DECLARATION OF KEVIN McNALLY REGARDING THE APPOINTMENT OF OUT-OF-DISTRICT COUNSEL IN FEDERAL CAPITAL CASES

- 1. I currently serve as the Director of the Federal Death Penalty Resource Counsel Project, assisting court-appointed and defender attorneys charged with the defense of capital cases in the federal courts. I have served as Resource Counsel since the inception of the Resource Counsel Project in January, 1992. The Project is funded and administered under the Criminal Justice Act by the Defender Services Office of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts.
- 2. My responsibilities as federal resource counsel include the monitoring of all federal capital prosecutions throughout the United States in order to assist in the delivery of adequate defense services to indigent capital defendants in such cases. This effort includes the collection of data on the initiation and prosecution of federal capital cases.¹

An update to the Report states: "Many judges and defense counsel spoke with appreciation and admiration about the work of Resource Counsel. Judges emphasized their assistance in recruiting and recommending counsel for appointments and

¹The work of the Federal Death Penalty Resource Counsel Project is described in a report prepared by the Subcommittee on Federal Death Penalty Cases, Committee on Defender Services, Judicial Conference of the United States, FEDERAL DEATH PENALTY CASES: RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING THE COST AND QUALITY OF DEFENSE REPRESENTATION (May, 1998), at 28-30. www.uscourts.gov/dpenalty/1COVER.htm. The Subcommittee report "urges the judiciary and counsel to maximize the benefits of the Federal Death Penalty Resource Counsel Project ..., which has become essential to the delivery of high quality, costeffective representation in death penalty cases" *Id.* at 50.

- 3. In order to carry out the duties entrusted to me, I maintain a comprehensive list of federal death penalty prosecutions and information about these cases. I accomplish this by internet news searches, by reviewing dockets and by downloading and obtaining indictments, pleadings of substance, notices of intent to seek or not seek the death penalty, and by telephonic or in-person interviews with defense counsel or consultation with chambers. This information is regularly updated and is checked for accuracy by consulting with defense counsel. The Project's information regarding federal capital prosecutions has been relied upon by the Administrative Office of the United States Courts, by the Federal Judicial Center and by various federal district courts.
- 4. There is ample precedent for appointment of out-of-state counsel in federal death penalty cases. I am aware of numerous federal capital cases in which out-of-state attorneys were appointed or otherwise authorized to participate in the defense of the accused under the Criminal Justice Act. *See e.g., United States v. Cheely,* 790

their availability to consult on matters relating to the defense, including case budgeting. Defense counsel found their knowledge, national perspective, and case-specific assistance invaluable."

http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/AppointmentOfCounsel/Publications/UpdateFederalDeathPenaltyCases.aspx

- F. 2d 901, 908-909 (D. Alaska 1992) (appointing out-of-state attorney with capital litigation experience).
- 5. Out of state counsel have been appointed in numerous federal capital prosecutions in jurisdictions which do not have a state capital defense bar, such as Alaska,² District of Columbia,³ Hawaii,⁴ Idaho,⁵ Iowa,⁶

²United States v. Cheely (D. AK No. A92-073-CR) (3/92); United States v. James Wells (D. AK No. 3:13-CR-00008-RRB-JDR) and United States v. John Pearl Smith (D. AK No. 3:16-CR-00086-SLG-DMS).

³United States v. Zayd Safarini (D. DC No. 91-CR-504-ALL); United States v. William Sweeney (D. DC No. 98-CR-0329 (TPJ)); United States v. Edelin, et al. (D. DC No. 98-CR-264); United States v. Kevin Gray and Rodney Moore, et al. (D. DC No. 1:00-CR-00157); United States v. Kofi Orleans-Lindsay (D. DC No. 00-CR-440-ALL), United States v. Frances Karake (D. DC No. 02-CR-256-ALL), United States v. Rico Thomas (D. DC No. 1:10-CR-00171-JDB) and United States v. Ahmed Abu Khatallah (D. DC No. 1:14-CR-00141-CRC).

⁴United States v. Renee Beth Smith (D. HI No. 97-CR-01141 HG 01); United States v. Hector Lopez (D. HI No. 97-CR-01117 ACK); United States v. Richard Lee Tuck Chong (D. HI No. 98-CR-00416 ACK)); United States v. Eugene Boyce (D. HI No. 99-CR-00570 SOM); United States v. Lei Shi (D. HI No. 02-CR-0116), United States v. Naeem Williams (D. HI No. 1:06-CR-0079-DAE) and United States v. Ailsa Jackson (D. HI No. 1:15-CR-00293-SOM-KSC-1).

