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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
MATERIAL WITNESS ATTORNEY
CJA PANEL APPLICATION
2019-2021 TERM
(Please Type)

1. Name: _____

2. Work Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email Address: _____ Cell Phone: _____

3. State(s) licensed to practice law and date(s) of admission:

_____ _____

_____ _____

4. Bar #(s): _____

5. Law School: _____

6. Have you ever been on the Material Witness CJA panel before? _____

If so, when? _____

7. Have you ever been disciplined by the Bar? _____

(If so, please attach an explanation.)

8. Are you familiar with the Local Rules of Court and the General Orders for the Southern District of California? _____

9. Do you understand and agree to abide by the rules for the CJA voucher preparation? _____

10. In the last two (2) years have you earned at least twelve (12) hours of MCLE credit in criminal Procedure? _____

11. Have you ever attended the CJA seminar presented by Federal Defenders of San Diego, Inc.? _____

12. Are you willing to accept appointments which may require travel to El Centro? _____

13. Prior to appointment to this panel, you must satisfy one of the following requirements:

(Check "A," "B," or "C")

A. Have you practiced primarily criminal law at least five (5) years in the U.S. District Court? _____

If so, please list three cases you have represented a party or material witness, the names of the judges, and the names and phone numbers of other counsel in the case:

1. _____

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2. _____

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3. _____

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B. Have you been employed for the entire last two (2) years by either 1) the criminal division of the U.S. Attorney's office, or 2) Federal Defenders of San Diego, Inc.? _____

If so, please list three cases you have tried to a verdict, the names of the judges, and the names and phone numbers of opposing counsel:

1. _____

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2. _____

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3. _____

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C. Have you practiced at least five (5) years in a court of competent jurisdiction?

and

a) within the last two (2) years, have you second-chaired an attorney in the U.S. District Court in two (2) felony trials? _____

If so, please list the case and the name of the first-chair attorney:

1. _____

2. _____

and

b) within the last two (2) years, have you second-chaired an attorney in the U.S. District Court in four (4) sentencing hearings in which the U.S. Sentencing Guidelines apply? _____

If so, please list the case and the name of the first-chair attorney:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

14. List up to ten (10) criminal cases in which you appeared as attorney of record for a party or a material witness in the past two (2) years.

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15. List any other prior experience related to the representation of material witness:

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16. List three references (including work address and phone number) who have knowledge of your work:

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17. Applicants may submit letters of reference and/or a resume with the application.

Dated: _____ _____
Signature