

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: Petitions for Retroactive Application of November 1, 2007
Amendment to Crack Cocaine Sentencing Guidelines

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

AND NOW, this 13th day of February, 2008, it is hereby
ORDERED, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, that:

(1) the Defender Association of Philadelphia - Federal
Court Division ("Federal Defender") for the Eastern District of
Pennsylvania is appointed to represent all inmates potentially
eligible for sentence reductions under Amendment #706 (as amended
by #711) to the Sentencing Guidelines for the limited purpose of
screening cases, assessing eligibility for relief pursuant to the
retroactive amendment, and notifying the defendants or their
counsel of the status of their cases;

(2) the Federal Defender shall contact prior counsel
(if prior counsel was not the Federal Defender) to determine if
prior counsel intends to represent the inmate. If prior counsel
cannot or will not assume this responsibility, the Federal
Defender shall contact the judge in that case to request
appointment of counsel; and

(3) the Federal Defender shall represent all inmates
it previously represented at the original sentencing, and it
shall submit financial affidavits for other inmates whom it seeks
to represent. If there is a conflict with regard to the

representation of a particular defendant, the Federal Defender shall inform the judge and request appointment of counsel from the Criminal Justice Act Panel.

BY THE COURT:


C.J.