⁵United States v. Joseph Duncan (D. ID No. 07-23-N-EJL).

⁶United States v. Anousoune Soukarith (S.D. IA No. 95-CR-78); United States v. Ramiro Astello (N.D. IA No. 97-CR-3008 MW); United States v. Christopher Kaufman, Jamie McMahan and Luis Lua (S.D. IA No. 97-CR-92-ALL) and United States v. Angela Johnson and Dustin Honken (N.D. IA No. 00 CR 3034-MWB).

⁸United States v. Reginald Brown, et al., (E.D. MI No. 92-CR-81127) (four capital defendants); United States v. David Lee Bishop (W.D. MI No. 1:95:CR:67); United States v. Efraim Garcia (E.D. MI No. 97-CR-80727); United States v. Derrick Davis and Adelbert Dean (E.D. MI No. 00-CR-80966-ALL); United States v. Marvin Gabrion (W.D. MI No. 1:99-CR-76); United States v. Milton Jones, et al. (E.D. MI No. 01-CR-80571) (three defendants); United States v. David Daniel Serra (E.D. MI No. 2:01-M-80792); United States v. Timothy O'Reilly (E.D. MI No. 05-80025); United States v. Deondre Byrd, et al. (E.D. MI No. 2:06-CR-20335) (three defendants); United States v. Roy Christopher West (E.D. MI No. 2:06-CR-20185) (four defendants); United States v. Derrick Young, et al. (E.D. MI No. 2:06-CR-20411-RHC-SDP) (five defendants); United States v. Narayan Thadani, et al. (E.D. MI No. 2:08-CR-20290-GER-VMM) (three defendants) and United States v. Mustafa Abdul-Quadir Al-Din, et al. (W.D. MI No. 1:11-CR-97) (five defendants).

⁹United States v. Mosiah Wright and Christopher St. Aubyn Headley (D. MN No. 99-CR-86 (RHI/JMM); United States v. Jeffrey Miller (D. MN No. 99-CR-260(2) DWF/AJB); United States v. Richard Ashton Oslund (D. MN No. 03-CR-151 (JMR/FLN)) and United States v. Tyvarus Lindsey and Rashad Raleigh (D. MN No. 10-CR-00015).

¹⁰United States v. Benjamin Raymond and Travis Loren Dally (D. NM No. 07-CR-748) and United States v. John Charles McCluskey, Tracy Allen Province and Cassyln Mae Welch (D. NM No. 10-CR-02734).

¹¹See, e.g., United States v. Thomas Pitera (E.D. NY No. 90-CR-0424); United States v. Dandenny Munoz-Mosquera (E.D. NY No. 91-CR-1285); United States v. Darryl Johnson (W.D. NY No. 92-CR-159-16C); United States v. Tyrone Walker and Walter Diaz (N.D. NY No. 94-CR-328); United States v. Anthony Tabbita (E.D. NY No. 95-CR-754 (S-7) (SJ)); United States v. Jia Wu Chen, et al. (E.D. NY No. 95-CR-0870) (four defendants); United States v. Clarence Heatley (S.D. NY No. 96 CR 515 (MJW)); United States v. Robert Mateo-Feliz (E.D. NY No. 96-CR-527-S4); United States v. Eladio Padilla (S.D. NY No. 97 CR 809); United States v. Deric Frank (S.D. NY No. 97

⁷United States v. Gary Sampson (D. MA No. 01-CR-10384-ALL), United States v. Brima Wurie (D. MA No. 1:03-CR-10329-PBS-ALL) and United States v. Dzhokhar Tsarnaev (D. MA No. 1:13-CR-10200-GAO).

