

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

IN RE:

Motions for Relief Pursuant to 18 U.S.C.
§ 3582(c)(2) Based on Retroactive
Application of U.S.S.C. Amendment 821
(Nov. 1, 2023)

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MISC. NO. 00-308

STANDING ORDER 2023-05

Pursuant to the provisions of the Criminal Justice Act, Title 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(a)(1) and (c), and the discretion of the Court, the Court hereby appoints the Office of the Federal Public Defender for the District of Maryland to represent any defendant previously determined to have been entitled to appointment of counsel, or who is now indigent, to determine whether the defendant is eligible to seek a reduced sentence under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) based on the retroactive application of Amendment 821 to the U.S. Sentencing Guidelines and to present any motions for relief to the District Court.

The United States Probation Office for the District of Maryland and the United States District Court Clerk for the District of Maryland are authorized to disclose Presentence Investigation Reports, Statements of Reasons, and Judgments to the Federal Public Defender's Office for the purpose of determining eligibility for relief under § 3582(c)(2) and preparing motions for such relief. To enable the Office of the Federal Public Defender to evaluate and potentially supplement pro se motions for relief under § 3582(c)(2) that are placed under seal by the Court, the Clerk's Office is directed to provide an electronic copy of sealed pro se motions and accompanying exhibits to the Office of the Federal Public Defender.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 27 day of September, 2023.



James K. Bredar, Chief Judge
United States District Court