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United States District Court  
Northern District of Ohio  
General Order

**GENERAL ORDER NO. 2019-09**

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO**

IN RE: THE OFFICE OF THE FEDERAL	)	
PUBLIC DEFENDER FOR THE	)	
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO TO	)	ORDER NO. 2019-09
REPRESENT PETITIONERS WHO HAVE	)	
FILED PETITIONS IN ACCORDANCE	)	
WITH THE FIRST STEP ACT	)	

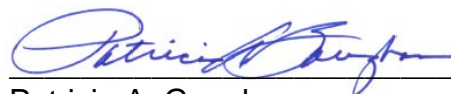
The Office of the Federal Public Defender for the Northern District of Ohio is hereby appointed to represent those petitioners who have filed Petitions seeking Good Time Credits or Earned Time Credits, in accordance with Section 404 of the First Step Act of 2018.

In the event private counsel should be retained by the petitioner, the Federal Public Defender shall withdraw from the case.

Should the Federal Public Defender determine that there is a prohibitive conflict in which the prospective client's interests are materially adverse to those of a current or former client with regard to representation of a petitioner in the litigation, the Office of the Federal Public Defender shall notify the Court.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

For the Court



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Patricia A. Gaughan  
Chief Judge