CR 269 (DLC)); United States v. Giraldo (E.D. NY No. 97-342); United States v. Vance Baker (E.D. NY No. 97-CR-877); United States v. Juan Albeiro Monsalve (E.D. NY No. 97-CR-791 (S-4) (JS)); United States v. Rosie Baker (E.D. NY No. 97 CR- 877); United States v. Peter Rollack (S.D. NY No. S1 97 CR 1293); United States v. Chen Hang San (S.D. NY No. 97-CR-190 (JES)); United States v. David Prieto (S.D. NY No. S2-97-CR-696 (SHS)); United States v. Khalfan Khamis Mohamed (S.D. NY CR No. S6 98 CR 1023); United States v. Daniel Berrios (S.D. NY No. 98-CR-290); United States v. Charles Michael Kee (S.D. NY No. 98-CR-778); United States v. Victor Sanchez (S.D. NY No. S1 98 CR 968 (BSJ)); United States v. Mohamed Rashed Daoud Al'Owhali (S.D. NY No. S6 98 CR 1023) (two capital defendants); United States v. Anthony Greco (S.D. NY No. 99 CR 1199); United States v. Jamal Booth (S.D. NY No. 99 CR 0378); United States v. Joseph Calco (E.D. NY No. 99:CR-520); United States v. Michael Swango (E.D. NY No. 00-CR-728); United States v. Julius Williams (S.D. NY No. 00-CR-237-3); United States v. Derick McAlister (S.D. NY No. 00-CR-977-ALL); United States v. Michael Williams and Elijah Bobby Williams (S.D. NY No. 00-CR-1008); United States v. Guillermo Benitez-Zapata (E.D. NY No. 00-CR-1313-ALL); United States v. Anthony Rodriguez (S.D. NY No. 00-CR-949-ALL); United States v. Carlos Lopez (E.D. NY No. 00-CR-1085-ALL); United States v. Alan Quinones and Diego Rodriguez (S.D. NY No. 00 CR 0761 (JSR)); United States v. Jose Luis Rodriguez (E.D. NY No. 00-CR-1272-ALL); United States v. Manual Roman (S.D. NY No. 01 CR 1110); United States v. Anderson Pena (S.D. NY No. 01-CR-1161-ALL); United States v. Armando Molina and Gilberto Caraballo (E.D. NY No. 01-1367 (S-2) (RJD)); United States v. Freddy Abad (S.D. NY No. 01-CR-831); United States v. Angel Cordero (S.D. NY No. 01-CR-74-ALL); United States v. Luis Martinez (E.D. NY No. 01-CR-170); United States v. Roberto Martinez-Martinez (S.D. NY No. S1 01 CR 307); United States v. Angel D'Angelo (E.D. NY No. 02-CR-399); United States v. Frederick Jackson (S.D. NY No. 02-CR-756); United States v. Albert Burgos (S.D. NY No. S4 02 CR 1435 (LAP)); United States v. Larry Williams (S.D. NY No. 02-CR-1372 (BSJ)); United States v. Julian Hall (E.D. NY No. 03-CR-910 (S-1)(CFS)); United States v. William Nagatsuka (S.D. NY No. S2 03 CR 00734), United States v. Eric Moore (E.D. NY No. 04-CR-706(S2)(DGT), United States v. Khalid Barnes (S.D. NY No. 7:04-CR-00186-SCR), United States v. Ronell Wilson (E.D. NY No. 1:04-CR-01016-NGG-ALL), United States v. Hisan Lee (S.D. NY No. 1:07-CR-00003-BSJ), United States v. Christian Gerold Tarantino (E.D. NY No. 08-CR-655); United States v. Thomas Gioeli (E.D. NY No. 1:10-CR-00240-NG), United States v. Christian John and Shaquan Jones

(E.D. NY No. 11-CR-405), *United States v. Jose Alvarenga* (E.D. NY No. 2:12-CR-0063-JFP-WDW); *United States v. Jonathan Rodriguez and Marquis Wright* (S.D. NY No. 1:15-CR-00445-PAE) and *United States v. Jaime Rivera* (E.D. NY No. 2:17-CR-0050-SJF).

¹²United States v. Alejandrino Angulo Guerrero (D. ND No. C3-03-90-01); United States v. Alfonso Rodriguez (D. ND No. 04-CR-55-ALL), United States v. Michael Alan Petzold (D. ND No. 3:05-CR-00101-RRE-ALL) and United States v. Martin Carillo (D. ND No. 3:06-CR-14).

