

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

ANTHONY WILLIAMS, et al.

Plaintiffs,

v.

**DUKE ENERGY INTERNATIONAL,
INC., et al.**

Defendants.

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Case No.: 1:08-CV-00046

Chief Judge Edmund A. Sargus

Magistrate Judge Norah M. King

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR
SECOND CLASS DISTRIBUTION ORDER**

This matter comes before the Court on Plaintiffs' May 10, 2017 unopposed Motion for Second Class Distribution Order, pursuant to Rule 23 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. In support, the Motion contains a Memorandum of Law, and two declarations. These declarations include supplementary information detailing the claims process undertaken by Plaintiffs' Counsel and the Settlement Claims Administrator, the Garden City Group ("GCG") since the Order Granting Plaintiffs' Motion for Class Distribution Order (ECF No. 277, "Initial Distribution Order"). The Motion for Second Class Distribution Order requests the Court to approve and reject certain claims that have been reviewed since the Initial Distribution Order, and approve certain expenses that have been incurred related to that review.

The Court has reviewed the Motion and the supporting documents, and hereby **GRANTS** the Motion.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED:

1. This Court approves claims that the Plaintiffs' Counsel has determined, based on the Claims Administrator's recommendation, should be deemed valid upon review, as set forth in Exhibits A-1 and A-2 to the Declaration of Jose Fraga.

2. This Court approves the rejection of claims that Plaintiffs' Counsel, and the Claims Administrator, have determined to be ineligible upon further review, as set forth in Exhibits A-3 and A-4 to the Declaration of Jose Fraga.

3. This Court approves payment of technical support expenses to database consultant Media Stew of \$18,412.00 from the fund identified in paragraph 16(d) of the Stipulation.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

5-11-2017
DATE



EDMUND A. SARGUS, JR.
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE