

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF IDAHO**

In the Matter of:)
) **GENERAL ORDER # 223**
CJA rate in)
Federal Death Penalty Prosecution Cases and)
Habeas Corpus Death Penalty Cases)

As a result of recent action by Congress and the Ninth Circuit Judicial Council which authorized an increase in the maximum CJA rates in Habeas Corpus Death Penalty, and federal capital prosecution cases, AND

The Court having fully considered this matter, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

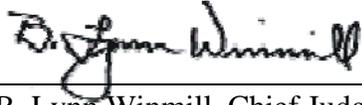
The presumptive rate of compensation for counsel appointed under 18 U.S.C. § 3599(g) and 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(2)(B) shall be \$170 per hour for lead counsel. This rate is reserved for those who have substantial experience and skill in federal capital proceedings.

The rate for those with significant, but less than substantial experience handling capital case proceedings, those who have other comparable experience, such as substantial experience with capital cases or with federal habeas corpus proceedings, and those serving as second counsel, will be compensated at \$135 per hour.

The rates of compensation above apply only to the portion of services performed on or after March 1, 2008.

This general order supercedes General Order 209 entered June 28, 2006.

Dated this 12th day of March, 2008.



B. Lynn Winmill, Chief Judge, United States District Court



Edward J. Lodge, District Judge, United States District Court