

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No. EDCV 03-1535-MLG Date January 5, 2010

Title Deborah M. Huffman v. Michael J. Astrue, Commissioner of Social Security

Present: The Honorable Marc L. Goldman, Magistrate Judge

Terri Steele

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Deputy Clerk

Court Reporter / Recorder

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Attorneys Present for Plaintiffs:

Attorneys Present for Defendants:

None

None

Proceedings: (In Chambers) Order Granting Attorney Fees

On November 19, 2009, the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit remanded this action for further consideration in light of the decision in *Crawford v. Astrue*, 586 F.3d 1142 (9th Cir. 2009).

Plaintiff's motion for an award of attorney fees pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 406(b) is GRANTED in its entirety. The Court finds that the fee request satisfies the standards for such awards stated in *Gisbrecht v. Barnhart*, 535 U.S. 789 (2002), and *Crawford*. Fees shall be awarded the amount of \$7,000.00, which amount shall be offset by the amount of \$1,300.00 which was previously paid to counsel under the EAJA. The net award is **\$5,700.00**. If counsel for Plaintiff has received the amount of \$3901.80, which was awarded in the order entered August 24, 2006, that amount shall also be offset against the net award.

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