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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE**

IN RE: ASSESSING ELIGIBILITY FOR RELIEF UNDER THE FIRST STEP ACT OF 2018

Admin. Order No. **2019-07**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**

Pursuant to the provisions of the Criminal Justice Act, Title 18, U.S.C. § 3600A(a)(1) and (c), and the discretion of the Court, the Office of the Federal Public Defender for the Western District of Tennessee is hereby appointed to represent any defendant who was prosecuted and sentenced in a criminal case in the Western District of Tennessee who was previously determined to have been entitled to appointment of counsel or who is now indigent, to determine whether that defendant may be eligible to apply for a sentence reduction pursuant to the First Step Act of 2018, Pub. L. No. 115-391, 132 Stat. 5194. In the event of any conflicts of interest concerning the Federal Public Defender's Office, applicable defendants will be represented by counsel appointed from the Court's CJA Panel.

The U.S. Probation Office for the Western District of Tennessee and the United States District Court Clerk's Office for the Western District of Tennessee are authorized to disclose the PACTS list of cocaine base and crack coded cases along with the Presentence Investigation Reports, Statements of Reasons, and Judgments to the Federal Public Defender's Office for the purpose of assessing eligibility for relief under The First Step Act.

**IT IS SO ORDERED** this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019.

  
S. Thomas Anderson  
Chief United States District Judge