¹³United States v. Gregorio Aponte-Lazu, et al. (D. PR No. 95-235); United States v. Jose Ram Caraballo-Gonzalez, et al. (D. PR No. 96-105 (SEC)); United States v. Alexander Pinero Sotomayer, et al. (D. PR No. 96-228 (HL)); United States v. Morillo Espinal, et al. (D. PR No. 96-026 (HL)); United States v. Manuel I. Medero-Rosario, et al. (D. PR No. 96-CR-001 (PG)); United States v. Omar Claudio Pantojas (D. PR No. 96-CR-75 (HL)); United States v. Hanson Wilson-Millan (D. PR No. 96-CR-116 (SEC)); United States v. Antonio Baez, et al. (D. PR No. 97-CR-026 (JAF)); United States v. Ricardo Torres Galindo, et al. (D. PR No. 97-CR-52); United States v. Edgardo I. Mejias-Villalba, et al. (D. PR No. 97-CR-049 (JAF)); United States v. Felix Rodriguez Inocencio, et al. (D. PR No. 97-CR-0191 (CCC)); United States v. Victor Manuel Valle-Lassalle, et al. (D. PR No. 97-CR-284 (JAF)); United States v. Edsel Torres Gomez (D. PR No. 98-CR-72); United States v. Luis Gines Perez, et al. (D. PR No. 98-CR-164 (DRD)); United States v. Joel Rivera Alejandro, et al. (D. PR No. 99-CR-044 (SEC)); United States v. Juan J. Zuniga-Bruno (D. PR No. 99-CR-295 (DRD)); United States v. Angel Bernacett-Cosme (D. PR No. 99-CR-346); United States v. Jose Ariel Cruz-Rivera (D. PR No. 00-CR-98 (CCC)); United States v. Jose Garcia Ortiz (D. PR No. 01-CR-111-ALL); United States v. Samuel Santos-Ortiz (D. PR No. 01-CR-623-ALL); United States v. Lorenzo Catalan Roman (D. PR No. 3:02-CR-117-ALL); United States v. Yamil Matos-Quinones, et al. (D. PR No. 02-CR-183-ALL); United States v. Carlos Ayala-Lopez (D. PR No. 03-CR-55-ALL); United States v. Angel Fortez-Garcia, et al. (D. PR No. 03-CR-73-ALL); United States v. Eddie Rodriguez-Berrios (D. PR No. 3:04-CR-00081-PG-ALL) (three defendants), United States v. Lashaun Casey (D. PR No. 3:05-CR-0277-JAG), United States v. Edison Burgos-Montes (D. PR No. 06-CR-009 JAG), United States v. Samuel Ortiz-Garcia and Augustin Rodriguez-Adorno (D. PR No. 3:07Rhode Island, ¹⁴ Tennesse, ¹⁵ Vermont, ¹⁶ West Virginia ¹⁷ and Wisconsin. ¹⁸

6. District judges have also appointed out-of-state counsel when necessary in states which already have a home grown capital defense bar, including: Alabama, ¹⁹

CR-00248-FAB); United States v. Alexis Candelario-Santana (D. PR No. 3:09-CR-00427-JAF), United States v. David Oquendo-Rivas (D. PR No. 3:09-CR-00427-JAF), United States v. Jonathan Ortiz-Torres and Angel Santana-Espinet (D. PR No. 10-184-015), United States v. Luis D. Rivera-Carrasquillo and Edwin Espino (D. PR No. 3:12-CR-00200-JAF), United States v. Jean Carlos Ramos Pineiro (D. PR No. 3:12-CR-00200-JAF); United States v. Javier Jiminez-Bencevi (D. PR No. 3:12-CR-00221-JAF) and United States v. Pedro-Vidal, et al. (D. PR No. 3:16-CR-00778-GAG).

¹⁴United States v. George Sepulveda, et al. (D. RI No. 95-CR-075-010-ML) (five capital defendants) and *United States v. Sammie Sanchez* (D. RI No. 00141 L).

¹⁵United States v. Quinton Leavell, et al. (M.D. TN No. 3:14-CR-0200) (two capital defendants).

¹⁶United States v. Chris Dean (D. VT No. 2:98-CR-00063), United States v. Donald Fell (D. VT No. 2:01-CR-12-01) and United States v. Michael Jacques (D. VT No. 2:08-CR-117).

¹⁷United States v. Ricky Brown, et. al. (N.D. WV No. 3:00CR6); United States v. Charles Hatten (S.D. WV No. 8:02-CR-00232-02), United States v. George Lecco and Valeri Friend (S.D. WV No. 2:05-CR-00107) and United States v. Patrick Andrews and Kevin Bellinger (N.D. WV No. 1:12-CR-00100-IMK-JSK).

¹⁸United States v. Malkit Singh (E.D. WI CR No. 03 M 616).

¹⁹United States v. Eric Robert Rudolph (N.D. AL CR No. 00-CR-422-ALL), United States v. William Merriweather (N.D. AL No. 2:07-CR-243-RDP-JEO) and United States v. Lorenzo Taylor (S.D. AL No. 1:12-CR-00056-WS-C).

