BEFORE THE
MERIT SYSTEM PROTECTION BOARD
FOR
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

IN THE MATTER OF	*	
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APPELLANT,	*	
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AND	*	**CASE NOS. 18-03, 18-10, 18-11**
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MONTGOMERY COUNTY	*	
GOVERNMENT,	*	
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EMPLOYER	*	
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ORDER ACCEPTING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

Appellant filed the three above captioned appeals with the Merit System Protection Board (MSPB or Board). The three appeals pertain to two grievances and Appellant's non-disciplinary termination. On December 3, 2018, the parties filed a fully executed settlement agreement with the Board resolving all three appeals. Pursuant to Montgomery County Personnel Regulations (MCPR), § 35-15(b), the MSPB retains jurisdiction to interpret and enforce the terms of the settlement agreement.
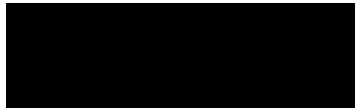
The Board finds that it has jurisdiction to accept the settlement agreement into the record. MCPR § 35-15; MSPB Case No. 17-12 (2017); MSPB Case No. 16-10 (2016); MSPB Case No. 15-24 (2015). *Cf., Pleshaw v. OPM*, 98 M.S.P.R. 478, 480 (2005). The Board has reviewed the settlement agreement carefully and notes that the settlement agreement is lawful on its face, that Appellant was represented by counsel, and that the agreement was freely entered into by the parties. *Id.*; *McGann v. Department of Housing and Urban Development*, 56 M.S.P.R. 17, 18 (1992). Therefore, the Board agrees to accept the settlement agreement into the record.

Accordingly, the Board hereby **ORDERS**:

1. That the settlement agreement filed by the parties in these matters be entered into the Board's records;

2. That the appeals in Case Nos. 18-03, 18-10, and 18-11 be and hereby are **DISMISSED** as settled;

3. That within 60 calendar days of this Order the County provide the Board with written certification, copied to Appellant, that it has fully implemented the terms of the settlement agreement;

4. That the Board will retain jurisdiction over any disputes that arise concerning the interpretation or enforcement of the settlement agreement.

For the Board
December 5, 2018

Angela Franco
Chair