

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

LEONARD MEEKS and MARTELL )  
BUCHANAN, as co-Special Administrators )  
of the Estate of Joyce Meeks, deceased, )  
 )  
Plaintiffs, )  
v. )  
 )  
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL )  
SERVICES, STATE OF NEBRASKA, )  
ROBERT P. HOUSTON, Director of the )  
Department of Correctional Services, State of )  
Nebraska, JEREMY DOBBE, and JOHN DOE, )  
 )  
Defendants. )

CASE NO. CI 14-641

ORDER

CLERK OF THE  
DISTRICT COURT

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LANCASTER COUNTY

**THIS MATTER** comes before the Court on the parties' joint Application for Approval of Settlement between Leonard Meeks and Martell Buchanan, as co-Special Administrators of the Estate of Joyce Meeks, deceased, and Department of Correctional Services, State of Nebraska, Robert P. Houston, Director of the Department of Correctional Services, State of Nebraska, Jeremy Dobbe, and John Doc, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 81-8,211. The Court finds it has been provided the information required pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 81-8,211, and hereby approves the Application for Approval submitted by the parties.

**WHEREFORE** the District Court of Lancaster County, Nebraska hereby approves settlement of the Estate of Joyce Meeks' claim against the State and other Defendants asserted in Case No. CI 14-641 in the amount of \$2,000,000.00 pursuant to the terms of the application and subject to review by the Nebraska Legislature and specific appropriations made therefor. *AK*

Dated this 10th day of April, 2014.

By the Court:

*[Signature]*  
District Court Judge  
PAUL D. MERRITT, JR.

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