

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT ARKANSAS

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IN RE: FINANCIAL AFFIDAVITS  
PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF  
THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT

GENERAL ORDER NO. 57

In order to provide the assistance of counsel to criminal defendants who have indicated that they cannot afford to pay a lawyer, and to obtain complete and reliable financial information, the Court directs the Federal Public Defender or court-appointed CJA counsel to assist all potentially eligible defendants with the preparation of a financial affidavit (Form CJA 23). The completed affidavit should be filed with the Court before the defendant's initial appearance. If that is impracticable, the completed affidavit must be filed no later than ten days after the Court provisionally appoints counsel.

SO ORDERED.

*D. P. Marshall Jr.*

D. P. MARSHALL JR.  
CHIEF JUDGE

*15 August 2019*