

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

IN RE: SUBMISSION OF CJA  
VOUCHERS FOR REMAINDER OF  
CALENDAR YEAR 2025

GENERAL ORDER 25-07

**ORDER**

On April 7, 2023, the Court issued General Order 23-02, which permits submission of interim Criminal Justice Act (CJA) vouchers on a permanent basis. General Order 23-02 specifies, *inter alia*, that counsel providing representation as a CJA panel defender may submit initial interim vouchers no sooner than four months after the date of appointment and subsequent interim vouchers when either the subsequent interim voucher amount is greater than \$4,000 or an interval of four months has elapsed since the previous interim voucher was submitted.


Due to anticipated delays of voucher payments during the third and fourth quarters of fiscal year 2025, the Court will temporarily suspend minimum time and minimum dollar amount requirements for interim vouchers immediately for the remainder of calendar year 2025. Initial interim CJA-20/30 vouchers may be submitted any reasonable time after appointment. Subsequent interim CJA-20/30 vouchers may be submitted any reasonable time after the initial interim voucher is submitted and for any reasonable dollar amount. Suspension of minimum time and minimum dollar amount requirements for interim vouchers for the remainder of calendar year 2025 is intended to partially alleviate potential hardship on counsel during voucher payment delays.


All other requirements of General Order 23-02, including submission of final vouchers within forty-five days of the conclusion of representation, remain in effect. The temporary suspension of minimum time and minimum dollar amount requirements for initial and

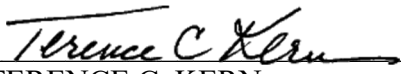
subsequent interim vouchers will end on January 1, 2026, and revert to General Order 23-02 requirements.


SO ORDERED this 28th day of April, 2025.

  
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JOHN F. HEIL, III  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

  
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SARA E. HILL  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

  
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE