

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
OGLE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

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PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF)
ILLINOIS,)
Plaintiff)
VS.)
JOSE RICARDO RODRIGUEZ)
Defendant)


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AMENDED SECOND MOTION TO APPOINT EXPERT WITNESS

Now comes the Defendant by and through his Assistant Public Defender, DENNIS RILEY, and in support of this Motion, states as follows:

1. He is the Defendant in the above entitled cause.
2. He has been charged in this case with the offense of First Degree Murder in three Counts.
3. At issue in this case will be certain semen samples taken from the scene of the commission of the offense and from the body of the victim and certain DNA exemplars taken from the Defendant and others.
4. He is represented in this cause by one of the Public Defenders of Ogle County.
5. He does not have sufficient funds to provide an expert necessary to his defense.
6. A qualified forensic scientist is necessary to the defense of this cause to allow the Defendant to present an adequate defense.
7. Speckin Forensic Laboratories employs qualified experts in semen sample analysis. The fees for such analysis is at the rate of _____ per hour.

WHEREFORE, the Defendant prays that his attorney be allowed to hire Speckin Forensic Laboratories as an expert non-testimonial consulting forensic witness to assist in the defense of this cause; and that such cost and expense be paid by the County of Ogle.


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