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Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission  
Office of Administrative Law Judges

THOMAS F. MURPHY,  
COMPLAINANT  
v.

COMPLAINT OF DISCRIMINATION

Docket No. PENN 83-150-D

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY,  
RESPONDENT

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ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT

Before: Judge Kennedy

This matter is before me on the parties' stipulation and motion to approve settlement. Counsel advises that companion proceedings pending before the Departments of Labor and Interior have or will be dismissed on the basis of the same stipulation.

Based on an independent evaluation and de novo review of the circumstances, I find the settlement proposed is in the interest of complainant and in accord with the purposes and policy of the Mine Health and Safety Act.

Accordingly, it is ORDERED the settlement proposed be, and hereby is, APPROVED. It is FURTHER ORDERED that the monies due complainant be paid FORTHWITH and that subject to payment and the filing of the parties' settlement sheet the captioned matter be, and hereby is, DISMISSED with prejudice.

Joseph B. Kennedy  
Administrative Law Judge