

First Judicial District of Pennsylvania Court-Appointed Counsel Payment Order/Voucher

Fees and Procedures Are Applicable Only to Court Appointments Made from 7-01-17 to 6-30-18

Municipal Court Traffic Division

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2. ATTORNEY'S LAST NAME		MIDDLE	ATTORN	NEY'S FIRST NAME		3. PA ATTORNEY I.D. NO.
4. ATTORNEY ADDRESS (Counsel must maintain their principal office in Philadelphia)				EMAIL ADDRESS		
			TEL	EPHONE NUMBER		
Philadelphia, PA						
Paymen	t Voucher m	nust be submitted f	or proces	sing and app	roval within 90 d	ays of trial.
5. APPLICABLE FEES				-		
A. TRAFFIC DIVISION ON-CALL COUNSEL				A1. NUMBER OF CASES APPOINTED FOR THE COURT SESSION		
□ On-Call Counsel – per daily list (\$350.00)						
B. APPEAL FROM TRAFFIC DIVISION C	CASE					
□ Traffic Division Appea	ıl for Trial De	e Novo in the Court	of Comm	on Pleas (\$450).00)	
B1. DEFENDANT'S LAST NAME	MIDDLE DEFENDANT'S FIRST		ME B2. CIT	ATION NUMBER	B3. CPCMS NUMBER	
					CP-51-SA	[_]
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which must be fi	led with the I	Municipal Court Tr	affic Divi	sion after the	Summary Appea	l has been disposed.
D) AMOUNT REQUESTED \$			DAT	DATE REPRESENTATION ENDED		
6. ATTORNEY SIGNATURE						DATE
I certify that: I maintain r	ny principa	al office in Philad	delphia (County, I ma	aintain professi	ional liability insurance, I
have been certified by the	e Philadelp	hia Bar Associat	ion Scre	ening Com	mittee, I have u	indergone Court-Appointed
Counsel Fee system train	ing, and I u	understand that fa	alse state	ements and/	or representation	ons made herein are subject
to the penalties of 18 Pa.	0				1	5
	FOF	R COURT USE ONLY-	JUDICIAL	REVIEW AND	APPROVAL	
			ORDER			
• •			ourt-ap	pointed atte	•	oove, consistent with the
terms of AGB Order N	lo. 01 of 20	017 and AGB O	rder No	. 02 of 2012	2, the total sun	1 of \$ in
connection with the ab	ove-refere	enced case for th	e servic	es rendered	d as certified b	y counsel and as
approved by the Court	.•					
TRAFFIC DIVISION ADMINISTRATIVE JUDG		TRA	FFIC DIVISION	ADMINISTRATIVE	JUDGE'S SIGNATURE	DATE

1. A. APPOINTMENT LETTER INVOICE NO.

B. DATE OF APPOINTMENT

Instructions for the Completion of Attorney Payment Order/Voucher Municipal Court Traffic Division

- Line 1: If applicable, A. Enter the Appointment Letter invoice number & B. the Date of Appointment as they appear on the appointment letter
- Line 2: Enter the court-appointed attorney's LAST Name, MIDDLE Name, and FIRST Name as it appears on the appointment letter.
- Line 3: Enter the attorney's PA Attorney ID number.
- Line 4: Enter the attorney's full Philadelphia address as it appears on the appointment letter. AGB Order 02 of 1997 requires the court-appointed attorney maintain a principal office in Philadelphia County in order to qualify to receive court-appointments.
- Line 5: The Fee for On-Call Counsel and for Appeal for a *Trial De Novo* are listed. Check option A or option B.
 - A) If you are requesting compensation as On-Call Counsel:
 - 1. Enter the number of cases appointed for the Court session. This information is needed for internal tracking.
 - B) If you are requesting compensation for filing an Appeal for a *Trial De Novo*:
 - 1. Enter defendant's name as it appears on the appointment letter.
 - 2. Enter the Traffic Division Citation Number.
 - 3. Enter the CPCMS Docket Number, when appointed in connection with an appeal for a trial de novo before the Court of Common Pleas, in the following sequence:

Traffic Division Appeal CP-51-SA-(XXXXXXX) - Year (XXXX)

Note: You must submit the following documents with this Payment Voucher: (1) Appointment letter for date of On-Call Representation; and (2) Entry of Appearance in connection with the Appeal.

- C) Enter the total amount requested.
- Line 6: Enter the date the representation rendered pursuant to 5.A. or 5.B. concluded.
- Line 7: Sign the Payment Order/Voucher. Failure to sign the Voucher will delay processing of payment.

The Sections which follow are for Court Use only.

Please Note

- 1) AGB Order No. 01 of 2017 requires that all Fee Petitions and Payment Orders/Vouchers must be filed within the following periods:
 - a) After verdict, plea, or mistrial, no later than ninety (90) days after the disposition.
 - b) After sentencing, no later than ninety (90) days after sentencing, regardless of whether the case is appealed.
 - c) For Appeals and PCRAs, no later than ninety (90) days after resolution of the appeal by the court with which the appeal or PCRA was filed.
- 2) The Payment Order/Voucher must be completed by the court-appointed attorney and submitted, together with a copy of the Appointment Letter, directly to the Administrative Judge of the Traffic Division for review and approval.
- 3) Upon approval, the Administrative Judge of the Traffic Division shall forward the original Payment Order/Voucher to the Municipal Court Traffic Division, Attorney Filing Unit, 800 Spring Garden Street, Philadelphia, PA.
- 4) The Attorney Filing Unit shall time-stamp, docket and scan the Payment Order/Voucher, and shall promptly serve all parties, including the court-appointed attorney and the City of Philadelphia Counsel Fee Unit (<u>CounselFeeUnit@courts.phila.gov</u>). All original hard-copy Fee Petitions and Payment Orders/Vouchers will be promptly provided to the City of Philadelphia Counsel Fee Unit for processing and retention.
- 5) Payment status should only be requested from the City of Philadelphia sixty (60) days or more after the Payment Voucher has been received by the City of Philadelphia Counsel Fee Unit. Any payment questions may be directed to:

Kelly Press, Counsel Fee Unit Supervisor

CounselFees@phila.gov City of Philadelphia Managing Director's Office 1401 JFK Blvd. Suite 1340 Philadelphia, PA.19102 215 686-5639 Payment Order/Voucher forms are available on the Court's website at: <u>http://www.courts.phila.gov/forms</u>.