UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF KANSAS
CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT PANEL APPLICATION FORM

The following application is to be completed by attorneys who wish to participate in the CJA panel established in the District of Kansas as part of the plan for representation of indigent defendants under the Criminal Justice Act of 1964, as required by 18 U.S.C. ' 3006A. Please complete this form in the electronic format provided and email to Laura Shaneyfelt at Laura_Shaneyfelt@fd.org.

1. Please indicate which panel you are applying for

     _____General Panel

     _____ Emeritus Panel

     _____Misdemeanor Panel

     _____Training Panel

2. Background Information

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial

Name of Firm

Street Address

City	State	Zip Code

Office Phone Number	Fax Number	Email Address

Home Phone Number	Cell Phone Number

Bar Number	States of Admission

3. Areas of Specialized Experience (Please indicate number of cases you have defended in each practice area or employing each special skill)

      _____Capital Defense

      _____Computer Forensics

      _____Large Narcotics Conspiracy Prosecutions

      _____Sex Offenses

      _____Tax Fraud

      _____Health Care Fraud

      _____Mortgage Fraud

      _____Environmental Crimes

      _____Sentencing Mitigation

      _____Psychiatric and Psychological Issues

      _____Spanish Language Skills

Please briefly explain your training and experience in the fields in which you specialize.

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4. Continuing Legal Education.

Please mark if you have attended a CLE seminar on any of the following topics in the last three years.

      _____United States Sentencing Guidelines
      _____Federal Criminal Law
      _____Federal Rules of Evidence

      Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure

Are you willing to attend six hours of continuing legal education per year offered by the Federal Public Defender?

      Yes   No

5. Please provide information concerning your experience in the last ten years, detailing the number of cases in which you have been involved as the first chair counsel of record.

      Felony criminal cases defended in state court

      Felony criminal cases defended in federal court

      Felony jury trials in state court

      Felony jury trials in federal court

6. Do you certify that you have read and are familiar with: (answer yes or no)

      The Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure

      The Federal Rules of Evidence

      The Federal Sentencing Guidelines

      The Bail Reform Act

7. By marking the following, you certify that you have:

      A physical office to meet clients and family

      unlimited internet access

       a CM/ECF account

       access to an online legal research account like Westlaw or Lexis

_____ the ability and willingness to accept collect phone calls from prisons and jails

_____ the ability and willingness to regularly visit your clients

_____ the ability to receive and utilize discovery in an electronic format

_____ the ability to participate in a trial which lasts for more than ten days

8. Would you be willing, on occasion, to accept appointments in the other divisions? If yes, specify:

_____ Wichita

_____ Topeka

_____ Kansas City

9. Are you a member of the CJA panel in any other jurisdiction? If so, where?

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Have you ever been removed from another CJA panel?

_____yes   _____no

10. Where did you go to law school?

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11. Have you ever been disciplined before any court in which you have appeared?

_____yes   _____no

If you answered yes, please explain.

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12. Have you ever been found to have delivered ineffective assistance of counsel?

      _____Yes   _____No

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13. How many CJA cases would you like to be assigned per year?

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14. Please provide three references who would be familiar with your legal skills.

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Name   Position   Phone Number

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15. Why do you want to be a member of the CJA panel?

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I certify that I am I member in good standing with the Federal Bar of the

District of Kansas, and that the information I have provided is true and correct.

Dated:_____

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