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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

Sharon Halverson,

Civil No. 08-784 (JNE/SRN)

Plaintiff,

v.

<u>ORDER</u>

Michael J. Astrue, Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

Lionel H. Peabody, Peabody Law Office, P.O. Box 10, Duluth, Minnesota 55801, on behalf of Plaintiff.

Lonnie F. Bryan, Esq., Office of the United States Attorney, 300 South 4th Street, Suite 600, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415, on behalf of Defendant.

This matter is before the Court on two Reports and Recommendations of United States Magistrate Judge Susan Richard Nelson [Doc. Nos. 39 and 45]. No objections to the Reports and Recommendations were filed within the requisite time period. Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that:

- 1. Plaintiff's Motion for Attorney's Fees and Expenses Under the Equal Access to Justice Act [Doc. No. 31] is **GRANTED**;
- 2. Plaintiff is awarded \$6,743.55 in fees; and
- 3. Plaintiff's Petition for Approval of an Attorney's Fee Under the Social Security Act [Doc. No. 40] is **DENIED**.

Dated: July 28, 2009

s/ Joan N. Ericksen
JOAN N. ERICKSEN
United States District Judge