## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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

## <u>ORDER</u>

Upon consideration of the Monitor's Report on Debt Relief Implementation (filed March 31, 2009), and for the reasons stated therein, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Monitor shall continue to work with the parties to review, correct, and verify the United States Department of Agriculture's debt relief implementation for all prevailing claimants who may be entitled to debt relief; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that, on or before June 30, 2009, the Monitor shall report

to the Court regarding the parties' progress with respect to debt relief implementation, including

(1) the steps taken to implement a system to manage the tax consequences of debt relief, and

(2) the preparation of a complete list of class members whose cases must be reviewed in order to

ensure that debt relief has been fully implemented.

SO ORDERED.

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PAUL L. FRIEDMAN United States District Judge

DATE: April 20, 2009