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Executive Council of Iowa

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March 6, 2023

Mr. Sam Langholz
Chief Deputy Attorney General
Iowa Attorney General
Hoover Bldg., 2nd Floor
L O C A L

Re: Approval of Iowa Code § 7D.10 Expenses

Dear Mr. Langholz

The Executive Council, in a meeting held this date, approved your request for payment pursuant to Iowa Code § 7D.10 for payment of expenses incurred in prosecuting civil commitments under Iowa Code chapter 229A for the Sexually Violent Predator (SVP) program, in the amount of \$16,000.00.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF IOWA

Victoria Newton

Victoria Newton
Executive Secretary

cc: Kyle Harms, State Treasurer's Office

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SAM LANGHOLZ
CHIEF DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL



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IOWA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

January 26, 2023

Victoria Newton
Executive Secretary
Executive Council
State Capitol
L O C A L

Re: Request for Payment of SVP Court Costs

Dear Victoria:

Our Office requests Executive Council approval for payment pursuant to Iowa Code section 7D.10 for court costs and expenses incurred in prosecuting civil commitments under Iowa Code chapter 229A for the Sexually Violent Predator (SVP) program.

In addition to the cost of employee salaries, travel and support devoted to this program, the Office incurs substantial expenses for expert witnesses. These expenses have increased substantially due to the growing number of chapter 229A commitments. Section 7D.10 authorizes payment of court costs and expenses by the Executive Council “[i]f sufficient funds for court costs have not been appropriated to a state department, or if sufficient funds are not otherwise available for such purposes within the budget of a state department.” There is no specific appropriation for these expenses and sufficient funds are not otherwise available.

Therefore, pursuant to Iowa Code section 7D.10, the Office requests Executive Council approval of payment of \$16,000.00 for record review/report preparation (invoices enclosed).

Sincerely,

Sam Langholz
Chief Deputy Attorney General

SVP Invoices - SFY 2023 (01/20/2023)

Date Received	Vendor	Description	Amount	Paid by Executive Council	Approval Date
1/20/23	Rachel Kahn	Initial Eval/Prelim Report - Morgan	\$3,200.00		
1/19/23	Eric Jensen, Ph.D.	Initial Report - Smith	\$3,200.00		
1/18/23	William Schmitt, Ph.D.	Initial Eval/Prelim Report - Sam	\$3,200.00		
1/10/23	William Schmitt, Ph.D.	Final Evaluation and Report - Payeah	\$4,000.00		
1/20/23	Eric Jensen, Ph.D.	Trial prep/testimony - Allen	\$2,400.00		

	\$16,000.00	\$0.00
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Rachel Kahn. Ph.D.

INVOICE

P.O. Box 6491
Monona, WI 53716-0491
USA
Phone: 608-620-3067

DATE: JANUARY 18, 2023

To:
Iowa Office of the Attorney General
c/o Olivia McAtee
Area Prosecutions Division
Hoover Building
1305 E. Walnut Street
Des Moines, IA 50319

Description	Amount
Initial Evaluation/Preliminary Report on Mark Douglas Morgan Engagement Letter: 12/29/2022 Preliminary Report Date: 01/18/2023	\$3,200.00
Total	\$3,200.00

Payment should be made out to Rachel Kahn and mailed to Rachel Kahn, P.O. Box 6491, Monona, WI 53716-0491



Rachel Kahn, Ph.D.
Licensed Psychologist

Approved Sina Palmer
Date 1/20/23 Amt 3200.00
Agency SVP Expense Morgan
Class _____ Obj _____ Org _____

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Palmer, Tina

From: Brown, ScottAG [AG]
Sent: Friday, January 20, 2023 9:46 AM
To: McAtee, Olivia; Palmer, Tina
Subject: RE: MM Preliminary

Approved

SCOTT

Please note new email address: scott.brown@ag.iowa.gov



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From: McAtee, Olivia <Olivia.Mcatee@ag.iowa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, January 19, 2023 11:23 AM
To: Brown, ScottAG [AG] <Scott.Brown@ag.iowa.gov>; Palmer, Tina <Tina.Palmer@ag.iowa.gov>
Subject: FW: MM Preliminary

Hi Scott and Tina,

Please see the attached invoice. Thank you!

