UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF IDAHO

IN RE:

GENERAL ORDER #332

Obtaining CJA Services Without Prior Authorization

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3006A(e)(2), prior approval is required for investigative, expert and other services if the total cost of those services exceeds \$800.00. Because the CJA representations in this District routinely require use of the services of investigators and experts, and the cost of those services combined may ordinarily exceed \$800.00, to avoid the necessity of CJA defense counsel having to expend the time necessary in numerous cases each year to make application to exceed the \$800.00 total maximum, the Court hereby authorizes CJA defense counsel to utilize the services of investigators and experts up to \$800.00 for each service provider without further order of the Court. Investigator and expert service costs exceeding \$800.00 per provider, which do not exceed \$2,400.00¹ per provider, will be forwarded to the Chief Judge for review.

CJA defense counsel and service providers will otherwise comply with 18 U.S.C. §3006A(e)(2).

DATED: September 27, 2018

B. Lynn Winmill

Chief United States District Judge

 $^{^1}$ Costs in excess of \$2,400.00 (including interpreters) must be approved by the circuit pursuant to 18 U.S.C. \$3006A(e)(3)