

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DEC 1 6 2015 EASTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

IN RE: MOTIONS PURSUANT TO) JOHNSON v. UNITED STATES,) General Order No. 15-04 135 S.Ct. 2551 (2015))

GENERAL ORDER

Pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act (CJA), Title 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(a)(2)(B), and the Court's discretion, the Office of the Federal Public Defender for the Eastern District of Oklahoma ("FPD") is authorized to conduct an initial review and screening to determine whether any defendant who was previously determined to have been entitled to appointment of counsel, or who is now indigent, may qualify for federal habeas relief under either 28 U.S.C. §§ 2241 or 2255 in light of Johnson v. United States, 135 S.Ct. 2551 (2015). For those determined to be eligible for relief by the FPD, the Court will appoint the FPD or, if necessary, a CJA attorney, to represent that particular defendant upon proper notice to the Court by the FPD.

The United States Probation Office for the Eastern District of Oklahoma and the United States District Court Clerk's Office for the Eastern District of Oklahoma are authorized to disclose presentence investigation reports, statements of reasons, and judgments to the FPD for the purpose of determining eligibility for relief under Johnson.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 16th day of December, 2015.

JAMES H. PAYNE, CHIEF JUDGE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA