

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION

WALTER GUTHRIE, )  
Plaintiff, )  
 )  
v. )  
 )  
CAROLYN W. COLVIN, Acting Commissioner )  
of Social Security, )  
Defendant. )

**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE**

**CASE NO. 5:16-CV-8-D**

**Decision by Court.**

This action came before this Court for ruling as follows.

**IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED** that the Plaintiff shall be, and hereby is, awarded the sum of \$1,406.25 for attorney fees in full satisfaction of any and all claims against the Defendant arising under the EAJA, 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d), and upon the payment of such sum, the Defendant shall be discharged from any further liability for fees, costs or expenses up until this point in time; and

It is further ORDERED, that payment of such amounts shall be made directly to the Plaintiff's attorney. Provided that the award to Plaintiff is not subject to the Treasury Offset Program, payment will be made by check payable to Plaintiff's counsel, Brian Ricci and mailed to the office address above in accordance with Plaintiff's assignment to counsel of his right. to payment of attorney fees under EAJA. If the award is subject to Offset, the remaining fees, if any, will be payable to Plaintiff and sent to Plaintiff's counsel.

**This Judgment Filed and Entered on May 26, 2016, and Copies To:**

Brian M. Ricci (via CM/ECF Notice of Electronic Filing)  
Cassia W. Parson (via CM/ECF Notice of Electronic Filing)

DATE:

May 26, 2016

JULIE RICHARDS JOHNSTON, CLERK

(By) /s/ Nicole Briggeman

Deputy Clerk

