UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

TRUSTEES OF MICHIGAN REGIONAL COUNCIL OF CARPENTERS' EMPLOYEE BENEFITS FUND, et al.

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 15-cv-10260 Hon. Matthew F. Leitman

v.

PRATER COMMERICAL GROUP, INCORPORATED, et al.,

Defendants.

DEFAULT JUDGMENT

THIS MATTER CAME before the Court on Plaintiffs' Motion for the Entry of a Default Judgment. The Court, being fully advised in the premises, finds that:

- 1. The Summons and Complaint were served on Defendants Prater Commercial Group, Inc. d/b/a Prater Commercial Carpentry ("Prater") and Rodney Prater on January 28, 2015. The proofs of service are on file with the Court (**Dkt. 5 & 6**).
- 2. Defendants did not file an answer or take any other action to defend themselves within 21 days following the service of process.
- 3. Defendants are not infants or incompetent persons.

A Clerk's Entry of Default was entered against Defendants Prater and 4.

Rodney Prater on February 20, 2015 (**Dkt. 8**).

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiffs shall have

judgment against Defendants Prater and Rodney Prater, pursuant to 29 U.S.C.

1132(g)(2) in the amount of \$237,739.01, consisting of \$236,777.51 for unpaid

fringe benefit contributions together with liquidated damages thereon, accumulated

interest, court costs of \$471.50, and attorneys fees of \$490.00.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Honorable Court shall retain

jurisdiction of this matter pending satisfaction of this judgment and/or compliance

with any additional orders.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/Matthew F. Leitman

MATTHEW F. LEITMAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: March 19, 2015

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served upon the parties and/or counsel of record on March 19, 2015, by electronic means and/or ordinary

mail.

s/Holly A. Monda

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