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	SAVANN KHY,)	Case No. 1:20-CV-00185-JDP
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10	Plaintiff)	STIPULATION AND
)	ORDER FOR AWARD OF ATTORNEY'S
11	V.)	FEES UNDER THE EQUAL ACCESS TO
12)	JUSTICE ACT (EAJA)
	ANDREW M. SAUL,)	
13	Commissioner of Social Security,)	
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14	Defendant)	
15)	
- J)	

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED by and between the parties through their undersigned counsel, subject to the approval of the Court, that Plaintiff shall be awarded attorney's fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act (EAJA), 28 U.S.C. sec. 2412(d), in the amount of ONE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY TWO dollars and ZERO cents (\$1,642.00). This amount represents compensation for all legal services rendered on behalf of Plaintiff by counsel in connection with this civil action, in accordance with 28 U.S.C. sec. 2412(d).

After the Court issues an order for payment of EAJA fees and expenses to Plaintiff, the government will consider the matter of Plaintiff's assignment of EAJA fees and expenses to Plaintiff's attorney. The government's ability to honor the assignment will depend on whether the fees and expenses are subject to an offset allowed under the United States Department of the Treasury's Offset Program pursuant to <u>Astrue v. Ratcliff</u>, 130 S.Ct. 2521 (2010). After the order of EAJA fees and expenses is entered, the government will determine if they are subject to an offset. If it is determined that Plaintiff's EAJA fees and expenses are not subject to an offset under <u>Astrue v. Ratcliff</u>, 130 S.Ct. 2521 (2010) and the Department of Treasury's Offset Program, then the check for

EAJA fees and expenses shall be made payable to Jacqueline A. Forslund, based upon Plaintiff's 1 assignment of these amounts to Plaintiff's attorney. The parties agree that whether these checks are 2 made payable to Plaintiff or Jacqueline A. Forslund, such checks shall be mailed to Plaintiff's 3 attorney at the following address: Jacqueline A. Forslund, Forslund Law LLC, P.O. Box 4476, 4 Sunriver, Oregon 97707. This stipulation constitutes a compromise settlement of Plaintiff's request 5 for EAJA attorney fees, and does not constitute an admission of liability on the part of Defendant 6 under the EAJA or otherwise. Payment of the agreed amount shall constitute a complete release from, 7 and bar to, any and all claims that Plaintiff and/or Plaintiff's Counsel may have relating to EAJA 8 attorney fees in connection with this action. 9 Respectfully submitted, 10 11 Date: October 7, 2020 JACQUELINE A. FORSLUND Attorney at Law 12 13 /s/Jacqueline A. Forslund 14 JACQUELINE A. FORSLUND Attorney for Plaintiff 15 Date: October 8, 2020 MCGREGOR W. SCOTT 16 United States Attorney 17 **DEBORAH STACHEL** Regional Chief Counsel, Region IX 18 Social Security Administration 19 /s/S. Wyeth McAdam 20 S. WYETH MCADAM Special Assistant United States Attorney 21 *By email authorization Attorney for Defendant 22 23 24 25 26 27

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ORDER

The parties' stipulation for the award of EAJA fees is approved and so ordered.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: <u>October 15, 2020</u>

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE