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DISTRICT OF ARIZONA
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

In the matter of LIMITATIONS ON APPOINTED CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT COUNSEL	GENERAL ORDER NO. 99-18

In order to insure that the Criminal Justice Act ("CJA") Panel of the United States District Court be held in the highest regard, CJA counsel shall not discuss attorneys' fees in any manner, directly or indirectly, with the client who counsel is appointed to represent or the client's family members or other representatives. If the client, family members, or other representatives desire to retain counsel, they may do so but the appointed CJA counsel shall not be eligible for retention on the case to which they were originally appointed. If requested for a recommendation of other counsel, the appointed CJA attorney shall not make a recommendation of a specific attorney.

Only appointed CJA counsel may appear on the case to which they are appointed. Other counsel may appear only upon prior approval by the assigned judge to the case.

DATED this *17th* day of November, 1999.

/s/ *Stephen M. McNamee*
Stephen M. McNamee
Chief United States District Judge