EXHIBIT C

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

NATIONAL VETERANS LEGAL	
SERVICES PROGRAM, NATIONAL	
CONSUMER LAW CENTER, and	
ALLIANCE FOR JUSTICE, for themselves	
and all others similarly situated,	
Plaintiffs,	

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 16-0745 (PLF)

STIPULATION AND SECOND AMENDMENT TO CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

Through this Stipulation and Second Amendment, the parties agree to the following

modification to the Class Action Settlement Agreement, executed by counsel for Plaintiffs on July

27, 2022 and counsel for Defendant on July 12, 2022 (the "Agreement").

Paragraph 21 of the Agreement shall be replaced with the following language:

21. The Administrator shall complete disbursement of each Class Member's individual share of the recovery, calculated in accordance with the formula set forth in the previous two paragraphs, within 180 days of receipt of the Aggregate amount, or within 180 days after receiving from the Administrative Office the information set forth in paragraph 14 above, whichever is later. The Administrator shall complete disbursement of the amounts for attorney fees and litigation expenses to Class Counsel, and service awards to the named plaintiffs, within 30 days of the receipt of the Aggregate Amount.

Paragraph 23 of the Agreement shall be replaced with the following language:

23. **Second Distribution.** If, despite these efforts, unclaimed or undistributed funds remain in the Settlement Trust 180 days after the Administrator has made the distribution described in paragraph 21, those funds ("the Remaining Amount After

First Distribution") shall be distributed to Class Members as follows. First, the only Class Members who will be eligible for a second distribution will be those who (1) paid a total amount of more than \$350 in PACER fees for use of PACER during the Class Period, and (2) deposited or otherwise collected their payment from the first distribution, as confirmed by the Administrator. Second, the Administrator shall determine the number of Class Members who satisfy these two requirements and are therefore eligible for a second distribution. Third, the Administrator shall then distribute to each such Class Member an equal allocation of the Remaining Amount After First Distribution, subject to the caveat that no Class Member may receive a total recovery (combining the first and second distributions) that exceeds the total amount of PACER fees that the Class Member paid for use of PACER during the Class Period. The entire amount of the Remaining Amount After First Distribution will be allocated in the Second Distribution. To the extent a payment is made to a Class Member by the Administrator by check, any check that remains uncashed 180 days after the Administrator has made the distribution described in paragraph 21, shall be void, and the amounts represented by that uncashed check shall revert to the Settlement Trust for the Second Distribution. Prior to making the Second Distribution, the Administrator will notify in writing the Administrative Office's Office of General Counsel and the Administrative Office's Court Services Office at the following addresses that unclaimed or undistributed funds remain in the Settlement Trust.

If to the Administrative Office's Court Services Office:

Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building Court Services Office One Columbus Circle, N.E., Ste. 4-500 Washington, DC 20544

If to the Administrative Office's Office of General Counsel:

Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building Office of General Counsel One Columbus Circle, N.E. Ste. 7-290 Washington, DC 20544

The remainder of Agreement remains unchanged by this Stipulation and Second Amendment.

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