

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION

ADAN LOPEZ, FRANCISCO MENDEZ, EZEQUIEL )  
ABURTO-HERNANDEZ, ELENA RAFAEL-PERALTA, )  
JOSÉ PABLO SANDOVAL-MONTALVO, JOSÉ )  
JIMENEZ-OLIVAREZ, ALEJANDRO MARTINEZ-MENDEZ, )  
FRANCISCO PALACIOS-HERNANDEZ, HUMBERTO DE )  
LA LUZ ARMENTA, and ISAIAS ESPINOSA-VAZQUEZ, )  
on behalf of themselves and other similarly situated persons, )

Plaintiff, )

v. )

HAM FARMS, LLC f/k/a HAM FARMS, INC., HAM )  
PRODUCE, LLC f/k/a HAM PRODUCE COMPANY, INC., )  
ISMAEL PACHECO, PACHECO CONTRACTORS, INC., )  
HUGO MARTINEZ, GUTIERREZ HARVESTING, LLC, )  
ROBERTO TORRES-LOPEZ, 5 G HARVESTING, LLC, )  
RODRIGO GUTIERREZ-TAPIA, SR., CIRILA GARCIA- )  
PINEDA, BLADIMIR MORENO, and LOS VILLATOROS )  
HARVESTING, LLC, )

Defendants. )

) COLLECTIVE ACTION

) § 216(b)

) CLASS ACTION

) Civil Action No.:

) 5:17-CV-00329-D

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS' UNOPPOSED**  
**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY**

Upon consideration of Plaintiffs' Unopposed Motion for Leave to Appear


Telephonically, the Court, having considered the Motion, finds as follows:

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the Motion for Leave to Appear Telephonically is  
**GRANTED**. Plaintiffs' counsel Brian Corman and D. Michael Hancock shall have leave of  
Court to appear telephonically at the Final Fairness Hearing to be held on May 14, 2021 at 1:00  
PM in Courtroom 1.

Plaintiffs' counsel Brian Corman and D. Michael Hancock shall call the Court's teleconference line at (888) 684-8852 five minutes before the Final Fairness Hearing is to begin.

SO ORDERED.

This the 11 day of May 2021.

  
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THE HONORABLE JAMES C. DEVER III  
U.S. District Court Judge