

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
WESTERN DIVISION AT DAYTON

PAULA HARDIN,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 3:16-cv-404

vs.

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

District Judge Thomas M. Rose

Magistrate Judge Michael J. Newman

Defendant.

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**ORDER: (1) APPROVING THE PARTIES' JOINT STIPULATION FOR AN AWARD UNDER THE EQUAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT ("EAJA") (DOC. 14); AND (2) AWARDED PLAINTIFF \$3,400.00 IN EAJA FEES AND COSTS**

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This Social Security disability benefits appeal is before the Court on the parties' joint stipulation in which they agree that Plaintiff should be awarded attorney's fees and costs under the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA"), 28 U.S.C. § 2412, in the amount of \$3,400.00. Doc. 14. Based upon the parties' stipulation in which they present no dispute that all requirements are met for the reasonable award of EAJA fees, the Court: (1) **APPROVES** the parties' joint stipulation (doc. 14); and (2) **GRANTS** Plaintiff EAJA fees and costs in the amount of \$3,400.00. As no further matters remain pending for review, this case remains **TERMINATED** upon the Court's docket.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Date: October 25, 2017

\*s/Thomas M. Rose

Thomas M. Rose

United States District Judge