

**United States District Court
District of Massachusetts**

**RATES FOR WORK ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT (CJA) CASES
As of March 11, 2009**

Hourly Rates for CJA Appointed Counsel				
Rates for in and out of court work performed by attorneys in non-capital cases during specified time periods	1/1/06 to 5/19/07 \$92 per hour	5/20/2007 to 12/31/2007 \$94 per hour	1/1/2008 to 3/10/09 \$100 per hour	On or after 3/11/2009 \$110 per hour
Maximum hourly capital rate	1/1/06 to 5/19/07 \$163	5/20/2007 to 12/31/2007 \$166	1/1/2008 to 3/10/09 \$170	On or after 3/11/2009 \$175

Statutory Compensation for CJA Appointments		
PERSON REPRESENTED	PROCEEDING	STATUTORY COMPENSATION
DEFENDANT	Felony	\$8,600
	Misdemeanor , Petty	\$2,400
	Capital Prosecution	None
	New Trial	Same as Original Case
	Pretrial Diversion	\$7,800(F), \$2,400(M)
	Other Type Defendant	\$1,800
PLAINTIFF	Habeas Petitioner, Petitioner (Motion to Vacate)	\$8,600
	Motion to Correct	\$8,600
	Habeas Petitioner (Capital)	None
OFFENDER	Probation Revocation/Termination, Parole Revocation/Termination, Supervised Release Hearing	\$1,800 \$1,800
OTHER	Pre-Indictment proceedings*	\$1,800
	Mental Competency	\$1,800
	Civil Asset Forfeiture	\$8,600
	Juror Employment Rights	-
	U.S. Parole Commission	\$1,800
WITNESSES	Material Witness(in Custody), Grand Jury, Congress, Federal, etc	\$1,800
APPELLANT/APPELLEE	Trial Disposition	\$6,100
	Other	\$1,800
	Appeal Magistrate Judge Decision	\$6,100
	U.S. Supreme Court	none
	Appeal of Civil Asset Forfeiture	\$6,100
	Habeas Corpus (non-capital) Appeal	\$6,100
	Parole Appeal	\$1,800

*If a client is indicted, appointment merges with appointment for criminal charge and statutory compensation for the applicable charge (i.e. felony or misdemeanor).

Mileage Rates and Effective Dates for Travel by Privately Owned Automobile			
Jan. 21, 2002 to Dec. 31, 2002	36.5 cents	Jan. 1, 2006 to Jan. 31, 2007	44.5 cents
Jan. 1, 2003 to Dec. 31, 2003	36 cents	Feb. 1, 2007 to March 18, 2008	48.5 cents
Jan. 1, 2004 to Feb. 3, 2005	37.5 cents	March 19, 2008 to July 31, 2008	50.5 cents
Feb. 4, 2005 to August 31, 2005	40.5 cents	August 1, 2008 to Jan. 31, 2009	58.5 cents
Sept. 1, 2005 to Dec. 31, 2005	48.5 cents	Feb. 1, 2009 to the present	55 cents