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IN THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

DEBRA STAVENTJORD,

Petitioner,

v.

MONTANA STATE FUND,

Respondent.

WCC No. 2000-0207

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OFFICE OF  
WORKERS' COMPENSATION JUDGE  
HELENA, MONTANA

ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT  
IMPLEMENTATION PROCESS AND  
FINAL LISTING OF POTENTIALLY  
ENTITLED CLAIMANTS

The Montana State Fund ("MSF") has reported to the Court regarding its plan for final implementation of the settlements it reached in two actions: *Stavenjord v. Montana State Fund*, WCC. No. 2000-0207 and *Reesor v. Montana State Fund*, WCC No. 2002-0676. MSF requests the Court approve the identification and implementation process emanating from the settlements and to issue an Order finalizing the list of those entitled to review for potential payments under the settlements. Good cause appearing therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the identification and settlement review process outlined by MSF in its Status Report and Motion for Finalization of Settlement is hereby approved. The final mailing list described in the Status Report and Motion shall encompass the final list of those claimants entitled to review for consideration of payments under the settlements.

Those claimants who return questionnaires sent by MSF shall receive from MSF a letter explaining its determination of final entitlement. Claimants receiving such letters shall have all rights under the Montana Workers' Compensation Act regarding review of entitlement.

Those claimants who return questionnaires sent by MSF who are determined by MSF not to be entitled to further entitlement shall receive a notification letter outlining the basis for such decision. Claimants receiving such letters shall have all rights under the Montana Workers' Compensation Act regarding review of entitlement.

Those claimants who do not return questionnaires are considered to have opted out of the settlements. MSF shall send denial letters to such claimants. Claimants receiving such letters shall have all rights under the Montana Workers' Compensation Act regarding review of entitlement.

The notice letters and questionnaires provided for review by MSF with its Status Report are approved for use in implementing the settlement.

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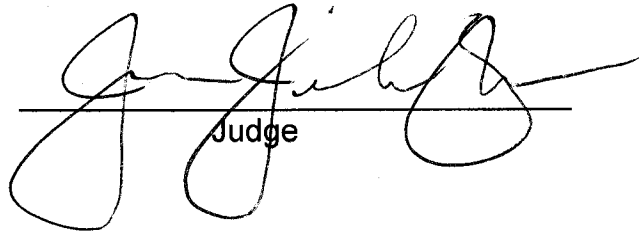
The Court retains jurisdiction of the matter during the settlement implementation process.

MSF shall file a Final Report with the Court upon completion of the settlement implementation process. At that time, the Court will dismiss the action, with prejudice.

Parallel Orders are being issued in both the *Stavenjord* and *Reesor* actions.

DATED this 8th day of March, 2012.



  
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Judge

c: Bradley J. Luck  
Thomas E. Martello  
Common Fund Distribution List