UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS 515 RUSK AVENUE HOUSTON, TEXAS 77002

CHAMBERS OF

KENNETH M. HOYT

SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

AMENDED - ACCEPTING NEW APPLICATIONS

September 18, 2017

Dear Current and Prospective CJA Panel Attorneys:

Applications for readmission and admission to the Houston-Galveston CJA Panel are being accepted between September 1 and October 31, 2017.

If you are currently a member, you do not need to submit a renewal application unless you receive an electronic notice. A notice will be sent to members who are concluding their third and final year on the Committee.

Applications, whether new or for renewal, may be obtained through the Clerk's Office or at www.txs.uscourts.gov/page/cja-information-links. Please note that your application does not guarantee membership. The guidelines for submitting applications have changed. Please read the instructions carefully. **All applications must be filed electronically**.

Each application is reviewed with the purpose of fulfilling the Court's statutory duty to the indigent community.

If you have any questions, please contact my judicial assistant, Ms. Elaine Caldwell, at (713) 250-5612.

Sincerely,

Kenneth M. Hoyt, Chair

Criminal Justice Act Committee

United States Senior District Judge

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