

SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

STATE OF ARIZONA, ) Arizona Supreme Court  
 ) No. CR-90-0356-AP  
 Appellee, )  
 ) Maricopa County Superior  
 v. ) Court  
 ) No. CR-89-12631  
 JAMES LYNN STYERS, )  
 ) FILED 01/05/2010  
 Appellant. )  
 ) **O R D E R**

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James Lynn Styers has filed an "Application for Appointment of Counsel and Request for Extension of Time to Respond to the State's Motion to Conduct New Independent Review of Death Sentence." The appointment of appellate counsel is necessary following the order of the United States District Court for the District of Arizona granting habeas corpus relief. Mr. Styers has requested that Julie S. Hall be appointed to represent him. The Court finds that the interests of justice and the furtherance of judicial economy would be best served by appointing Ms. Hall, and that she is qualified under Rule 6.8, Ariz. R. Crim. P., to represent Mr. Styers in this matter without the necessity of associate counsel. Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that the Maricopa County Office of Public Defense Services shall appoint appellate counsel to represent James Lynn Styers in this matter. The date of appointment and the rate of compensation shall be determined and set by Maricopa County.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Styers' counsel shall file a response to the State's Motion to Conduct New Independent Review of Death Sentence no later than thirty days after the date of counsel's appointment.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, 2010.

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REBECCA WHITE BERCH  
Chief Justice

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