Standing Order re Minn. Stat. §611. 21 Funding Requests

WHEREAS, Minn. Stat. §611.21(a) provides that "Counsel appointed by the court for an indigent defendant, or representing a defendant who, at the outset of the prosecution, has an annual income not greater than 125 percent of the poverty line established under United States Code, title 42, section 9902(2), may file an ex parte application requesting investigative, expert, or other services necessary to an adequate defense in the case;" and

WHEREAS, Minn. Stat. §611.21(b) provides that the "chief judge of the judicial district may delegate approval authority to an active district judge."

Based on the foregoing, the Chief Judge enters the following:

ORDER

Pursuant to the authority granted to the undersigned in Minn. Stat. §611.21(b), ex parte applications filed in Anoka County seeking funding for investigative, expert, or other services necessary to an adequate defense shall be reviewed by The Honorable Melissa Saterbak.

DATED:	BY THE COURT:
	Chief Judge
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