

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CANYON

In the Matter of Establishing Guidelines)
For the Appointment of the Public Defender)
in Misdemeanor Cases)

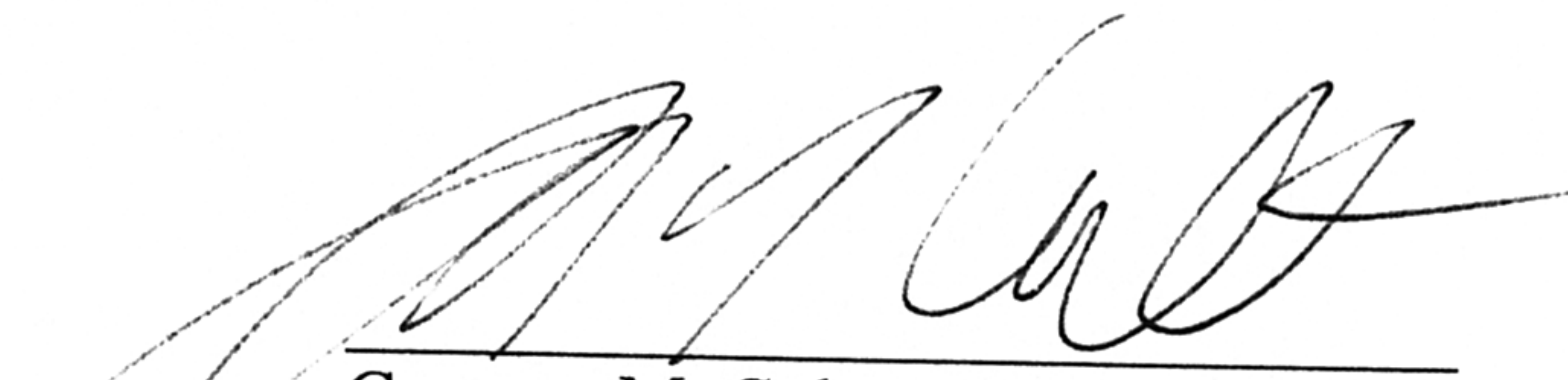
Administrative
Order
2007-4

WHEREAS, this Court previously entered Administrative Orders 2007-02 on February 9, 2007 and 2007-03 on March 29, 2007 that governed the procedures for the processing of misdemeanor citations and arraignments and

WHEREAS, the Canyon County Clerks office has requested guidelines for the appointment of a Public Defender Attorney on misdemeanor cases which will allow the arraignment clerks to immediately approve or deny a request for a Public Defender Appointment without seeking a Judge's approval for each request;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Canyon County Clerk's Office can approve or deny a request for a Public Defender Appointment, pursuant to the Attachment "A" to this order.

Be it so Ordered, this 30 day of April, 2007.



Gregory M. Culet
Administrative Judge

Attachment "A"

GUIDELINES FOR APPROVING PUBLIC DEFENDER

If monthly or annual income is equal to or less than the figures in this column, **APPOINT** the public defender

If monthly or annual income is greater than the figures in this column, **DENY** appointment of the public defender

Family Size	Monthly Income	Annual Income		Monthly Income	Annual Income
1	\$1,131.61	\$13,579.30		\$1,701.67	\$20,420.00
2	\$1,517.31	\$18,207.70		\$2,281.67	\$27,380.00
3	\$1,903.01	\$22,836.10		\$2,861.67	\$34,340.00
4	\$2,288.71	\$27,464.50		\$3,441.67	\$41,300.00
5	\$2,674.41	\$32,092.90		\$4,021.67	\$48,260.00
6	\$3,060.11	\$36,721.30		\$4,601.67	\$55,220.00
7	\$3,445.81	\$41,349.70		\$5,181.67	\$62,180.00
8	\$3,831.51	\$45,978.10		\$5,761.67	\$69,140.00

In determining the family size, include the defendant, spouse, and the number of children the defendant is supporting.

If the defendant's income is between the income ranges on the chart, the application must be given to a judge for approval.

Automatic public defender appointment for any defendant who is receiving any Health and Welfare services or are receiving Social Security Supplemental Income (SSI), Social Security Disability (SSD) or Social Security Income.

Except, no public defender appointments for first time (no priors) minor in consumption/possession of alcohol and passing school bus violations.