UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

US DISTRICT COURT ED.N.X.

**BROOKLYN OFFICE** 

ORDER & FINAL JUDGMENT

11-CV-3593 (NGG) (RLM)

Plaintiff,

-against-

FRED A. WILLIAMS, JR, a/k/a Fred Williams, a/k/a Fred Allen Williams, Jr.,

Defendant.
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NICHOLAS G. GARAUFIS, United States District Judge.

On January 18, 2012, the court issued a Memorandum and Order in the above-captioned student loan debt enforcement action brought by Plaintiff, the United States of America, against Defendant Fred A. Williams ("Williams"). (Mem. & Order (Docket Entry # 7).) The court granted default judgment against Williams, and referred Plaintiff's motion for damages to Magistrate Judge Roanne L. Mann for a Report & Recommendation. (Id. at 3-4.) The court now withdraws the referral to Judge Mann and awards Plaintiff damages as follows.

According to the Certificate of Indebtedness, as of May 31, 2011, Williams owed \$7,046.00 in principal obligations and \$4,721.46 in interest, with interest accruing on the principal at a rate of \$1.59 per day. (Mot. for Def. J. (Docket Entry # 6) at Ex. A; see also Affirmation of Amount Due (Docket Entry # 4-1) (calculating amount due as of October 6, 2011).) Between May 31, 2011 and today, January 19, 2012, an additional \$370.47 in interest has accrued. Plaintiff has also filed proof of \$385.00 in costs. (See Affirmation of Amount Due ¶ 6 and Attachment.) Therefore, as of January 19, 2012, the United States is entitled to \$7,046.00 in principal obligations, \$5,091.93 in interest, and \$385.00 in costs, for a total of

\$12,522.93. The United States is also entitled to post-judgment interest under 28 U.S.C. § 1961.

The Clerk of Court is directed to enter judgment and close this case.

SO ORDERED.

s/Nicholas G. Garaufis

Dated: Brooklyn, New York January <u>/</u>¶, 2012

NICHOLAS G. GARAUFIS United States District Judge