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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 9 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 MARY GARCIA,)
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 12 Plaintiff,)
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 13 v.)
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 14 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,)
 Commissioner of Social Security,)
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 15 Defendant.)
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CIVIL NO. 3:07-cv-05469-JCS

STIPULATION AND ORDER AWARDING
 ATTORNEY FEES UNDER THE EQUAL
 ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT (28 U.S.C.
 § 2412(d))

17 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED by and between the parties through their undersigned counsel,
 18 subject to the approval of the Court, that Plaintiff’s counsel, as Plaintiff’s assignee, be awarded attorney
 19 fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act in the amount of FOUR THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED
 20 DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$4,200.00). This amount represents compensation for all legal services
 21 rendered on behalf of Plaintiff by counsel in connection with this civil action for services performed
 22 before the district court in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d).

23 This stipulation constitutes a compromise settlement of Plaintiff’s request for EAJA attorney fees
 24 and does not constitute an admission of liability on the part of Defendant under the EAJA. Payment in
 25 the aforementioned sum under EAJA shall constitute a complete release from and bar to any and all
 26 claims, rights, causes of action, liens or subrogated interests relating to attorneys fees and costs incurred
 27 in this action under EAJA. Any payment shall be made payable to Plaintiff’s counsel as Plaintiff’s
 28 assignee and delivered to Plaintiff’s counsel.

1 The settlement of Plaintiff's claim for EAJA attorney fees does not preclude Plaintiff's counsel
2 from seeking attorney fees under 42 U.S.C. § 406(b) of the Social Security Act, subject to the offset
3 provisions of the law.

4 Respectfully submitted,

5 Dated: September 18, 2008

/s/ Tom Weathered
(As authorized via regular mail)
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17 IT IS SO ORDERED:

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19 Dated: 9/22/08

