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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RALPH COLEMAN, et al.,
Plaintiffs,
v.
EDMUND G. BROWN, JR., et al.,
Defendants.

No. CIV. S-90-520 LKK/DAD (PC)

ORDER

On August 6, 2014, the Special Master filed a request for appointment of additional staff and to increase the rate of compensation for certain current members of his staff. (ECF No. 5191.) The Special Master seeks appointment of Barbara Seldin, Ph.D, Maria Masotta, Psy.D., and Karen Rea, PHN, MSN, FNP, to his staff. As experts, Drs. Seldin and Masotta and Ms. Rea are to be compensated at an hourly rate of ninety dollars (\$90.00) for travel time and otherwise at an hourly rate of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) plus reasonable expenses.

In addition, the Special Master seeks increased compensation for his monitors Patricia Williams, Esq. and Haunani Henry from an hourly rate of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) to two hundred

1 thirty five dollars (\$235.00), and for his monitor Kerry Walsh,
2 Esq. from two hundred twenty five dollars (\$225.00) to two
3 hundred thirty five dollars (\$235.00). These three monitors'
4 compensation for travel time shall remain at an hourly rate of
5 ninety dollars (\$90.00).

6 The Special Master represents that the parties have no
7 objections to either request. See ECF No. 5191 at 2.

8 Pursuant to paragraph B(7) of this court's December 11, 1995
9 order and good cause appearing therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED
10 that:


11 1. The Special Master's August 6, 2014 request for
12 appointment of additional staff is GRANTED;

13 2. The Special Master is authorized to appoint Barbara
14 Seldin, Ph.D., Maria Masotta, Psy.D., and Karen Rea, PHN, MSN,
15 FNP, to perform the duties set forth in the Special Master's
16 request for the Appointment of Additional Staff and for Increase
17 in Compensation of Monitors, filed August 6, 2014, and to be
18 compensated at the rates set forth therein; and

19 3. The compensation for Patricia Williams, Esq., Haunani
20 Henry, and Kerry Walsh, Esq., for time spent working on this
21 action, other than travel time, is increased to two hundred
22 thirty five dollars (\$235.00) per hour, said increase to be
23 effective the date this order is filed.

24 IT IS SO ORDERED.

25 DATED: August 6, 2014.

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27 LAWRENCE K. KARLTON
28 SENIOR JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT