UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

IN RE:

GENERAL ORDER

AMENDING LOCAL CRIMINAL RULE 32: PRE-SENTENCING MEMORANDA

NO. 2013 - 08

ORDER

Local Criminal Rule 32.2, "Presentencing Memoranda," is hereby amended to the following extent:

IT IS ORDERED that the U.S. Probation Office should no longer file sentencing memoranda as currently designated in the Local Criminal Rules. All attorneys shall file their sentencing memoranda and no longer submit them directly to the probation office.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that presentence memoranda should be filed **UNDER SEAL** by counsel through the court's electronic filing system using the applicable event "Sealed Presentence Memorandum by the Government" or "Sealed Presentence Memorandum by the Defense." The filing attorney is responsible for providing conventional service to the U.S. Probation Office and to opposing counsel, indicating on the Certificate of Service how the document was served. All such sentencing memoranda shall be filed at least seven days prior to the date of sentencing. All other provisions of this section of the Local Criminal Rules remain in effect.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Baton Rouge, Louisiana, February 22, 2013.

BRIAN A. JACKSON, CHIEF JUDGE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

JAMES J. BRADY