

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHER DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TALLAHASSEE DIVISION

Felix Garcia,
individually

Plaintiff,

vs.

Case No.: 4:07-CV-474-SPM/WCS

Kenneth S. Tucker,
in his official capacity
as Secretary of the
Florida Department of Corrections

Defendant.

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

Plaintiff, Felix Garcia, individually, and Defendant, Kenneth S. Tucker, in his official capacity as Secretary of the Florida Department of Corrections, mediated this case on August 2, 2012. The parties resolved their dispute under the following terms and conditions:

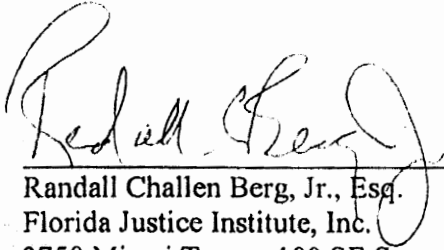
1. On or about February 22, 2012, the parties entered into that certain Settlement Agreement and Release of All Claims wherein, among other things, Defendant agreed to pay Plaintiff's counsels' reasonable attorney's fees, expenses and costs of litigation. The parties further agreed to mediate said claims in the event they could not be resolved through informal discussions.

2. Defendant agrees to pay and Plaintiff's counsels' agree to accept the total sum of \$237,500.00 in settlement of any and all claims for attorney's fees, expenses and costs of litigation filed, that could have been filed or that could later be filed against Defendant arising out of counsels' representation of Plaintiff in the above entitled matter. At counsels' request, the


settlement draft will be made payable to the trust account of Florida Justice Institute, Inc., which will be responsible for disbursing any payment to Jacksonville Area Legal Aid, Inc.

3. The parties further agree to file a Joint Voluntary Dismissal with Prejudice.
4. Mediation costs will be paid by Defendant.

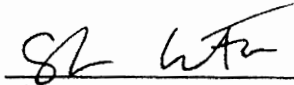
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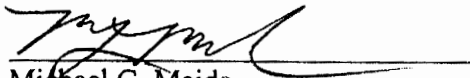
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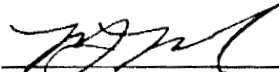
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MEDIATION REPORT

The parties mediated this case on August 2, 2012 and hereby report to the Court that all issues have been resolved and the case settled at mediation.

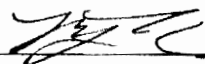
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by U.S. Mail/Electronic Mail/ or Hand Delivered to Randall Challen Berg, Jr., Esq., Florida Justice Institute, Inc., 3750 Miami Tower, 100 SE Second Street, Miami, FL 33131-2309 and Susan A. Maher, Esq., Chief Assistant Attorney General, 400 South Monroe St., #PL01, Tallahassee, FL 32399-6536 this 2d day of August, 2012.



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