

**JEFFERSON COUNTY INDIGENT FELONY APPOINTMENT  
APPLICATION AND CONTRACT**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Office Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Bar Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I desire to contract for **trial** of felony cases:

- ( ) I have at least 5 years experience in criminal matters or have had a minimum of 10 felony jury trials; and
- ( ) 25% or more of my practice is in the field of criminal law; and
- ( ) I will meet the minimum CLE hours required for contract, namely, at least 15 hours certified CLE credit annually in criminal matters, with no self-study hours counted; and
- ( ) I will submit to the Counsel Coordinator proof of my CLE requirements by December 31st for that year; and
- ( ) In the last 5 years I have not been found to have provided ineffective representation by an Appellate Court or a Bar Disciplinary Committee, or if I have, details will be separately provided for the Criminal Courts' Board to consider a waiver of this requirement.

I desire to contract for **appeal** of felony cases:

- ( ) I have at least 5 years experience in criminal matters or have had a minimum of 10 criminal appeals; and
- ( ) Listed on a separate sheet are the name, offense, cause number and court for all felony appellate cases I handled in the last 5 years, up to a maximum of 10 cases; and
- ( ) 25% or more of my practice is in the field of criminal law; and
- ( ) I will meet the minimum CLE hours required for contract as Trial Attorneys; and
- ( ) In the last 5 years I have not been found to have provided ineffective representation or if I have, details will be separately provided.

I agree to contract with the Criminal Courts Board, to comply with the requirements of the Indigent Representation Plan, and to accept the contract amount reflected in the Plan.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney Signature

Approved:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Criminal District Judge

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252<sup>nd</sup> District Judge