

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

Richard Escalera

Defendant.

Case No. 22-mj-224

ORDER APPOINTING COUNSEL

The Court has reviewed Defendant's financial affidavit dated October 21, 2022, and finds that Defendant has financial resources that are in excess of the amount needed to provide his and any dependents with the necessities of life but are insufficient to pay fully for retained counsel. The Court therefore finds that Defendant is eligible for appointment of counsel under the Criminal Justice Act but is also financially capable of making monthly payments toward his representation pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(f). Accordingly, it is hereby

ORDERED that Allen H. Orenberg, The Orenberg Law Firm, P.C., Bar ID #395519, is appointed to represent Defendant in this matter; it is further

ORDERED that Defendant shall pay the amount of \$250.00 per month by the tenth of each month as reimbursement for the costs of his defense, beginning in November 2022 and continuing for 18 months. A separate Order will be entered with the details of the payments. Defendant may seek relief from these Orders in the interests of justice if his financial situation changes materially or for any other appropriate reason.

SO ORDERED.

Date: October 27, 2022

The Honorable Moxila A. Upadhyaya
United States Magistrate Judge