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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 RATE FOR COMPENSATION OF COURT APPOINTED COUNSEL IN CAPITAL HABEAS CORPUS CASES **(SUPERSEDES GENERAL ORDER 08-07)**	GENERAL ORDER 08-08

The presumptive rate for compensation of counsel appointed pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3599(a)(2) in capital habeas corpus cases shall be One-Hundred Fifty Seven Dollars ($157) per hour for lead counsel and One-Hundred Thirty Two Dollars ($132) per hour for second chair.[1] These hourly compensation rates apply to work performed on or after May 20, 2008. Where the appointment of counsel occurred before this effective date, the new compensation rates apply to that portion of services provided on or after May 20, 2008.

DATED this 11th day of April, 2008.

John M. Roll
Chief United States District Judge

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[1] It is the practice of the District of Arizona to appoint as lead counsel only those attorneys who have substantial experience and skill in federal capital habeas corpus proceedings.