

(TYPE OR PRINT IN BLACK INK) In The General Court Of Justice  
**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA**  District Court Division  
 Superior Court Division  
Wake County  
Capital Charge File No. 10CRS5855-56  
Additional File Nos.

Name And Address Of Indigent Defendant  
Jason Keith Williford  
C/o NC DOC Central Prison  
Raleigh, NC  
Full Social Security No. (required by G.S. 7A-455(d))  
 Has No Social Security No.

**CAPITAL CASE FEE APPLICATION  
ORDER FOR PAYMENT  
JUDGMENT AGAINST INDIGENT** 91C  
G.S. Ch. 7A, Art. 36, Art. 37; Ch. 15A

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**I. APPLICATION**

I, the undersigned, am  private assigned counsel  public defender  capital defender  appellate defender  provisional counsel in this capital case, and make application for payment and reimbursement of necessary expenses incurred, or for determination of value of services rendered for the indigent. I certify that this information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

**NATURE OF PROCEEDING:**  Trial Stage (if checked, complete (a) below)  Resentencing Only (if checked, complete (a) below)  
 Direct Appeal (if checked, complete (b) below)  Other (specify):  
 Motion for Appropriate Relief (MAR) (if checked, complete (c) below)

**CASE STATUS/TYPE OF DISPOSITION:** Complete ONLY the one section below applicable to the fees now being requested:

(a) Trial Court, Disposed by Trial, Dismissal or Guilty Plea:  
(check all that apply)  
 Case Pending (interim fee)  Jury Impaneled  Jury Death Qualified  
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 Case Pending (interim fee)  New Trial (conviction reversed)  
 No Error  Other: (specify)  
 Guilt Affirmed, Resentencing

(c) Post-Conviction Or Other:  
 Case Pending (interim fee)  
 MAR:  Denied  New Trial  
 Resentencing  Other  
 Cert. Denied  Cert. Granted  
 Other: (specify)

**RESULT:**  Death Sentence  
 Life, 1st Degree Murder: Jury sentencing hearing?  Yes  No  
 2nd Degree Murder  Vol. Manslaughter  Invol. Manslaughter  
 Acquitted  Dismissed  Not Guilty By Reason Of Insanity  
 Guilty Other Offense(s): (list) Rape & non-felony B & Entering  
 Other Result: (explain)

**FINAL FEES ONLY:** Disposition Date: 06-07-2012 Name Of Presiding Judge: The Honorable Paul G. Gessner  
 Check here if you were appointed to represent this defendant in another case(s) at the time of the appointment to this case(s) and you already submitted a fee application for that case(s) in which the attorney appointment fee was charged.

**IF ATTORNEY IS WITHDRAWING,** indicate reason:  Applicant was assistant counsel, case no longer capital  Conflict of Interest  
 Defendant retained private counsel  Other: (specify)

COMPLETE FOR THIS FEE:	Start Date Work THIS Fee Request	End Date Work THIS Fee Request	PRIOR Total Fees And Expenses Allowed	PRIOR Total Hours Allowed
(attach detailed time sheet)	04-20-2012	06-07-2012	\$ 182,201.52	1859.30
Time must be reported in decimals, not minutes.	Time In Court	Time In Court Waiting	Time Out Of Court	Applicant's Total Time This Fee
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List Necessary Expenses Incurred:	Travel	Long Distance Telephones	Copying	Other (Specify & Attach Receipt)	Total Necessary Expenses This Fee
\$	160.65	\$ 0.00	\$ 447.80	\$ 439.02	\$ 1,047.47

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Name Of Applicant: Ernest L. Conner, Jr. Address: PO Box 7384, Greenville, NC 27835  
Payee (see note): Ernest L. Conner, Jr., P.A.  
Taxpayer ID No. (see note): ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Telephone No.: 252-757-3535 Date: 6-12-12  
Signature Of Applicant: [Signature]

**II. AWARD OF PAYMENT OR DETERMINATION OF VALUE OF SERVICES**

The IDS Director FINDS that the "Total Amount" stated on Line 3 below be:  
 1. paid by the State of North Carolina to the payee named above.  
 2. fixed as the value of the legal services and other expenses of representation rendered by the public defender, capital defender, or appellate defender named above.

1. Fees Allowed/Value Of Services Rendered	\$ 41,987.15
2. Other Necessary Expenses Allowed By The IDS Director	\$ 503.67
<b>3. TOTAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>\$ 42,490.82</b>
Date: 6/19/12	IDS Director: Thomas K. Maher
Signature Of IDS Director: [Signature]	

**III. SUM OF ATTORNEY AND SUPPORT SERVICE FEES AND EXPENSES**

NOTE: The Office of Indigent Defense Services completes this Section.

**A. Attorney Fees And Necessary Expenses:**

SUBTOTAL A (sum of all attorney fees and expenses paid to this attorney, on this and all prior applications)

\$ 224,692.34

**B. Support Services Fees And Expenses: (sum of ALL amounts incurred throughout the case)**

1. Provisional counsel .....	\$	4. Mitigation, investigation.....	\$ 82,395.28
2. Psychiatrists, psychologists .....	\$ 28,931.40	5. Scientists, forensics, DNA.....	\$ 28,399.50
3. Medical doctors .....	\$	6. Sum of all other.....	\$ 50,923.31

SUBTOTAL B (sum of all support services/expert fees and expenses)

\$ 190,649.49

GRAND TOTAL A + B (attorney fees and expenses, and support services/experts)

\$ 415,341.83

**IV. FINDINGS OF FACT AND JUDGMENTS**

After due notice to the defendant named on the reverse, and opportunity to be heard, the Court finds that the defendant has previously been adjudged to be indigent; that he/she requested and has been provided counsel and other necessary expenses of representation; and that the applicant named on the reverse provided services and incurred expenses of which the money value is that stated in Section III above as to all attorney fees and expenses plus costs for support services and experts incurred in the course of the representation.

NOTE: After award of a final fee, the trial court should sign Section V to enter judgments against the defendant for the full GRAND TOTAL in Section III plus the attorney appointment fee. To enter judgments for a different amount, the trial court must fill in the appropriate blanks below.

JUDGMENT #1 (Attorney Fees and Expenses) Based on the above findings, it is ORDERED that the State of North Carolina recover from the indigent defendant the GRAND TOTAL in Section III above, together with interest at the legal rate from the date the judgment is docketed until paid, UNLESS one of the following boxes is checked:

- 1. The defendant was not convicted of a criminal offense and no judgment for attorney fees and expenses shall be entered; or
- 2. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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JUDGMENT #2 (Attorney Appointment Fee) It is further ORDERED that the State of North Carolina recover from the indigent defendant the attorney appointment fee pursuant to G.S. 7A-455.1, which shall be \$50 for convictions prior to October 1, 2010, and \$60 for convictions on or after October 1, 2010, UNLESS one of the following boxes is checked

- 1. The defendant was not convicted of a criminal offense and no judgment for the attorney appointment fee shall be entered; or
- 2. The attorney named on the reverse was appointed to represent the defendant in another case(s) at the time of the appointment to this case(s), and he or she already submitted a fee application for that case(s) in which the attorney appointment fee was charged (see Section I, "Final Fees Only," on the reverse).

**V. SIGNATURE OF JUDGE**

The foregoing AWARD OF PAYMENT OR DETERMINATION OF VALUE OF SERVICES, as made by the Director of Indigent Defense Services, shall be entered and filed this day in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court. The FINDINGS and JUDGMENTS of the Court shall be entered and filed this day in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court. The judgments shall become effective as provided by law.

Date	Name Of Judge (Type Of Panel)	Signature of Judge
7/9/12	PAUL GESSNER	[Signature]

**VI. DOCKETING - CSC USE ONLY**

NOTE: Docket any judgments immediately on the date on which the defendant's conviction becomes final, unless the defendant is ordered as a condition of supervised or unsupervised probation to pay the State for the costs of the defendant's representation. If the defendant is so ordered, docket any judgments immediately on the date the defendant's probation is revoked or terminated by the Court, or when the term of probation expires, whichever occurs first; then docket the amounts owing.

Date Of Docketing	Time	<input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	Judgment #1 Docket Book And Page No.	Abstract No.	Amount Docketed
					\$
			Judgment #2 Docket Book And Page No.	Abstract No.	Amount Docketed
					\$

NOTE TO CLERK: If Judgment #2 has been ordered by the Court, docket \$50 if the Disposition Date on Side One is before October 1, 2010, and docket \$60 if the Disposition Date on Side One is on or after October 1, 2010.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
Wake COUNTY

► *File No(s)*. 10 CrS 5855-56, 225

In the General Court of Justice  
 District  Superior Court Division

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Name of Defendant

Jason Keith Williford, #0599876

Defendant's Address

Central Prison  
1300 Western Blvd.  
Raleigh, NC 27606

Name of Attorney Rendering Services

Ernest L. Conner Jr.