²⁰United States v. Jared Loughner (D. AZ No. 11-CR-0187-TUC-LAB).

²¹United States v. Antoine Baker (E.D. AR No. 4:06-CR-00041-GTE).

²²United States v. Buford Furrow (C.D. CA CR No. 99-838 (A) -RAP), United States v. Anh The Duong (N.D. CA No. 5:01-CR-20154JF); United States v. Barry Bryon Mills, et al. (C.D. CA CR No. 02-00938-GHK), United States v. Petro Krylov (C.D. CA No. 02-220 (A)-NM), United States v. Joseph Sablan (E.D. CA No. 08-CR-00259), United States v. Samuel Stone (E.D. CA No. 1:12-CR-00072-AWI-DLB) and United States v. Milton Huff (C.D. CA 2014).

²³United States v. Richard Santiago (D. CO No. 1:10-CR-00164-LTD); United States v. Andrew Sisson (D. CO No. ______) (Pre-Indictment).

²⁴ United States v. Azibo and Azikiwe Aquart (D. CT No. 3:06-CR-160(PCD)).

²⁵United States v. John McCullah (M.D. FL No. _____) (Pre-Indictment); United States v. Michael Thompson (M.D. FL No. 5:15-CR-00028-WTH-PRL) (Pre-Indictment).

²⁶United States v. Anthony Battle (N.D. GA CR No. 1:95 CR 528) (§2255 action) and United States v. Michael Antonio Natson (M.D. GA CR No. 4:05-CR-00021-CDL-GMF-ALL).

Illinois,²⁷ Indiana,²⁸ Kansas,²⁹ Kentucky,³⁰ Louisiana,³¹ Maryland,³² Missouri,³³

²⁷United States v. James Watts (S.D. IL No. 4:14-CR-40063-JPG) and United States v. Brendt Christensen (C.D. IL No. 2:17-CR-20037-CSB-EIL).

²⁸United States v. Jarvis Brown (S.D. IN No. EV-06-CR-0014-01-Y/H); United States v. Andrew Rogers (S.D. IN No. 2:16-CR-00018-WTL-CMM) and United States v. Richard Smith (S.D. IN 2016).

²⁹ United States Marcus Roberson and Virok Webb (D. KS No. 11-40078-01/08 JAR).

³⁰United States v. Ricky Kelly and Dion Dajuan Neal (W.D. KY No. 3:11-CR-33-H); United States v. Jimmy Benge, Gerald Sizemore and Vernon Delph (E.D. KY No. 6:12-CR-00059-ART-AHI), United States v. Eugene Slone (E.D. KY No. 6:12-CR-00028-ART-HAI) and United States v. John Travis Millner (E.D. KY No. 7:13-CR-15-ART).

³¹United States v. Thomas Steven Sanders (W.D. LA No. 1:10CR00351) and United States v. Walter Porter (E.D. LA No. 2:12-CR-00001-MLCF-ALC).

³²United States v. Earl Davis (D. MD No. 8:07-CR-00199-RWT) and United States v. Patrick Byers (D. MD No. 08-056).

³³United States v. Wesley Paul Coonce, Jr. (W.D. MO 10-03029-01/02-CR-S-GAF) and United States v. Anthony Jordan (E.D. MO No. 4:15-CR-00404-HEA-NAB).

Montana,³⁴ Nevada,³⁵ New Jersey,³⁶ New Mexico,³⁷ Ohio,³⁸ Oklahoma,³⁹ Pennsylvania,⁴⁰ South Carolina,⁴¹ Tennessee⁴² and Virginia.⁴³

³⁴United States v. Brian Walter Weber and Lincoln Benavides (D. MT No. 06-62-DWM) and United States v. Jesus Yeizon Deniz Mendoza (D. MT No. 1:15-CR-00093-SPW).

³⁵United States v. Richard Friedman and Alfred Mauriello (D. NV CR No. CR-S-97-0089-PMP (RLH)); United States v. Darreal Biddle, et. al (D. NV CR No. CR-S-03-0350-LRH-LRL) (four defendants); United States v. Corey Thompson (D. NV No. 2:10-CR-325) and United States v. Melissa Hack and Ross Hack (D. NV No. 2:12-CR-00063-PMP-RJJ).

³⁶United States v. Farad Roland (D. NJ No. 2:12-CR-00298-ES); United States v. Hugo Palencia (D. NJ No. 2:13-CR-00615-SRC) and United States v. DeShawn Hicks (D NJ No. 1:13-CR-00469-JHR).

