

NORTH CAROLINA
GUILFORD COUNTY

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION
97 CrS 39580

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,)
)
 vs.)
)
 RONNIE LEE KIMBLE,)
)
 Defendant.)

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ORDER

On motion of the defendant, through his attorney, John B. Hatfield, Jr., the court has considered the defendant's Ex-Parte motion for authorization of funds to pay a private investigator and/or forensic analyst; the court finds that at this time the sum of \$2,500 is reasonable to provide said services without prejudice to the defendant's right to apply for additional funds in the future as needed.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the defendant is authorized to engage the services of a private investigator and/or forensic analyst whose fee shall be paid up to \$2,500 without prejudice to the defendant's right to request authorization of additional funds as needed.

This the 18th day of September, 1997.

L. Todd Burke
L. Todd Burke, Superior Court Judge