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The Honorable J. P. Stadtmueller
United States District Court Judge
Federal Courthouse - Eastern District of Wisconsin
517 E. Wisconsin Ave. - Suite 182
Milwaukee, WI 53202

Re: United States v. Todd Dyer
Case No. 15-CR-115
Memorandum in support of fees

Dear Judge Stadtmueller,

We write pursuant to 18 USC § 3006A(d)(3) in support of compensation above the statutory maximum. The vouchers we are each submitting arise from our appointment as standby counsel for Mr. Dyer. While the attached vouchers do not reach the statutory maximum, we understand that, when added to the amounts previously submitted by predecessor counsel, the combined totals exceed the cap.

Mr. Dyer was indicted on June 9th, 2015 in a four co-defendant, 31 count indictment that alleged wire fraud, money laundering and interstate transportation of money obtained by fraud. A superseding indictment was later filed reducing the number of co-defendants to three and the counts to 24, with the same types of charges. Mr. Dyer was also indicted on two other cases that also alleged wire fraud and money laundering for which we were not appointed as standby (15-CR-137 and 16-CR-100)

← 16-CR-100

In this case, Mr. Dyer was first represented by Attorney Troy Owens whom he retained, but Mr. Owens was granted leave to withdraw as counsel on September 1st, 2015. Subsequently, on October 5th, 2015, Mr. Dyer filed a motion for leave to proceed *pro se*, which was granted on October 10th, 2015.

On October 15th, 2015 Attorney Robert LeBell was appointed to serve as standby counsel but seven months later, on May 31st, 2016, he was granted permission to withdraw. On June 10th, 2016 Attorney Patrick Cafferty was appointed standby counsel but after two months, on August 3rd, 2016, he was also granted permission to withdraw.

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