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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

LOUIS HAMILTON, et al.

CIVIL ACTION

VERSUS

NUMBER 69-2443 and consolidated cases

ERNEST N. MORIAL, MAYOR, et al.

SECTION "LIM"

## STIPULATION

All parties plaintiff and defendant hereto, appearing herein through undersigned counsel, hereby stipulate and agree that modifications and changes are necessary with respect to the current system of delivery of psychiatric services to all persons incarcerated in the Orleans Parish Prison System. Accordingly, the parties hereby stipulate and agree that there is no necessity for conducting a trial on May 1, 1991, as scheduled, with regard to the necessity of modifications and changes in the current system of delivery of psychiatric services. The parties further stipulate and agree that they will submit to the Court by April 26, 1991 a proposed plan which will incorporate modifications and changes to the current system of delivery of psychiatric services which plan will have been reviewed and approved by the attorneys for the plaintiffs and defendants. If agreement is reached with respect thereto by all parties the plan shall be submitted to the Court for approval and adoption as an order of the Court. The parties further hereby stipulate and agree that if they are unable to arrive at an agreement with respect to a proposed plan to be

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submitted to the court for issuance as a court order, then on May 1, 1991, the Court will proceed forward to hear evidence only with regard to the type and extent of modifications and changes which should be made in the delivery of psychiatric services, the issue of the need for such modifications and changes being pretermitted by this stipulation.

It is further stipulated and agreed by all parties that the parties do not, by signing this stipulation, agree to any proportional responsibility, legal, factual or financial, for the aforedescribed need for and implementation of modifications and changes in the delivery of psychiatric services. The parties expressly reserve for a later determination the percentage, if any, of legal, factual or financial responsibility that may be appropriate as to any party with respect to the need for and implementation of modifications and changes in this system of delivery of psychiatric services.

All parties agree that all rights of all parties defendant to contest an award, if any, of attorney fees and costs of plaintiffs are hereby reserved.

Respectfully submitted,

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