IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

VON TAYLOR, Petitioner,

- v. -

ROBERT POWELL, Warden, Respondent.

ON PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

CAPITAL CASE

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Petitioner Von Taylor, by his undersigned counsel, asks leave to file the attached

Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth

Circuit, without prepayment of costs and to proceed in forma pauperis. Mr. Taylor

proceeded in forma pauperis in the district court and the Tenth Circuit, both of which

appointed Brian M. Pomerantz and Kenneth F. Murray as counsel for Mr. Taylor

pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(b). (Taylor v. Crowther, case

no. 2:07-c v-00194-TC, Dkt. Nos. 177, 237 (sealed); Taylor v. Powell, case no. 20-4039,

Doc. 010110331667, April 9, 2020.)

This motion is brought pursuant to Rule 39.1 of the Rules of the Supreme Court

of the United States.

Respectfully submitted,

DATED: March 7, 2022

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF UTAH, CENTRAL DIVISION

VON LESTER TAYLOR,

Petitioner,

v.

ALFRED C. BIGELOW, Warden, Utah State Prison,

Respondent.

ORDER

Case No. 2:07-CV-194

Judge Tena Campbell

Petitioner Von Lester Taylor filed a motion for the Los Angeles Federal Public Defender to withdraw as counsel, and for the appointment of Brian M. Pomerantz as CJA counsel. (See Docket No. 170.) Mr. Pomerantz filed a sealed declaration in support of the motion. (See Docket No. 176.)

Respondent Alfred C. Bigelow does not object to the motion. (See Docket No. 174.)

After carefully reading Petitioner's motion and the declarations filed in support of it, the court GRANTS the motion. Mr. Pomerantz must contact Chief Magistrate Judge Brooke C. Wells and work with her to establish a budget for his continued representation of Mr. Taylor as CJA counsel.

SO ORDERED this 25th day of June, 2014.

BY THE COURT:

Tena Campbell

United States District Judge

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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE TENTH CIRCUIT

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VON LESTER TAYLOR,

Petitioner - Appellee,

v.

ROBERT POWELL, Warden, Utah State Prison,

Respondent - Appellant.

No. 20-4039 (D.C. No. 2:07-CV-00194-TC) (D. Utah)

ORDER

Before MURPHY, Circuit Judge.

This matter is before the Court on Appellee's *Application for Continued*Appointment of Counsel Under the Criminal Justice Act. Upon consideration, the motion is granted. Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3006A(c) and 3599(a)(2), attorneys Kenneth Murray and Brian Pomerantz are each appointed as counsel of record for Appellee Von Taylor. The appointment is effective *nunc pro tunc* to the date the notice of appeal was filed in this matter.

Entered for the Court

CHRISTOPHER M. WOLPERT, Clerk

by: Jane K. Castro

Chief Deputy Clerk