

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

IN RE: )  
INTERIM PAYMENTS FOR ) CASE NO. 2:25-mc-4038-ECM  
CJA PANEL ATTORNEYS )

**GENERAL ORDER**

The Court hereby authorizes CJA Panel Attorneys to submit interim vouchers for payment of fees and expenses without prior Court approval. The initial voucher may be submitted no sooner than four months after the date of appointment. Subsequent interim vouchers may be submitted when the current interim voucher amount is greater than \$4,000 or at four months after the date of the previously submitted interim voucher. Within 45 days of the conclusion of the representation, counsel should submit a final voucher, without regard to the amount of the claim or the date of any previously submitted voucher.

The submission of an interim voucher is not required but is intended to alleviate the anticipated hardship on counsel of undertaking representation for an extended period without compensation and to expedite the processing, review, and payment of CJA vouchers. The Court reserves the right to delay or withhold payment on any interim voucher.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that CJA Panel Attorneys may submit interim vouchers for payment of fees and expenses without prior Court approval, as set out herein. This Order is effective upon entry and shall remain in effect until modified or abrogated by the Court.

The Clerk of the Court is DIRECTED to send a copy of this Order to all members of the CJA Panel.

DONE this 18th day of April, 2025.

/s/ Emily C. Marks  
EMILY C. MARKS  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE