


The following Resolution was adopted at the Mid-Winter Conference of the Alabama Circuit Judge's Association in Opelika, Alabama on the 21st day of January 2005.

RESOLUTION

Be it resolved that the Alabama Circuit Judge's Association adopts the American Bar Association Guidelines for the Appointment and Performance of Defense Counsel in Death Penalty Cases.

These guidelines are adopted as a recommendation to the circuit judges of Alabama. They are not hard and fast rules. The purpose of their adoption by this organization is so that an optimum standard can be set for circuit judges to attempt to achieve in capital cases. It's adoption is not to be considered a rule or requirement but only a recommendation. However, as to Guidelines 5.1 and 8.1 which apply to the qualification and experience of defense counsel appointed in capital cases these recommendations would be adhered to as closely as is practical.


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