Nature of Proceeding

- Trial Stage (guilt/innocence and sentencing)  
 Direct Appeal (Court of Appeals or Supreme Court)  
 Motion for Appropriate Relief

Name of Superior Court Judge Responsible for  
Entering Civil Judgment

The Honorable Paul G. Gessner

Address of Judge

P. O. Box 351  
Raleigh, NC 27602

**Part I. Notice**

Pursuant to authority granted by G.S. 7A-458, the Director of the Office of Indigent Defense Services has awarded a total amount of \$ 415,341.83 to the attorney named above for fees and expenses, or has set that amount as the value of services rendered by the attorney named above plus expenses. This total amount  does or  does not include fees for expert or support services. A copy of the final fee award or determination of value of services is enclosed with this notice.

This is not a bill. However, the State of North Carolina is authorized to enter a civil judgment against you for any amount up to and including the total amount indicated above. See G.S. 7A-455. If this was a trial level case and you were convicted or pled guilty, the State is also authorized to enter a civil judgment against you for the \$60 attorney appointment fee. See G.S. 7A-455.1. If you choose to contest the fee award(s) or determination(s) of value of services rendered, you should send a written objection to the Superior Court Judge named above.

**Part II. Certificate of Service**

The original of this Notice to Defendant of Attorney Fee Award has been sent by first-class mail, postage prepaid to the defendant named above, by placing it in a depository for that purpose.

Date

6/19/12

IDS Director

Thomas K. Maher

Signature

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In The General Court Of Justice

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Capital Charge File No.

10CRS005855

Additional File Nos.

10CRS005856

10CRS00225

Name And Address Of Indigent Defendant

Jason Keith Williford

CAPITAL CASE FEE APPLICATION
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Full Social Security No. (required by G.S. 7A-455(d))

Has No Social Security No.

G.S. Ch. 7A, Art. 36, Art. 37; Ch. 15A

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I. APPLICATION

I, the undersigned, am [X] private assigned counsel [ ] public defender [ ] capital defender [ ] appellate defender [ ] provisional counsel in this capital case, and make application for payment and reimbursement of necessary expenses incurred, or for determination of value of services rendered for the indigent. I certify that this information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

NATURE OF PROCEEDING: [X] Trial Stage (if checked, complete (a) below) [ ] Direct Appeal (if checked, complete (b) below) [ ] Motion for Appropriate Relief (MAR) (if checked, complete (c) below) [ ] Resentencing Only (if checked, complete (a) below) [ ] Other (specify):

CASE STATUS/TYPE OF DISPOSITION: Complete ONLY the one section below applicable to the fees now being requested:

(a) Trial Court, Disposed by Trial, Dismissal or Guilty Plea:

[ ] Case Pending (interim fee) [ ] Jury Impaneled [ ] Jury Death Qualified
[X] Jury Verdict [ ] Mistrial [ ] Guilty Plea

RESULT: [ ] Death Sentence [X] Life, 1st Degree Murder: Jury sentencing hearing? [X] Yes [ ] No
[ ] 2nd Degree Murder [ ] Vol. Manslaughter [ ] Invol. Manslaughter
[ ] Acquitted [ ] Dismissed [ ] Not Guilty By Reason Of Insanity
[ ] Guilty Other Offense(s): (list)
[ ] Other Result: (explain)

(b) Capital Appeals:

[ ] Case Pending (interim fee) [ ] New Trial (conviction reversed)
[ ] No Error [ ] Other: (specify)
[ ] Guilt Affirmed, Resentencing

(c) Post-Conviction Or Other:

[ ] Case Pending (interim fee) [ ] New Trial
[ ] MAR: [ ] Denied [ ] Resentencing [ ] Other
[ ] Cert. Denied [ ] Cert. Granted
[ ] Other: (specify)

FINAL FEES ONLY: Disposition Date VERDICT 6/7/12 Name Of Presiding Judge PAUL GESSNER

[ ] Check here if you were appointed to represent this defendant in another case(s) at the time of the appointment to this case(s) and you already submitted a fee application for that case(s) in which the attorney appointment fee was charged.

