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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

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**STANDING ORDER Re: Motions for Sentence
Reductions Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 or 2241 and
Johnson v. United States, ___ U.S. ___, 135 S. Ct. 2551 (June 26, 2015)**

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(a)(1) and (c), as well as 28 U.S.C. § 2255(g) and the Court's discretion, and by agreement of all the district judges of the Court, the Federal Defender's Office for the District of Connecticut is hereby appointed to represent any defendant who was previously determined to have been entitled to appointment of counsel, or who is now indigent, to determine whether that defendant may qualify for federal habeas relief under either 28 U.S.C. § 2255 or 28 U.S.C. § 2241 in light of Johnson v. United States, ___ U.S. ___, 135 S.Ct. 2551 (June 26, 2015), including in any instance wherein the Court receives correspondence or a motion from an incarcerated inmate claiming that Johnson has bearing on the inmate's sentence.

The U.S. Probation Office and the Clerk's Office for the District of Connecticut are authorized to disclose Presentence Investigation Reports, Statements of Reasons, and Judgments to the Federal Defender's Office for the purpose of determining eligibility for relief under Johnson.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 22nd day of September, 2015, at New Haven, Connecticut.

/s/ Janet C. Hall

Janet C. Hall, Chief Judge
United States District Court