

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

DARRYL PELICHET, *et al.*

CASE NO. 2:18-cv-11385

Plaintiffs,

HON. JUDGE ANTHONY P. PATTI

v.

ELIZABETH HERTEL, *et al.*,

Defendants.

**STIPULATED ORDER APPROVING  
FINAL SETTLEMENT  
AGREEMENT BETWEEN MPAS  
AND MDHHS AND DISMISSING  
MPAS' CLAIMS AGAINST MDHHS  
AND ELIZABETH HERTEL WITH  
PREJUDICE**

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On July 20, 2021, Plaintiff Michigan Protection and Advocacy Service, Inc. (MPAS) and Defendant Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) entered into a Final Settlement Agreement. (Final Agreement, attached as Exhibit 1.)

Under Paragraph 16 of the Final Agreement, MPAS and MDHHS agreed that, upon its execution, MPAS and MDHHS would jointly move the Court for approval of the Final Agreement and dismissal of MPAS' claims against MDHHS and MDHHS Director Elizabeth Hertel with prejudice. The parties agree that with the entry of this Order, all of MPAS' claims in this matter against MDHHS and its employees have been dismissed with prejudice.

Accordingly, MPAS and MDHHS now stipulate that this Court approve the attached Final Agreement and dismiss MPAS' claims against MDHHS and Elizabeth Hertel with prejudice.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: July 22, 2021

s/Anthony P. Patti  
Hon. Anthony P. Patti

Stipulated and Approved for Entry:

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| <u>/s/ Simon Zagata (w/ permission)</u><br>Simon Zagata (P83162)<br>Attorney for Plaintiff MPAS<br><br>Dated: July 20, 2021 | <u>/s/ Katherine J. Bennett</u><br>Katherine J. Bennett (P75913)<br>Attorney for MDHHS Defendants<br><br>Dated: July 20, 2021 |
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