UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

TIMOTHY PIGFORD, et al.,)
Plaintiffs,)
v.) Civil Action No. 97-1978 (PLF)
ANN VENEMAN, Secretary, United States Department of Agriculture,)))
Defendant.)))
CECIL BREWINGTON, et al.,))
Plaintiffs,)
V.) Civil Action No. 98-1693 (PLF)
ANN VENEMAN, Secretary, United States Department of Agriculture,)))
Defendant.))

<u>ORDER</u>

For the reasons stated in the Opinion issued this same day, it is hereby

ORDERED that the "Notice of Unprofessional Conduct by Michael Sitcov in

Connection with Allegations of Department of Justice/Attorney Misconduct in Direct Relation to

Class Members Cases and Defendant's Appeals of Arbitrator Awards," filed on December 22,

2004, shall be STRICKEN from the record; it is

FURTHER ORDERED that the "Notice of Environmental Working Group Communication with Assistant Attorney General Peter D. Keisler Regarding Allegations of

Department of Justice/Attorney Misconduct in Direct Relation to Class Members Cases and

Defendants's Appeals of Arbitrator Awards," filed on December 23, 2004, shall be STRICKEN

from the record; it is

FURTHER ORDERED that movants' Motion for a Status Conference or Hearing

Seeking Inquiry into the Track A and Track B Cases Handled by Margaret O'Shea and on

Allegations of Department of Justice/Attorney Misconduct in Direct Relation to Class Members

Cases and Defendant's Appeals of Arbitrator Awards and Other Matters as May be Determined

by the Court [1076] is DENIED. Class counsel has already filed a motion on this subject for the

Court's consideration; it is

FURTHER ORDERED that movants' Amended Motion for Emergency Status

Conference or Hearing Seeking Inquiry into the Track A and Track B Cases Handled by

Margaret O'Shea and on Allegations of Department of Justice/Attorney Misconduct in Direct

Relation to Class Members Cases and Defendant's Appeals of Arbitrator Awards and Other

Matters as May be Determined by the Court and Request for Expedited Ruling [1080] is

DENIED. Class counsel has already filed a motion on this subject for the Court's consideration;

and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that any "Notice" filed from this date forward which is

not a proper notice that serves a genuine purpose related to a matter to be resolved by the Court

in this litigation shall be STRICKEN from the docket of the Court.

SO ORDERED.

PAUL L. FRIEDMAN

DATE:

United States District Judge

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