From: Rachel Kahn <rachel.kahn@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2023 6:52 PM
To: McAtee, Olivia <Olivia.Mcatee@ag.iowa.gov>
Subject: MM Preliminary

Hi Olivia,

Here is the preliminary for MM and associated invoice. Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Rachel

Eric Jensen, Ph.D.
81 Kimball Terrace
Shelburne, VT 05482

ebjensen@comcast.net
 Phone 352-214-2039

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INVOICE # 1142
 DATE: JANUARY 19, 2023

TO:

 Olivia McAtee
 Inv. II SVP
 Office of Iowa Attorney General
 1305 E. Walnut St
 Des Moines, IA 50319

REGARDING:

 SVP Respondent: Jeramy Smith
 DOB: 6/6/78

DESCRIPTION	HOURS	RATE	AMOUNT
Initial Report		Flat fee service	\$3200.00
<p style="text-align: right;"> Approved <i>Jana Palmer</i> Date <i>1/20/23</i> Amt <i>3200.00</i> Agency <i>SVP Expense - Smith</i> Class _____ Obj _____ Org _____ <i>0000 3100 238</i> </p>			
Tax ID#008408740	TOTAL		\$3200.00

Palmer, Tina

From: Brown, ScottAG [AG]
Sent: Thursday, January 19, 2023 9:44 AM
To: McAtee, Olivia; Palmer, Tina
Subject: RE: Smith initial report & invoice

Approved

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Subject: FW: Smith initial report & invoice

Hi Tina and Scott,

Please see the attached invoice. Thank you!

William A. Schmitt, Ph.D., LLC
Licensed Psychologist

PO Box 930376
Verona, WI 53593
(608) 698-2713
wschmitt55@gmail.com

INVOICE
Preliminary Evaluation for Iowa §229A

Re: Ernest Sam, Jr.
DOB: September 10, 1981

Evaluator: William A. Schmitt, PhD
Date: January 12, 2023

- Initial Evaluation/Preliminary Report was completed and submitted January 12, 2023.

Contracted fee for services rendered: \$3200.

Thank you for this interesting referral.



William A. Schmitt, Ph.D.
Licensed Psychologist

Approved Jana Palmer
Date 1/30/23 Amt 3200.00
Agency SVP Expense Sam
Class _____ Obj _____ Org _____

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Palmer, Tina

From: Brown, ScottAG [AG]
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2023 1:59 PM
To: McAtee, Olivia; Palmer, Tina
Subject: RE: Invoice - Ernest Sam prelim

Approved

SCOTT

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Subject: Invoice - Ernest Sam prelim

Hi Tina and Scott,

Please see the attached invoice for Dr. Schmitt. Thank you!

William A. Schmitt, Ph.D., LLC
Licensed Psychologist

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Verona, WI 53593
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INVOICE
Final Evaluation for Iowa §229A

Re: Newton Payeah
DOB: May 20, 1988

Evaluator: William A. Schmitt, PhD
Date: January 5, 2023

Final Evaluation and Report was completed and submitted January 5, 2023.

Contracted fee for services rendered: \$4000.00

Thank you for this interesting referral.



William A. Schmitt, Ph.D.
Licensed Psychologist

Approved Jana Palmer
Date 1/20/23 Amt 4000.00
Agency SVP Expense - Payeah
Class _____ Obj _____ Org _____
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Palmer, Tina

From: Brown, ScottAG [AG]
Sent: Tuesday, January 10, 2023 3:19 PM
To: McAtee, Olivia; Palmer, Tina
Subject: Re: Dr. Schmitt invoice

Approved

Scott

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Sent: Tuesday, January 10, 2023 1:32:38 PM
To: Palmer, Tina <Tina.Palmer@ag.iowa.gov>; Brown, ScottAG [AG] <Scott.Brown@ag.iowa.gov>
Subject: Dr. Schmitt invoice

Hi Scott and Tina,

Please see the attached invoice. Thank you!



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INVOICE

INVOICE # 1150
DATE: JANUARY 20, 2023

TO:

Olivia McAtee
Inv. II SVP
Office of Iowa Attorney General
1305 E. Walnut St
Des Moines, IA 50319

REGARDING:

SVP Respondent: Robert Allen
DOB: 9/23/84

DESCRIPTION	HOURS	RATE	AMOUNT
Trial prep/testimony 11/8-11/10/22		Flat fee service	\$2400.00
Approved <u>Jena Palmer</u> Date <u>1/20/23</u> Amt <u>2400.00</u> Agency <u>SVP Expense - Allen</u> Class _____ Obj _____ Org _____ <u>00003100238</u>			
TOTAL			\$2400.00

Tax ID#008408740

Palmer, Tina

From: Brown, ScottAG [AG]
Sent: Friday, January 20, 2023 9:45 AM
To: Palmer, Tina
Subject: RE: R. Allen trial invoice

Approved

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Sent: Thursday, January 19, 2023 11:43 AM
To: Brown, ScottAG [AG] <Scott.Brown@ag.iowa.gov>
Subject: FW: R. Allen trial invoice

Approval, please.

Thank you,
Tina

From: McAtee, Olivia <Olivia.Mcatee@ag.iowa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 17, 2023 5:12 PM
To: Brown, ScottAG [AG] <Scott.Brown@ag.iowa.gov>; Palmer, Tina <Tina.Palmer@ag.iowa.gov>
Subject: FW: R. Allen trial invoice

Hi Scott and Tina,

Please see the attached invoice. Thank you!