

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

IN RE: \*  
EXPEDITED AMENDMENT TO MISC. NO. 00-308  
APPENDIX C TO THE LOCAL RULES \* MISC. NO. 10-642

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**STANDING ORDER 2023-04**

Pursuant to Local Rule 605.2 and for good cause shown, the full bench considered and approved the following expedited amendment to Appendix C to the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of Maryland:

**I. Eligibility for Reimbursement**

When an attorney has been appointed to represent an indigent party in a civil case before the Court, that attorney shall be allowed to petition the Court for reimbursement of certain expenses, incurred in the preparation and presentation of the case, subject to these regulations. The limit applicable to such expenses, unless otherwise requested by counsel and approved by the Court's Attorney Admissions Fund Committee, is ~~ten~~**[fifteen]** thousand dollars (~~\$10,000.00~~**[\$15,000.00]**). During the representation, the Court may request that counsel prepare and propose for approval a budget of anticipated expenses. Counsel shall prepare and propose for approval a budget of anticipated expenses whenever counsel reasonably expects that total expenses will exceed ~~\$10,000.00~~**[\$15,000.00]**.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that:

1. The above expedited amendment to Appendix C of the Local Rules is approved, effective September 27, 2023;
2. These amendments apply to all cases filed or pending on or after September 27, 2023, to the extent practicable, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding judge; and

3. The Clerk is directed to provide prompt public notice of this amendment, to publish amended Local Rules, and to submit this amendment for public consideration under Local Rule 605.1 during the next regular amendment cycle.

Sept 27, 2023

Date

James K. Bredar

James K. Bredar, Chief Judge  
United States District Court