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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

State of Ohio, :  
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 Plaintiff-Appellant, :  
 :  
 v. :  
 :  
 David T. Washington, :  
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 Defendant-Appellee. :

Case No. 2012-1070  
On Appeal from the Lorain  
County Court of Appeals,  
Ninth Appellate District,  
Case No. 11CA010015

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AMENDED MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL

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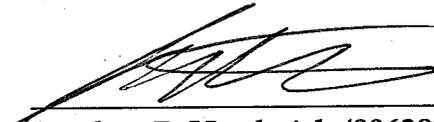
The Office of the Ohio Public Defender respectfully asks this Court to appoint it to represent Appellee David Washington in this direct appeal. This Court has accepted jurisdiction to hear this appeal by the State of Ohio from the Ninth District Court of Appeals. Mr. Washington is indigent and requires counsel to protect his rights without the assistance of counsel. An entry appointing counsel in the court of appeals is attached.

October 12, 2012, undersigned counsel spoke with Mr. Washington's counsel in the Ninth District Court of Appeals. Mr. Washington's lawyer in the court of appeals said that he would not represent Mr. Washington in this Court. The Office of the Ohio Public Defender is willing to accept the appointment. The trial court's docket indicates that Mr. Washington's counsel in the court of appeals was appointed.

Accordingly, the Office of the Ohio Public Defender respectfully requests that this Court appoint this office to act as counsel for David Washington in the appeal currently pending in this Court in Case Number 2012-1070.

Respectfully submitted,

Office of the Ohio Public Defender

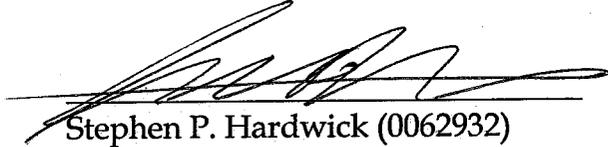


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**Certification of Service**

This is to certify that a copy of the foregoing **Amended Motion for Appointment of Counsel** was sent by regular U.S. mail to Mary Slanczka, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Lorain County Prosecutor's Office, address, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2012.

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LORAIN COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
LORAIN COUNTY, OHIO

RON NABAKOWSKI, Clerk  
James L Miraldi, Judge

Date 05/18/11

Case No. 09CR078387  
09CR077820

STATE OF OHIO  
Plaintiff

LORAIN COUNTY PROSECUTOR  
Plaintiff's Attorney 0-

VS

DAVID T WASHINGTON  
Defendant

ZACHARY SIMONOFF  
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Defendant having been found by this Court to be indigent, the Court appoints Attorney PAUL GRIFFIN to represent the defendant for purposes of Appeal.

Attorney PAUL GRIFFIN shall provide the Court Reporter a praecipe as provided in Ninth District of Appeals Local Rule 5(A)(1)(a)(i).

The Court Reported is ordered to prepare and to file the transcript in this case at State expense

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James L Miraldi, Judge

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