

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF FEDERAL CLAIMS

OFFICE OF SPECIAL MASTERS

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FRANCES CAMPBELL,	*	
	*	No. 07-465V
Petitioner,	*	Special Master Christian J. Moran
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v.	*	Filed: August 7, 2012
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SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,	*	Attorneys' fees and costs; award
	*	in the amount to which respondent
	*	does not object.
Respondent.	*	

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UNPUBLISHED DECISION¹

Michael A. London, Douglas & London, New York, NY, for Petitioner;
Lisa A. Watts, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C., for Respondent.

Petitioner Frances Campbell filed her application for attorneys' fees and costs on July 19, 2012. The Court awards the amount to which respondent has not objected.

Ms. Campbell claimed that the trivalent influenza vaccine caused the onset of rheumatoid arthritis. The Court found that Ms. Campbell was entitled to compensation. Opinion and Order, filed March 22, 2011. The amount of compensation was based upon the Secretary's proffer to which Ms. Campbell did not object. Decision, filed Oct. 19, 2011. Because Ms. Campbell received compensation, she is entitled to an award of attorneys' fees and costs. 42 U.S.C. § 300aa-15(e).

Ms. Campbell seeks **\$72,040.00** in attorneys' fees and **\$32,169.51** in costs for petitioner's counsel. Additionally, Ms. Campbell filed a statement of costs in compliance with General Order No. 9, stating that she incurred **\$1,191.22** while pursuing this claim. Respondent stated that she had no objection to this application for attorneys' fees and costs.

After reviewing the request, the court awards the following:

¹ The E-Government Act of 2002, Pub. L. No. 107-347, 116 Stat. 2899, 2913 (Dec. 17, 2002), requires that the Court post this decision on its website. Pursuant to Vaccine Rule 18(b), the parties have 14 days to file a motion proposing redaction of medical information or other information described in 42 U.S.C. § 300aa-12(d)(4). Any redactions ordered by the special master will appear in the document posted on the website.

- 1. A lump sum payment of \$104,209.51 in the form of a check payable to petitioner's attorney**, Michael A. London, of the law firm Douglas & London, P.C., and petitioner, Frances Campbell, for attorney's fees and costs available under 42 U.S.C. § 300aa-15(e).
- 2. A lump sum payment of \$1,191.22 in the form of a check payable to petitioner**, Frances Campbell.

The court thanks the parties for their cooperative efforts in resolving this matter.

The Clerk shall enter judgment accordingly.²

IT IS SO ORDERED.

S/ Christian J. Moran

Christian J. Moran
Special Master

² Pursuant to Vaccine Rule 11(a), the parties can expedite entry of judgment by each party filing a notice renouncing the right to seek review by a United States Court of Federal Claims judge.