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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE AMENDMENT OF GENERAL ORDER NO. 224 ASSIGNMENT OF HABEAS CORPUS PETITIONS INVOLVING THE DEATH PENALTY	GENERAL ORDER NO. 308

IT IS ORDERED that General Order 224 be amended as follows:

3.1 ASSIGNMENT OF HABEAS CORPUS PETITIONS INVOLVING THE DEATH PENALTY

Notwithstanding the general assignment plan of this court governing the assignment of civil actions, habeas corpus petitions involving the death penalty shall be assigned as follows:

(a) The Clerk of the Court shall establish a separate assignment wheel for the assignment of these petitions.

(b) All active judges of this court, and those senior judges who so elect, shall participate in the assignments without regard to their place of holding court.

(c) If the assigned judge has filed a Certificate of Unavailability with the Clerk of the Court which is in effect on the date of the assignment, a new random assignment will be made to another judge immediately.

(d) If a petitioner has previously sought relief in this court with respect to the same conviction, the petition will be assigned to the judge who was assigned to the prior proceeding.

DATED: _____