

- A lump sum of \$16,694.62, in the form of a check payable jointly to petitioner and petitioner’s attorney, Franklin J. Caldwell, for attorney’s fees and costs.
- A lump sum of \$12,168.54, payable jointly to petitioner and the Division of Medical Assistance, c/o Office of the Controller, Attn: Sybil Daniels, 2022 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-2022, which represents compensation for reimbursement of the State of North Carolina Medicaid lien.

Under the statute governing the Program, as well as the “Vaccine Rules” adopted by this court, the special master must now enter a decision endorsing that stipulation, and the clerk must enter judgment, in order to authorize payment of the award. See § 300aa-12(d)(3)(A) and (e)(3); § 300aa-13(a); Vaccine Rules 10(a), 11(a).³

I have reviewed the file, and based on that review, I conclude that the parties’ stipulation appears to be an appropriate one. Accordingly, my decision is that a Program award shall be made to petitioner in the amounts set forth above. In the absence of a timely-filed motion for review of this Decision, the clerk shall enter judgment in accordance herewith.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

 /s/ George L. Hastings, Jr.
George L. Hastings, Jr.
Special Master

³ The “Vaccine Rules of the United States Court of Federal Claims” are found in Appendix B of the Rules of the United States Court of Federal Claims.