## UNIITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

Darwin Yarls, Jr., Leroy Shaw, Jr. and Douglas R. Brown on Behalf of Themselves and All Others Similarly Situated,	) )	No. 3:16-cv-31-JJB-RLB
Plaintiffs,	)	
vs.	)	JUDGE: James J. Brady
Derwyn Bunton, in his official capacity as Chief District Defender for Orleans Parish, Louisiana; James T. Dixon, Jr., in his official capacity as Louisiana State Public Defender,	) ) )	MAGISTRATE JUDGE: Richard L. Bourgeois, Jr.
Defendants.	) ) _)	

## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Notice is hereby given that Plaintiffs Darwin Yarls, Jr., Leroy Shaw, Jr., and Douglas R. Brown appeal this Court's "Order to Amend Complaint" (Doc. 34, dated July 14, 2016), "Order Dismissing Case" (Doc. 63, dated January 31, 2017), and "Order Denying Motion for Relief from Judgement" (Doc. 65, dated August 23, 2017) to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit.

Dated: September 25, 2017 Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Bruce W. Hamilton, La No. 33170 (Notice Attorney) ACLU Foundation of Louisiana P.O. Box 56157 New Orleans, LA 70156

(504) 522-0628

Facsimile: (504) 613-6511 Email: bhamilton@laaclu.org /s/ Brandon J. Buskey\*, AL ASB2753-A50B (Lead Attorney)
Ezekiel Edwards\*, NY 4189304
American Civil Liberties Union Foundation
Criminal Law Reform Project
125 Broad Street, 18th Floor
New York, NY 10004
212-284-7364
bbuskey@aclu.org
eedwards@aclu.org
\*Admitted *Pro Hac Vice* 

William P. Quigley La No. 07769 Loyola University New Orleans College of Law 7214 St. Charles Avenue New Orleans, LA 70118 Cell: (504) 710-3074 Email: quigley77@gmail.com

Anna Lellelid-Douffet La No. 35204 P.O. Box 19388 New Orleans, LA 70179 Cell: (504) 224-9670 Email: lellelid.law@gmail.com

Attorneys for Plaintiffs

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on September 25, 2017, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served via the Court's electronic filing system to all counsel of record.

/s/ Bruce Hamilton Bruce Hamilton