UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

JOY EVANS, et.al.,)
Plaintiffs,)
&)
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) Civil Action No. 76-cv-0293 (ESH)
Plaintiff-Intervenor,)
v.)
VINCENT GRAY, et al.,)
Defendants.)
)

ORDER

Pursuant to the "2010 Revision to the 2001 Plan for Compliance and Conclusion of *Evans v. Fenty*," ("2010 Plan"), the Special Master, Clarence J. Sundram, has submitted a report and recommendation regarding defendants' certification of partial compliance with the goal of protection from harm. (*See* Special Master's Report and Recommendation Regarding Protection From Harm, August 15, 2013 [ECF No. 1402].) Under the 2010 Plan, there are 12 criteria for determining compliance with the protection from harm goal. (*Id.* at 2.) On February 25, 2013, defendants filed a partial Certification of Compliance with the Special Master, asserting compliance with 10 of the 12 criteria and a stated intent to develop Plans of Corrections for the remaining two criteria. (*Id.*) Subsequently, defendants withdrew the Certification of

¹ The 2010 Plan was filed on July 13, 2010 [ECF No. 1200], and approved on August 10, 2010 [ECF No. 1204].

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Compliance as to 5 of the 10 submitted criteria and the parties agreed that substantial compliance

had been achieved as to the remaining 5 criteria. The Special Master now recommends that the

Court find that defendants are in compliance with these 5 criteria (criteria vi, vii, ix, x and xi).

The parties had 30 days to file objections to the Special Master's report. No objections have

been filed.

Accordingly, upon consideration of the Special Master's Report and Recommendation,

the lack of any objections thereto, and the entire record herein, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Court **APPROVES AND ADOPTS** the Special Master's Report

and Recommendation Regarding Protection from Harm [ECF No. 1402]; and it is further

ORDERED that defendants have achieved compliance with criteria vi, vii, ix, x and xi, 5

of the 12 criteria for achieving compliance with Goal B, Protection from Harm.

ELLEN SEGAL HUVELLE

United States District Judge

Date: September 16, 2013

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