

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION

JAMES POWELL, )  
 )  
 Plaintiff, )  
 )  
 v. )  
 )  
 KILOLO KIJAKAZI, Acting Commissioner of )  
 Social Security, )  
 Defendant. )

**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE**

**CASE NO. 5:17-CV-404-D**

**Decision by Court.**

This action came before this Court for ruling as follows.

**IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED** that Plaintiff’s counsel is awarded an attorney’s fee pursuant to the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 406(b), in the amount of \$23,649.00 (or 25% of Plaintiffs past-due benefits, whichever is less). Plaintiff’s counsel shall refund to Plaintiff fees he received under the Equal Access to Justice Act in the amount of \$4,400.00.

**This Judgment Filed and Entered on July 22, 2021, and Copies To:**

Mary Ellen Russell (via CM/ECF electronic notification)  
Cassia W. Parson (via CM/ECF electronic notification)

DATE:  
July 22, 2021

PETER A. MOORE, JR., CLERK  
(By) /s/ Nicole Sellers  
Deputy Clerk