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for the Northern Mariana Islands
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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS**

IN RE:
IN THE MATTER OF OBTAINING CJA
SERVICES WITHOUT PRIOR
AUTHORIZATION

GENERAL ORDER NO. 19-00010

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(e)(2), prior authorization is required for investigative, expert, and other services if the total combined cost for these service providers exceeds \$800.00. Because the CJA representations in this District routinely require use of the services of investigators and interpreters, and the cost of those services combined may ordinarily exceed \$800.00, to avoid the necessity of CJA defense counsel having to expend the time necessary to make applications to exceed the \$800.00 total maximum, the Court hereby authorizes CJA defense counsel to utilize the services of interpreters and investigators up to \$800.00 for each service provider without further order of the Court.

CJA defense counsel and service providers shall otherwise comply with 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(e)(2).

SO ORDERED this 30th day of December, 2019.



RAMONA V. MANGLONA
Chief Judge