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\*After receiving his law degree, Fleming worked as an Assistant District Attorney in the Orleans Parish District Attorney's Office. He joined the Jefferson Parish Public Defender's Office in 1996.

\*During his career as a public defender in Jefferson Parish, Fleming has represented clients in a variety of criminal matters from misdemeanors to felonies. For the past fifteen years, he has handled capital cases, non-capital homicide cases and otherwise problematic cases exclusively. He is certified by the Louisiana Public Defender Board to represent clients charged with capital offenses.

\*In 2014, Fleming was promoted to the position of Deputy District Defender. In that capacity, he along with the District Defender supervise 38 other attorneys.

\*Fleming also handles cases for the Federal Public Defender's Office, and is on the Criminal Justice Act (CJA) Panel for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

\*In addition to his responsibilities as a public defender, Fleming maintains a private practice with The Fleming Law Firm. The firm handles a variety of criminal and civil cases. The firm primarily represents individuals and small businesses, and handles matters such as personal injury, domestic, business formation, property disputes, successions, wills and powers of attorney.

\*Fleming has been involved in high profile cases such as State v Vince Marinello (for which he blames his co-counsel for their loss) and the Danziger Bridge case.

\*Fleming is a lifetime member and past president (2011) of Louisiana Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers. He has lectured in the past for the Louisiana Public Defender Board, Louisiana Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, Louisiana Public Defenders Association, and Louisiana Judicial College.