As a result of the Mandatory Victims Restitution Act of 1996, all payments for special assessment, fines and restitution are receipted by the U.S. District Court clerk's office. The applicable interest rates, penalties, etc. are based on the offense date and the applicable statute in effect. Payments should be mailed to the

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or presented in person to the cashier at the District Court clerk's office. Checks should be payable to Clerk, U.S. District Court.

Special assessment, fine and restitution when imposed are ordered on the J & C (Judgement and Commitment Order) at sentencing. All monetary penalties are recorded by the clerk's office as documented in the J & C. Special assessment is usually \$100 and payment is due immediately to the court. Fine and restitution is also generally due immediately, however, the judge often allows monthly payments when large amounts are involved. The fine and/or restitution is due based on the applicable statute and interest is accrued even if a payment schedule has been established once the interest start date has passed. Adherence to a payment schedule stops the imposition of the applicable penalties, delinquency and default provisions.