IN THE SUPREME COURT, STATE OF WYOMING

OCTOBER TERM, A.D. 2002

In the Matter of the Adoption)
of Amendments to the Wyoming)
Rules of Criminal Procedure)

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ORDER ADOPTING AMENDMENTS TO THE WYOMING RULES OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE, RULE 44

This matter came before the Court by direction of the Board of Judicial Policy and Administration to amend the Wyoming Rules of Criminal Procedure, Rule 44. It is therefore,

ORDERED that the amendments to the Wyoming Rules of Criminal Procedure, Rule 44, a copy of which is attached hereto, are adopted; that said rule shall be published in the advance sheets of the Pacific Reporter and in the Wyoming Reporter; that said rule shall become effective January 1, 2003, shall be spread at length upon the journal of this court and shall thereupon supercede the current Rule 44 of the Wyoming Rules of Criminal Procedure.

Dated this 17th day of December, 2002.

BY THE COURT:

WILLIAM U. HILL Chief Justice

Wyoming Rules of Criminal Procedure

Rule 44. Right to assignment of counsel.

(e) Compensation and expenses of appointed counsel. --

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(2) Private counsel designated by the public defender's office or by a judicial officer may be compensated at a rate not to exceed fifty dollars (\$50.00) sixty dollars (\$60.00) per hour for the time expended in court and a rate not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) per hour and not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per hour for time reasonably expended out of court in preparation or research.

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