IF ATTORNEY IS WITHDRAWING, indicate reason: [ ] Applicant was assistant counsel, case no longer capital [ ] Conflict of interest
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Table with 4 columns: COMPLETE FOR THIS FEE, Start Date Work THIS Fee Request, End Date Work THIS Fee Request, PRIOR Total Fees And Expenses Allowed, PRIOR Total Hours Allowed. Includes handwritten values like 5/13/12, 6/11/12, \$196,236.60, 2040.5.

Table with 5 columns: List Necessary Expenses Incurred, Travel, Long Distance Telephone, Copying, Other (Specify & Attach Receipt), Total Necessary Expenses This Fee. Includes handwritten values like \$290.50, \$45.00, \$99.00, \$434.50.

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Name Of Applicant: Diane MB Savage, Address: 4819 Emperor Blvd. Fl. 4 Durham, NC 27703, Telephone No.: 919 932-7239, Date: 6-11-2012, Signature Of Applicant: Diane Savage

II. AWARD OF PAYMENT OR DETERMINATION OF VALUE OF SERVICES

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[X] 1. paid by the State of North Carolina to the payee named above.
[ ] 2. fixed as the value of the legal services and other expenses of representation rendered by the public defender, capital defender, or appellate defender named above.

Table with 2 columns: Description of fees/services, Amount. Includes: 1. Fees Allowed/Value Of Services Rendered (\$25,013.50), 2. Other Necessary Expenses Allowed By The IDS Director (\$434.50), 3. TOTAL AMOUNT (\$25,448.00)

Date: 6/19/12, IDS Director: Thomas K. Maher

Signature Of IDS Director: [Handwritten Signature]

**III. SUM OF ATTORNEY AND SUPPORT SERVICE FEES AND EXPENSES**

NOTE: The Office of Indigent Defense Services completes this Section.

**A. Attorney Fees And Necessary Expenses:**

**SUBTOTAL A** (sum of all attorney fees and expenses paid to this attorney, on this and all prior applications) ▶ **\$221,684.60**

**B. Support Services Fees And Expenses:** (sum of ALL amounts incurred throughout the case)

1. Provisional counsel .....	\$	4. Mitigation, investigation.....	\$
2. Psychiatrists, psychologists .....	\$	5. Scientists, forensics, DNA.....	\$
3. Medical doctors .....	\$	6. Sum of all other.....	\$

**SUBTOTAL B** (sum of all support services/expert fees and expenses) ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**GRAND TOTAL A + B** (attorney fees and expenses, and support services/experts) ▶ **\$221,684.60**

**IV. FINDINGS OF FACT AND JUDGMENTS**

After due notice to the defendant named on the reverse, and opportunity to be heard, the Court finds that the defendant has previously been adjudged to be indigent; that he/she requested and has been provided counsel and other necessary expenses of representation; and that the applicant named on the reverse provided services and incurred expenses of which the money value is that stated in Section III above as to all attorney fees and expenses plus costs for support services and experts incurred in the course of the representation.

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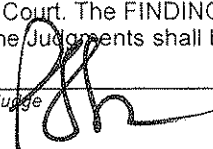
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**V. SIGNATURE OF JUDGE**

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Date	7/9/12	Name Of Judge (Type Or Print)	Signature Of Judge
		Paul Benson	

**VI. DOCKETING - CSC USE ONLY**

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					\$
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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Name of Attorney Rendering Services

Diane M. B. Savage

Nature of Proceeding

- Trial Stage (guilt/innocence and sentencing)  
 Direct Appeal (Court of Appeals or Supreme Court)  
 Motion for Appropriate Relief

Name of Superior Court Judge Responsible for  
Entering Civil Judgment

The Honorable Paul G. Gessner

Address of Judge

P. O. Box 351  
Raleigh, NC 27602

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Date

6/19/12

IDS Director

Thomas K. Maher

Signature

TKM/bmm

(TYPE OR PRINT IN BLACK INK)

In The General Court Of Justice

Criminal Charge File No.

10 CRS 5855

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

District Court Division  
 Superior Court Division

Additional File Nos.

