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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

STANDING ORDER NO. 24-03

**RE: MOTIONS FOR RELIEF PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. § 3582(C)(2) BASED ON
RETROACTIVE APPLICATION OF U.S.S.C. AMENDMENT 821 (NOV. 1, 2023)**

Pursuant to the provisions of the Criminal Justice Act, Title 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(a)(1) and (c), and the discretion of the Court, the Court hereby appoints the Office of the Federal Public Defender for the District of Columbia to represent any defendant who previously qualified for appointment of counsel, or who is now qualified, to determine whether the defendant is eligible to seek a reduced sentence under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) based on the retroactive application of Amendment 821 to the U.S. Sentencing Guidelines and to present any motions for such relief to the District Court. This order applies to defendants identified as potentially eligible for a sentence reduction, as well as those who file *pro se* motions with the Court.

The United States Probation Office for the District of Columbia and the United States District Court Clerk for the District of Columbia are authorized to disclose Presentence Investigation Reports, Statements of Reasons, and Judgments to the Federal Public Defender's Office for the purpose of determining eligibility for reduction of sentence under § 3582(c)(2) and preparing such motions for relief. The same materials shall be provided to the Office of the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia.

Should the Federal Public Defender determine that a prohibitive conflict exists such that a prospective client's interests are materially adverse to those of a current or former client with regard to representation of a particular client in litigation arising under this Order, the Federal

Public Defender shall assist the Court in identifying a member of the Criminal Justice Act panel of this District to represent the defendant.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 8th day of January 2024.



JAMES E. BOASBERG, CHIEF JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT