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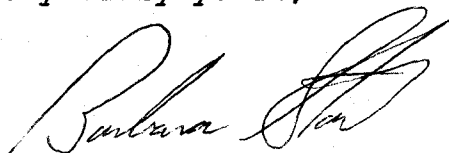
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RE: Urban League, et al. v. Carteret, et al.

Dear Mr. Paley:

Enclosed please find copy of Consent Order as to Attorneys' Fees entered in the above matter.

Very truly yours,



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-----:		SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
URBAN LEAGUE OF GREATER	:	CHANCERY DIVISION-
NEW BRUNSWICK, et al.,	:	MIDDLESEX COUNTY
Plaintiffs,		
		Civil Action
v.	:	
		Docket # C-4122-73
THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF	:	
THE BOROUGH OF CARTERET,	:	
et al.,	:	CONSENT ORDER AS TO
Defendants.	:	ATTORNEYS' FEES
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WHEREFORE, plaintiffs have sought counsel fees and costs for all services rendered in connection with the matter entitled Urban League v. Carteret, Docket No. C-4122-73, and the Appellate Division having remanded the matter for a determination whether plaintiffs can show a prima facie case entitling them to such fees (222 N.J. Super. 131 (1987)), and the New Jersey Supreme Court having granted defendants' Petition for Certification and plaintiffs' Cross Petition for Certification on March 21, 1988; and defendant Plainsboro having settled the underlying litigation by Consent Order dated June 10, 1988;

It is, on this 22 day of June, 1988,

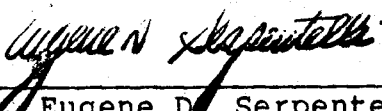
ORDERED, that:

1. Defendant Plainsboro shall pay the Civic League plaintiffs Thirty Thousand (\$30,000) Dollars in full and final settlement of all claims for attorneys' fees to date. Payment shall be made simultaneously with the execution of this Consent Order;

2. Defendant Plainsboro does not acknowledge any liability for plaintiffs' attorneys' fees and both parties acknowledge that there has been no finding of racial discrimination on the part of the Township. Plainsboro is entering into this Agreement primarily in order to avoid future litigation costs in connection with plaintiffs' claims for attorneys' fees.

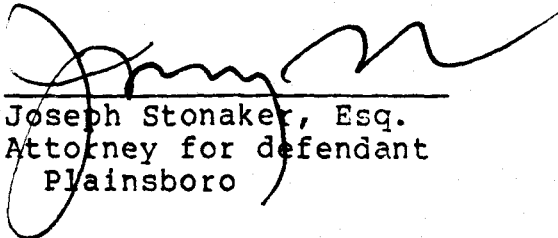
3. Plaintiffs agree that they shall not settle claims for attorneys' fees with any other defendant in this litigation for less than Thirty Thousand (\$30,000) Dollars unless there is a change in the law justifying a lesser settlement.

4. Nothing set forth herein shall be construed to constitute a waiver of fees to which plaintiffs may be entitled in connection with the enforcement of this Order or the Consent Order dated June 10, 1988.



Hon. Eugene D. Serpentelli, A.J.S.C.

The undersigned hereby consent
to the form, substance and entry
of the within order.



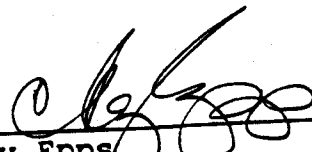
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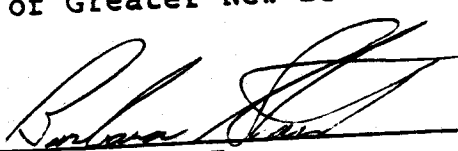
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