10 CRS 5856

10 CRS 225

Wake

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Name And Address Of Indigent Defendant

Jason Williford  
Central Prison, Raleigh NC

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(check all that apply)

Case Pending (interim fee)  Jury Impaneled  Jury Death Qualified  
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**RESULT:**  Death Sentence  
 Life, 1st Degree Murder: Jury sentencing hearing?  Yes  No  
 2nd Degree Murder  Vol. Manslaughter  Invol. Manslaughter  
 Acquitted  Dismissed  Not Guilty By Reason Of Insanity  
 Guilty Other Offense(s): (list) Rape, Misdemeanor B&E  
 Other Result: (explain)

**(b) Capital Appeals:**

Case Pending (interim fee)  New Trial (conviction reversed)  
 No Error  Other: (specify)  
 Guilt Affirmed, Resentencing

**(c) Post-Conviction Or Other:**

Case Pending (interim fee)  
 MAR:  Denied  New Trial  
 Resentencing  Other  
 Cert. Denied  Cert. Granted  
 Other: (specify)

**FINAL FEES ONLY:** Disposition Date: 06-07-2012 Name Of Presiding Judge: Paul Gessner

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 Defendant retained private counsel  Other: (specify)

COMPLETE FOR THIS FEE:	Start Date Work THIS Fee Request	End Date Work THIS Fee Request	PRIOR Total Fees And Expenses Allowed	PRIOR Total Hours Allowed
(attach detailed time sheet)	05-19-2012 ✓	06-12-2012	\$ 114,040.81	1188.7
Time must be reported in decimals, not minutes.	Time In Court: 4 3 6	Time In Court Waiting: 0 0	Time Out Of Court: 1 6 3 4	Applicant's Total Time This Fee: 2 0 7 0

List Necessary Expenses Incurred:	Travel	Long Distance Telephone	Copying	Other (Specify & Attach Receipt)	Total Necessary Expenses This Fee
	\$ 77.00	\$	\$	\$ 80.00	\$ 157.00

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Name Of Applicant: Michael Driver Address: 5011 South Park Drive  
Suite 230  
Durham NC 27713

Payee (see note): Driver Law Firm, PA

Taxpayer ID No. (see note): ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Telephone No.: 919-484-7265 Date: 06-12-2012 Signature Of Applicant: Michael Driver

**II. AWARD OF PAYMENT OR DETERMINATION OF VALUE OF SERVICES**

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- 2. fixed as the value of the legal services and other expenses of representation rendered by the public defender, capital defender, or appellate defender named above.

1. Fees Allowed/Value Of Services Rendered	\$ 15,865.00
2. Other Necessary Expenses Allowed By The IDS Director	\$ 157.00
<b>3. TOTAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>\$ 16,022.00</b>

Date: 6/19/12 IDS Director: Thomas K. Maher

Signature Of IDS Director

**III. SUM OF ATTORNEY AND SUPPORT SERVICE FEES AND EXPENSES**

**NOTE:** The Office of Indigent Defense Services completes this Section.

**A. Attorney Fees And Necessary Expenses:**

**SUBTOTAL A** (sum of all attorney fees and expenses paid to this attorney, on this and all prior applications) ▶ \$ 130,062.50

**B. Support Services Fees And Expenses:** (sum of ALL amounts incurred throughout the case)

1. Provisional counsel .....	\$	4. Mitigation, investigation.....	\$
2. Psychiatrists, psychologists .....	\$	5. Scientists, forensics, DNA.....	\$
3. Medical doctors .....	\$	6. Sum of all other.....	\$

**SUBTOTAL B** (sum of all support services/expert fees and expenses) ▶ \$ —

**GRAND TOTAL A + B** (attorney fees and expenses, and support services/experts) ▶ \$ 130,062.50

**IV. FINDINGS OF FACT AND JUDGMENTS**

After due notice to the defendant named on the reverse, and opportunity to be heard, the Court finds that the defendant has previously been adjudged to be indigent; that he/she requested and has been provided counsel and other necessary expenses of representation; and that the applicant named on the reverse provided services and incurred expenses of which the money value is that stated in Section III above as to all attorney fees and expenses plus costs for support services and experts incurred in the course of the representation.

**NOTE:** After award of a final fee, the trial court should sign Section V to enter judgments against the defendant for the full GRAND TOTAL in Section III plus the attorney appointment fee. To enter judgments for a different amount, the trial court must fill in the appropriate blanks below.

