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Board of Supervisors 330 Fair Lane Placerville, CA 95667

RE: Conflict Indigent Criminal Defense Contract

Dear Board of Supervisors,

I am an attorney in South Lake Tahoe. I am on the conflict indigent defense panel. It is my understanding that the Board will be addressing our rate of pay at the meeting scheduled for June 10, 2014. I have provided my services to El Dorado County on this panel for over 10 years. The contract rate for our services has not changed for six years. Unfortunately the costs of doing business have. Services required by the contract such as an office, staff, supplies, malpractice insurance, utilities, etc have all risen over the last six years. Myself, along with all of the other attorneys on the panel, agreed to work with the county over the last six years, understanding the county's budgetary constraints. I can only speak for myself but I believe I have provided timely, consistent, quality services to El Dorado County. I would very much like the Board to consider a pay increase for the panel at this time.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

truly yours.

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