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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

BETTY JOHNSON, on behalf of herself, and as
a representative of a class of similarly-situated
persons,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ARNOLD I. PALACIOS, Governor of the
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
("CNMI"), *et al.*,

Defendants.

CIVIL CASE NO. 09-00023

ORDER

The court hereby schedules this matter for a status hearing on Friday, October 20, 2023, at 1:30 p.m., at which time the appointed Settlement Fund Trustee, Civile & Tang, PLLC, acting by and through its principal representative Joyce C.H. Tang, shall present an update on the status of the Settlement Fund. Ms. Tang shall file a status report with the court no later than Wednesday, October 18, 2023.

The court further orders the following individuals to appear for the status hearing:

- Hon. Arnold I. Palacios, Governor of the CNMI, or, in his absence, Hon. David M. Apatang, Lt. Governor of the CNMI; and
- Secretary of Finance Tracy B. Norita.

Class counsel may participate in the hearing by Zoom.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



/s/ Frances M. Tydingco-Gatewood
Designated Judge
Dated: Oct 13, 2023