IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

PAUL EVERETT CUSTER,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Civil Action 2:16-cv-788 Chief Judge Edmund A. Sargus, Jr. Magistrate Judge Kimberly A. Jolson

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

ORDER

The parties' petition and Joint Stipulation to Attorney's Fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA"), 28 U.S.C. § 2412, requesting an award to Plaintiff of attorney's fees and expenses in the amount of \$4,400 is **GRANTED**. (ECF No. 17.) Accordingly, Plaintiff is **AWARDED** attorney's fees, expenses, and costs in the amount of \$4,400, payable to Plaintiff. If Plaintiff does not owe a debt to the United States, the Government should honor an assignment of Plaintiff's EAJA fees to her counsel.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

17-12-9017

DATE

EDMUND A. SARGUS, JR.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT CHIEF JUDGE