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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
By: J. W. McCormack JAMES W. McCORMACK, CLERK
DEP CLERK

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL FOR A
DEFENDANT UNDER SUPERVISION WHO
IS INDICTED ON A NEW FEDERAL CHARGE

GENERAL ORDER NO. 59

This General Order addresses issues that arise when a defendant under supervision in a federal case is indicted on a new federal charge. If appointed counsel is needed, the same lawyer will be appointed to represent the defendant in the revocation proceedings and on the new indictment. To promote judicial economy, the same district judge will preside over all these related cases. The new case will be assigned to the district judge presiding in the older or oldest case, if practicable. Otherwise, the Clerk will randomly assign the new case and reassign the older case or cases to the selected judge. The defendant's initial appearance on the revocation petition is referred to the magistrate judge who presides over the defendant's initial appearance on the new indictment.

SO ORDERED.

D.P. Marshall Jr.
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CHIEF JUDGE

16 January 2020