

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT AND THE  
RECORDER'S COURT FOR THE CITY OF DETROIT

JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
1988-2

IT IS ORDERED:

The attached fee Schedule G representing fees for assigned counsel is adopted for all vouchers submitted after July 1, 1988. Joint Administrative Order 1988-1 including Schedule F is set aside and replaced by this Order and Schedule G.

Counsel appointed for indigent defendants may make no expenditure, other than for subpoena fees, for which he or she expects reimbursement except upon prior approval and order of the trial judge on motion for good cause shown.

In any case in which more than one criminal offense is charged, payment shall be made for only the charge carrying the greatest potential term of imprisonment.

Counsel is required to consult with the defendant prior to the preliminary exam. Consequently, if the defendant is in jail counsel must attach to the fee voucher evidence of a jail visit; and if the defendant is not in jail, counsel must attach to the fee voucher an executed form available from the office of the Circuit Court Administrator or Recorder's Court Administrator verifying that counsel has met with the defendant prior to the preliminary exam. Failure to attach this document to the voucher will result in a \$75.00 deduction from the appropriate fixed fee.

In all cases, counsel may petition the Chief Judge for the payment of extraordinary fees. All petitions for extraordinary fees must include an analysis of all assigned cases for the previous one year.

DATED: June 27, 1988

  
RICHARD C. KAUFMAN  
EXECUTIVE CHIEF JUDGE