**JUDGMENT #1** (Attorney Fees and Expenses) Based on the above findings, it is ORDERED that the State of North Carolina recover from the indigent defendant the GRAND TOTAL in Section III above, together with interest at the legal rate from the date the judgment is docketed until paid, **UNLESS** one of the following boxes is checked:

- 1. The defendant was not convicted of a criminal offense and no judgment for attorney fees and expenses shall be entered; or
- 2. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**JUDGMENT #2** (Attorney Appointment Fee) It is further ORDERED that the State of North Carolina recover from the indigent defendant the attorney appointment fee pursuant to G.S. 7A-455.1, which shall be \$50 for convictions prior to October 1, 2010, and \$60 for convictions on or after October 1, 2010, **UNLESS** one of the following boxes is checked

- 1. The defendant was not convicted of a criminal offense and no judgment for the attorney appointment fee shall be entered; or
- 2. The attorney named on the reverse was appointed to represent the defendant in another case(s) at the time of the appointment to this case(s), and he or she already submitted a fee application for that case(s) in which the attorney appointment fee was charged (see Section I, "Final Fees Only," on the reverse).

**V. SIGNATURE OF JUDGE**

The foregoing AWARD OF PAYMENT OR DETERMINATION OF VALUE OF SERVICES, as made by the Director of Indigent Defense Services, shall be entered and filed this day in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court. The FINDINGS and JUDGMENTS of the Court shall be entered and filed this day in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court. The Judgments shall become effective as provided by law.

Date	7/9/12	Name Of Judge (Type or Print)	Signature Of Judge
		Paul Bennett	

**VI. DOCKETING - CSC USE ONLY**

**NOTE:** Docket any judgments immediately on the date on which the defendant's conviction becomes final, unless the defendant is ordered as a condition of supervised or unsupervised probation to pay the State for the costs of the defendant's representation. If the defendant is so ordered, docket any judgments immediately on the date the defendant's probation is revoked or terminated by the Court, or when the term of probation expires, whichever occurs first; then docket the amounts owing.

Date Of Docketing	Time	<input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	Judgment #1 Docket Book And Page No.	Abstract No.	Amount Docketed
					\$
			Judgment #2 Docket Book And Page No.	Abstract No.	\$

**NOTE TO CLERK:** If Judgment #2 has been ordered by the Court, docket \$50 if the Disposition Date on Side One is before October 1, 2010, and docket \$60 if the Disposition Date on Side One is on or after October 1, 2010.



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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In the General Court of Justice  
 District  Superior Court Division

**NOTICE TO DEFENDANT OF  
ATTORNEY FEE AND EXPENSE AWARD**

**Instructions:** The Office of Indigent Defense Services completes this form when it approves payment of a final attorney fee in connection with a first-degree murder case, a case in which the degree of murder is undesignated, or an appeal. The IDS Office then mails the original form to the defendant and a copy to the trial judge named below.

Name of Defendant

Jason Keith Williford, #0599876

Defendant's Address

Central Prison  
1300 Western Blvd.  
Raleigh, NC 27606

Name of Attorney Rendering Services

Michael B. Driver

Nature of Proceeding

- Trial Stage (guilt/innocence and sentencing)  
 Direct Appeal (Court of Appeals or Supreme Court)  
 Motion for Appropriate Relief

Name of Superior Court Judge Responsible for  
Entering Civil Judgment

The Honorable Paul G. Gessner

Address of Judge

P. O. Box 351  
Raleigh, NC 27602

**Part I. Notice**

Pursuant to authority granted by G.S. 7A-458, the Director of the Office of Indigent Defense Services has awarded a total amount of \$ 130,062.81 to the attorney named above for fees and expenses, or has set that amount as the value of services rendered by the attorney named above plus expenses. This total amount  does or  does not include fees for expert or support services. A copy of the final fee award or determination of value of services is enclosed with this notice.

This is not a bill. However, the State of North Carolina is authorized to enter a civil judgment against you for any amount up to and including the total amount indicated above. See G.S. 7A-455. If this was a trial level case and you were convicted or pled guilty, the State is also authorized to enter a civil judgment against you for the \$60 attorney appointment fee. See G.S. 7A-455.1. If you choose to contest the fee award(s) or determination(s) of value of services rendered, you should send a written objection to the Superior Court Judge named above.

**Part II. Certificate of Service**

The original of this Notice to Defendant of Attorney Fee Award has been sent by first-class mail, postage prepaid to the defendant named above, by placing it in a depository for that purpose.

Date

6/19/12

IDS Director

Thomas K. Maher

Signature

TKM/lwm