IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ETHEL WILLIAMS	:	CIVIL ACTION
	:	
V.	:	NO. 09-3038
	:	
MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,	:	
Commissioner of Social Security	:	

ORDER

AND NOW, this 27th day of April, 2010, upon consideration of the brief in

support of request for review filed by plaintiff (Doc. No. 9), defendant's response, and the reply

thereto (Doc. Nos. 10 & 11) and having found after careful and independent consideration that

the record reveals that the Commissioner applied the correct legal standards and that the record

as a whole contains substantial evidence to support the ALJ's findings of fact and conclusions of

law, for the reasons set forth in the memorandum above, it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

- 1. JUDGMENT IS ENTERED IN FAVOR OF THE DEFENDANT, AFFIRMING THE DECISION OF THE COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY and the relief sought by plaintiff is DENIED; and
- 2. The Clerk of Court is hereby directed to mark this case closed.

__S/ Lowell A. Reed, Jr____ LOWELL A. REED, JR., Sr. J.