

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

FRANKLIN BENJAMIN, <i>et. al.</i> ,	:	1:09-cv-1182
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Plaintiffs	:	
	:	
v.	:	
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ,	:	Hon. John E. Jones III
WELFARE OF THE	:	
COMMONWEALTH OF	:	
PENNSYLVANIA and GARY	:	
ALEXANDER, in his official capacity	:	
as Secretary of Public Welfare of the	:	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania	:	
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Defendants.	:	

ORDER

September 2, 2011

In accordance with the Memorandum entered on this date, it is hereby **ORDERED** as follows:

1. The Court **FINDS** that the Settlement Agreement is fair, reasonable, and adequate;
2. Plaintiffs’ Unopposed Motion for Final Approval of the Proposed Class Action Settlement Agreement (Doc. 260) is **GRANTED**;
3. The Settlement Agreement is **APPROVED**;
4. Plaintiffs’ Unopposed Motion for Attorneys’ Fees, Litigation Expenses, and Costs (Doc. 262) is **GRANTED**;
5. Defendants’ will pay Plaintiffs’ counsel the sum of \$432,500 for

attorneys' fees, litigation expenses, and costs incurred;

6. This action is hereby **DISMISSED** and the Clerk is directed to **CLOSE** this case; and
7. The Court expressly retains jurisdiction as set forth in the Settlement Agreement, in order to enter any further orders that may be necessary or appropriate in administering or implementing the terms and provisions of the settlement agreement.

/s/ John E. Jones III
John E. Jones III
United States District Judge