

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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TRUSTEES OF THE NEW YORK CITY :  
DISTRICT COUNCIL OF CARPENTERS :  
PENSION FUND, WELFARE FUND, :  
ANNUITY FUND, AND APPRENTICESHIP, :  
JOURNEYMAN RETRAINING, :  
EDUCATIONAL AND INDUSTRY FUND, :  
et al., :  
Petitioners, :  
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GOLDEN DEVELOPMENT AND :  
CONSTRUCTION CORP., :  
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Respondent. :  
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No. 17-CV-1051 (VSB) (JLC)

ORDER

VERNON S. BRODERICK, United States District Judge:

On February 13, 2017, Petitioners Trustees of the New York City District Council of Carpenters Pension Fund, Welfare Fund, Annuity Fund, and Apprenticeship, Journeyman Retraining, Educational and Industry Fund; Trustees of the New York City District Council of Carpenters Relief and Charity Fund; the New York City and Vicinity Carpenters Labor-Management Corporation; and New York City District Council of Carpenters (together, “Petitioners”) filed a petition to confirm an arbitration award. (Doc. 1.) Respondent Golden Development and Construction Corp. (“Respondent”) failed to respond to the petition. On April 25, 2017, I referred the unopposed petition to Magistrate Judge James L. Cott for a determination as to liability and damages. (See Docs. 10, 12.)

On July 6, 2017, Judge Cott issued a Report and Recommendation recommending that I confirm the arbitration award and, as modified, grant Petitioners’ application for attorneys’ fees

and costs. (Doc. 14.) No objections have been filed and the deadline for objections has passed.

*See 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b).*

I have reviewed the Report and Recommendation for clear error and find none.

Accordingly, I hereby ADOPT the Report and Recommendation, (Doc. 14), in its entirety. The arbitration award requiring Respondent to pay Petitioners \$108,808.41, with interest to accrue at a rate of five and a half percent from the date of the award until the date of judgment, is affirmed. Petitioners are entitled to attorneys' fees and costs in the amount of \$727.50. Petitioners are also entitled to post-judgment interest at the rate provided for by 28 U.S.C. § 1961, from the date of entry of judgment until it is paid. The Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to enter judgment accordingly and close the case.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 2, 2017  
New York, New York

  
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Vernon S. Broderick  
United States District Judge