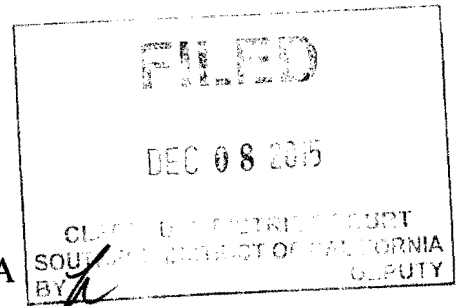


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA



In the matter of)
) General Order No. 649
APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL IN)
CRIMINAL CASES POTENTIALLY)
AFFECTED BY *JOHNSON* v.)
UNITED STATES, 135 S. Ct. 2551)
(2015))
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On June 26, 2015, the United States Supreme Court issued its decision in *Johnson v. United States*, 135 S. Ct. 2551 (2015). That decision may provide certain defendants previously sentenced in this Court with grounds to seek federal habeas relief.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Criminal Justice Act, Title 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(a)(1) and (c), and because of the need to efficiently process petitions under *Johnson*, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Federal Defenders of San Diego Inc., is appointed to represent any defendant who was previously determined to have been entitled to appointment of counsel, or who is now entitled to the appointment of counsel, to determine whether that defendant may qualify for federal habeas relief under either 28 U.S.C. § 2255 or 28 U.S.C. § 2241 in light of *Johnson*, and to present any petitions, motions, or applications relating thereto to the Court for disposition.

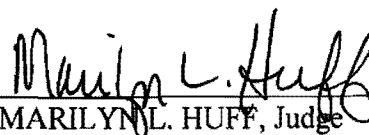
If Federal Defenders of San Diego Inc., believes there is a conflict that would prevent it from assuming appointment for an individual defendant, counsel must bring such conflict to the attention of the Court for adjudication of the issue.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

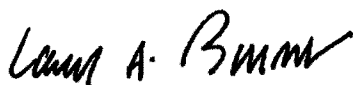
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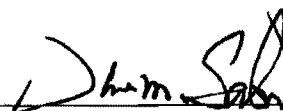
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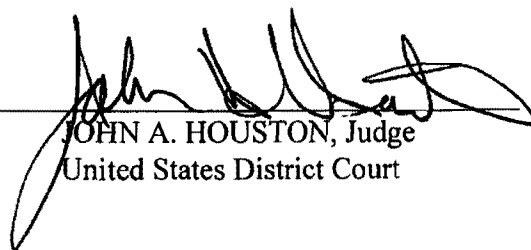
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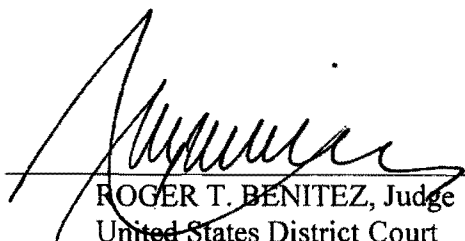
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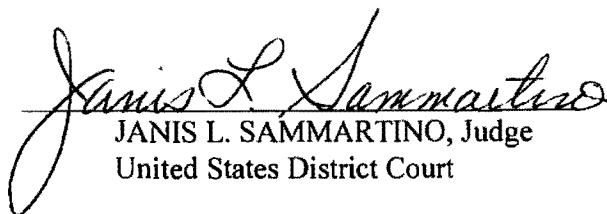
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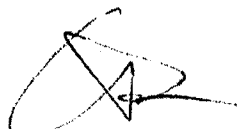
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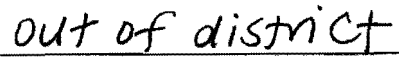
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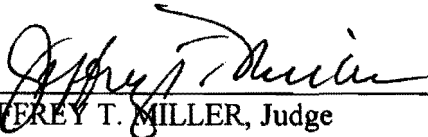
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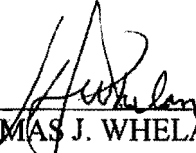
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M. JAMES LORENZ, Judge
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