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

S.R., by and through his next friend, : Allison Ware: THEODORE SMITH, by :

and through his next friend, Ashley

Maddison; S.H., by and through her next friend, Julia Shmilovich;

M.T., by and through his next friend,

Ashley Maddison; N.C., by and : through his next friend, Sue Walther; :

CHRYSTAL STEWARD, by and

through her next friend, Deborah

Fegan, on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs

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PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF

HUMAN SERVICES and VALERIE A.

ARKOOSH, in her capacity as Secretary of the Department of

Human Services,

AND NOW, to wit, this

Defendants

No. 1:17cv2332

(Judge Munley)

day of October 2024, upon consideration of

ORDER

the parties' joint status report. (Doc. 78), it is hereby **ORDERED** that on or before

November 8, 2024, the parties shall submit a joint status report providing the

results of the recent in-person meetings involving counsel and representatives of

the parties and indicating whether a settlement conference with a United States

Magistrate Judge would be productive at this time.

BY THE COURT:

JUDGE JULIA K. MUNLEY
United States District Court