

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE  
COMPANY,

Plaintiff,

vs.

GAIL A. REYNOLDS, TAMI  
REYNOLDS, and LESLIE REYNOLDS,

Defendants.

**8:16CV281**

**ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on the magistrate judge's<sup>1</sup> June 23, 2017, Findings and Recommendation (Filing No. 31). Metropolitan Life Insurance Company commenced this rule interpleader action to determine the proper beneficiary of approximately \$20,000 in life insurance proceeds. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 22. The magistrate judge recommends the Court distribute the funds to Gail Reynolds and dismiss the case. No party has objected to the findings and recommendation within the time permitted. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72; NECivR 72.2. The Court finds the magistrate judge's findings and recommendation should be accepted. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. The magistrate judge's findings and recommendation (Filing No. 31) are accepted.
2. Gail Reynolds is entitled to the life insurance proceeds at issue.
3. The Clerk shall prepare a check on the funds deposited in the Court Registry in the amount of \$20,442.86 in principal plus any accrued interest, less the fee authorized by NECivR 67, made payable to Gail Reynolds.

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<sup>1</sup>The Honorable Susan M. Bazis, United States Magistrate Judge for the District of Nebraska.

4. Upon receipt of a completed Internal Revenue Service Form W-9 from Gail Reynolds, the Clerk shall mail said funds to Gail Reynolds, 25815 Adam Street, Elmwood, NE 68349.
5. This case is dismissed.
6. A separate judgment in accordance with this Order will be entered this date.

Dated this 17th day of July, 2017.

BY THE COURT:

*s/ Robert F. Rossiter, Jr.*  
United States District Judge