

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
MACON DIVISION

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D.H.C.,

*Plaintiff,*

v.

Comm'r of SOCIAL SECURITY,

*Defendant.*

CIVIL ACTION NO.  
5:18-cv-00141-TES-CHW

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ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S  
UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES

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Before the Court is Plaintiff's Motion for an Award of Attorney's Fees [Doc. 33] pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 406(b). The Commissioner of Social Security has issued a Notice of Award showing that 25% of past-due benefits total \$40,967.50. [Doc. 33-2, p. 3]. Based on the time expended by counsel in federal court, the Court finds that a 25% fee agreement between Plaintiff and Plaintiff's counsel is reasonable. *Gisbrecht v. Barnhart*, 535 U.S. 789 (2002); *see generally* [Doc. 33-4].

Given that the Commissioner has filed no objection to counsel's request for fees and because the Court has determined that the requested amount is reasonable, the Court **GRANTS** Plaintiff's Motion for an Award of Attorney's Fees [Doc. 33] in the

amount of \$32,984.98, which is 25% of Plaintiff's past-due benefits less the \$7,982.52 previously awarded.

**SO ORDERED**, this 22nd day of February, 2021.

S/ Tilman E. Self, III  
**TILMAN E. SELF, III, JUDGE**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS**