

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION**

MICHAEL S.,	:	Case No. 1:18-cv-404
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Plaintiff,	:	Judge Timothy S. Black
	:	
vs.	:	Magistrate Judge Karen L. Litkovitz
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COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL	:	
SECURITY,	:	
	:	
Defendant.	:	

**DECISION AND ENTRY
ADOPTING THE REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION
OF THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE (Doc. 27)**

This case is before the Court pursuant to the Order of General Reference to United States Magistrate Judge Karen L. Litkovitz. Pursuant to such reference, the Magistrate Judge reviewed the pleadings and, on April 18, 2022, submitted a Report and Recommendation. (Doc. 27). No objections were filed.

The Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendation, is satisfied that there is nothing clearly erroneous or contrary to law on the face of the record, and accepts the Magistrate Judge’s recommendation. Fed. R. Civ. P. 72.

Accordingly:

1. The Report and Recommendation (Doc. 27) is hereby **ADOPTED**;
2. Plaintiff’s counsel’s 42 U.S.C. § 406(b)’s motion for attorney fees (Doc. 24) is **GRANTED**;
3. Plaintiff’s counsel is **AWARDED** attorney fees in the amount of \$9,700.00, which represents the fee request of \$15,000.00 minus the \$5,300.00 EAJA fee previously awarded; and,

4. The case remains terminated upon the Court's docket.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: 8/31/2022

s/Timothy S. Black
Timothy S. Black
United States District Judge