## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA SOUTHERN DIVISION

Class They Seek to Represent	)
Represent,	ĺ
Plaintiffs,	)
v.	) CIVIL ACTION NO: 2:05-CV-01359-VEH
UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION,	)
Defendant.	) )

## FINAL ORDER AND JUDGMENT

Pending before the court is the parties' Joint Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement (Doc. 59) (the "Joint Motion") filed on February 13, 2009. In accordance with the Memorandum Opinion Approving Class Action Settlement and Supporting Final Order and Judgment (the "Opinion"), the Joint Motion is **GRANTED**.

More specifically, it is **ORDERED** (1) that the parties' Class Action Settlement is **HEREBY FINALLY APPROVED** pursuant to all applicable requirements under Rule 23 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, (2) that the settling parties, including any non-excluded class members, are **HEREBY BOUND** by the terms of the Agreement, the Opinion, and this Final Order and Judgment over which the court retains jurisdiction and which cannot be modified absent a written court order, and (3) that this case is **HEREBY DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** with costs, expenses, and fees to be paid as agreed by the parties.

**DONE** and **ORDERED** this the 2nd day of March, 2009.

VIRGINIA EMERSON HOPKINS

United States District Judge