NOTICE REGARDING INTERIM PAYMENTS

Effective Immediately - On December 12, 2007, the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit authorized a reduction of the 33% currently withheld from payment of interim vouchers submitted by CJA panel attorneys of the panels of the Court of Appeals and the six district courts of the Second Circuit. Effective December 12th, all interim vouchers submitted by CJA counsel for payment will have only 20% of the requested amount withheld by the Court. This new policy applies to CJA vouchers submitted **after** December 12, 2007 and only to cases where the Court has approved the submission of an interim voucher. For further information, please contact, Jerry L. Tritz, CJA Case-Budgeting Attorney at 212-857-8726.

Effective Immediately - On December 12, 2007, the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit authorized counsel appointed pursuant to the CJA to submit interim vouchers on appeals pending before the Circuit, on motion to the Court, after submission of their principal brief. Within 45 days of the issuance of the Court's mandate, counsel shall submit a final voucher claiming compensation for oral argument and any work performed subsequent to the submission of the principal brief as well as the 20% previously withheld. For further information, please contact, Jerry L. Tritz, CJA Case-Budget Attorney at 212-857-8726.