that the attorneys appointed as Conditional Members are not eligible to accept appointments, but may become Full Members of the Panel, if within nine (9) months from the date of this Order, they notify the Chairperson of the CJA Panel Implementation Committee that (1) they have terminated their employment and are presently available to accept appointments; (2) they are still members in good standing of the Bar; and (3) no disciplinary action or investigation has been instituted against them since the filing of the application.

Attorneys who fail to make such notification within nine (9) months of the date of their conditional appointment are no longer eligible to become members of the Panel based on their conditional membership; and it is further

ORDERED, that an attorney's membership on the CJA Panel is conditioned upon his or her compliance with all Administrative Orders setting an annual cap for attorney compensation for appointed representation and providing representation in conformance with the Attorney Practice Standards for Criminal Defense Representation previously published; and it is further

ORDERED, that the listed attorneys are eligible to receive Court appointments upon notification by the CJA Panel Advisory Committee to the Chairperson of the CJA Panel Committee Implementation Committee that the attorney has received the necessary training; and it is further

ORDERED, that any eligible attorney who filed an application prior to January 15, 2013, and who was not appointed to the CJA Panel must wait either (1) eighteen (18) months from the date of this Order, or (2) the date of re-establishment of the Panel, whichever is shorter, to reapply to the Panel; and it is further

ORDERED, that this Order shall take effect on March 14, 2013.

SO ORDERED.

BY THE COURT

March 14, 2013

/s/

Lee F. Satterfield
Chief Judge

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ADDITIONS TO THE CJA PANEL – MARCH 2013

Full Panel Members:

1. Gain, Edward
2. Hill, Grandison
3. Mykytiuk, Jay
4. Nieto, Christopher
5. Scanlon, Anna
6. Scrofano, Joseph
7. Smith, Lee
8. Sulton, Patrice

Conditional Full Member:

1. Judkins, Quo

Provisional Members:

1. Cargill, Jeffrey
2. Gnocchi, Paolo
3. Mohammed, Aisha
4. Zahar, Nicola
5. Ogilivie, Steven