

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION

STEVEN CARROLL, )  
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 Plaintiff, )  
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 vs. ) Case No. 4:13CV830 RWS  
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 CAROLYN W. COLVIN, )  
 Commissioner of Social Security, )  
 )  
 Defendant. )

**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

This matter is before me on plaintiff's motion for attorney's fees and costs pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412. Plaintiff seeks fees in the amount of \$1,735.27 and fees in the amount of \$350.00. Defendant does not object to the request.

On September 10, 2014, I reversed the decision of the Commissioner and remanded the case to the Commissioner under sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) for further consideration. Because plaintiff prevailed and is not otherwise precluded from recovering attorney's fees and costs, I find plaintiff<sup>1</sup> is entitled to an

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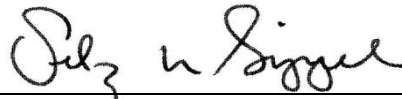
<sup>1</sup>The fees are payable to plaintiff, not plaintiff's attorney. See Astrue v. Ratliff, 130 S. Ct. 2521, 2524 (2010).

award in the amount requested.

Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that plaintiff's motion for attorney's fees and costs [#19] is granted, and defendant shall pay plaintiff \$1,735.27 in attorney's fees.

Plaintiff is also entitled to receive \$350.00 in costs from the Judgment Fund administered by the United States Treasury.



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RODNEY W. SIPPEL  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2014.