³⁷United States v. John Acosta, et al. (D. NM CR No. 95-538-MV) (three defendants), United States v. Stanley Secatero (D. NM CR No. 98-546-BB), United States v. Luis Cisneros, Felipe Cisneros, Paul Eppinger and Angel Rivera (D. NM CR No. 01-1709 MCA); United States v. Larry Lujan (D. NM No. 05-924), United States v. Benjamin Raymond and Travis Dally (D. NM No. 07-748) (two defendants) and United States v. Christopher Garcia and Anthony Cordova (D. NM No. 2:16-CR-01613) (two defendants).

³⁸United States v. Antwan Hutchinson (S.D. OH No. 2:17-CR-00077-MHW).

³⁹United States v Timothy James McVeigh and Terry Lynn Nichols (W.D. OK CR No. M-95-110-H) and United States v. Connell Williams (W.D. OK No. 5:11-CR-298)

⁴⁰United States v. Michael Murray (M.D. PA No. 1-CR-92-200); United States v. Tyrone Tidwell (E.D. PA No. 94-CR-353); United States v. David Paul Hammer (M.D. PA No. 4-96-CR-239); United States v. Julio Otero (M.D. PA No. 3:CR-96-005); United States v. Mitch Paster (M.D. PA No. 96-CR-221); United States v. Marek Kowaalski (M.D. PA No. 98-CR-014-MW-01); United States v. Carlos Ivan Llera-Plaza, et al. (E.D. PA No. 98-CR-362); United States v. Joseph Minerd (W.D. PA No. 99-CR-215); United

- 7. To declarant's knowledge, in most federal death penalty cases where out-of-state counsel with capital litigation experience has been requested or recommended by the Federal Public or Community Defender, the district court has appointed out-of state counsel.
- 8. On November 10, 1993, affiant communicated by facsimile transmission with Mr. Steven Asin, of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts, Defender Services Division, who advised us, and authorized us to inform the Court,

States v. Michael O'Driscoll (M.D. PA No. 4:CR-01-277); United States v. Lawrence Skiba (W.D. PA No. 01-CR-291-ALL), United States v. Vincent Williams, et. al (E.D. PA No. 01-CR-512-ALL), United States v. Jelani Solomon (W.D. PA No. 2:05-CR-00385-TFM-ALL), United States v. Maurice Phillips (E.D. PA No. 2:07-CR-00549-JCJ), United States v. Kaboni Savage, Steven Northington and Lamont Lewis (E.D. PA No. 2:07-CR-00550-RBS) and United States v. Jesse Con-Ui (M.D. PA No. 3:CR-13-123).

⁴¹United States v. Dylann Storm Roof (D. SC No. 2:15-MC-00218-BM).

⁴²United States v. Tim Holloway (M.D. TN No. 3:96-CR-0004); United States v. James Harold Burgett (W.D. TN No. 98-CR-20160- G); United States v. Marcus Boyd, et al. (W.D. TN No. 99-CR-20244-G/A); United States v. Jamal Shakir, et al. (M.D. TN No. 3:98-CR-00038 (NIXON)), United States v. Craig Petties (W.D. TN No. 02-CR-20449-ML); United States v. Ommar Hirbin Gomez, Walter Hernandez and Escolastico Serrano (M.D. TN No. 3:07-CR-00005); United States v. Christopher David Imes, DeMarco LeWayne Smith (M.D. TN No. 3:09-CR-00244); United States v. Jerry Dinkins, et al. (M.D. TN No. 3:11-CR-00012) (seven defendants) and United States v. Chastain Montgomery (W.D. TN No. CR 11-20044).

⁴³United States v. Carlos David Caro (W.D. VA CR No. 06 CR 00001), United States v. Jorge Avila Torrez (E.D. VA No. 1:11-CR-115) and United States v. Antonio Johnson (W.D. VA No. 2:12-CR-00007-JPJ-PMS).

with capital litigation experience entirely proper and appropriate under 21 U.S.C. § 848(q)(7) (now 18 U.S.C. §3599(d)) which provides that "for good cause ... [the Court] may appoint another attorney whose background, knowledge, or experience would ... enable him or her to represent the defendant, with due consideration to the

I declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of American, 28 U.S.C. §1746, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 12th day of February, 2017.

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<u>/s/ Kevin McNally</u>
Kevin McNally