

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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MIKEISHA BLACKMAN, <u>et al.</u> ,	)	
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Plaintiffs,	)	
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v.	)	Civil Action No. 97-1629 (PLF)
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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, <u>et al.</u> ,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	
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JAMES JONES, <u>et al.</u> ,	)	
	)	Civil Action No. 97-2402 (PLF)
Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	
v.	)	
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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, <u>et al.</u> ,	)	
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Defendants.	)	
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ORDER

Circuit Judge David S. Tatel has graciously agreed to mediate the above-captioned cases, along with Amy Totenberg, Esquire, in an effort to finally resolve and finally settle all outstanding issues in both cases which are now scheduled for trial beginning on November 14, 2005. Accordingly, consistent with the terms of the consent order on mediation submitted jointly by the parties and signed this same day, the Court hereby appoints

the Honorable David S. Tatel and Amy Totenberg, Esquire, as co-mediators in the above-captioned cases.

SO ORDERED.

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
PAUL L. FRIEDMAN  
United States District Judge

DATE: May 17, 2005