

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In the Matter of the Judicial Administration of Death Penalty Eligible Cases

ORDER

In keeping with this District's desire to effectively perform the judicial administration of death penalty eligible cases, I hereby authorize the District Court Judges, at their own discretion, to delegate to the Magistrate Judges authority to review and approve case budgets and payment of vouchers relative to counsel and/or experts in all cases in which capital crimes have been charged within the Western District of New York.

All of the above is SO ORDERED.

WILLIAM M. SKRETNY Chief Judge United States District Court

Dated: December 12, 2010 Buffalo, New York