

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	
v.	:	No: 16-cv-1731 (MCA) (MAH)
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CITY OF NEWARK,	:	<b>ORDER AMENDING PARAGRAPHS</b>
	:	<b>208 AND 209 OF</b>
Defendant.	:	<b>THE CONSENT DECREE</b>
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**THIS MATTER HAVING BEEN OPENED TO THE COURT** pursuant to a status conference held on December 13, 2016; and appearances having been made by the United States of America and the City of Newark (collectively, “the Parties”); and the Independent Monitor having participated in the status conference; and the Court having discussed with both the Parties and the Independent Monitor various issues, including the Parties’ timely review of the Independent Monitor’s monthly statement and the City’s replenishment of funds to the Court Registry as required by the terms of the Consent Decree entered by the Court on May 5, 2016 (Doc. 5); and based upon the reasons stated on the record at the December 13, 2016 status conference; and good and sufficient cause having been shown;

IT IS ON THIS 20 day of December, 2016

**ORDERED** that Paragraphs 208 and 209 of the Consent Decree (Doc. 5) are hereby amended as follows:

1. Paragraph 209 is amended to shorten the time period within which the Parties are to review and approve the Monitor's monthly statement, from 30 days after submission, to within 14 days after submission of the statement by the Monitor to the Parties.

2. Paragraph 208 is amended to shorten the time period within which the City of Newark is required to replenish the fund held with the Court Registry prescribed by Paragraph 208, from 45 days of the entry of each Order directing payment to the Monitor, to within 30 days of the entry of each Order directing payment to the Monitor;

3. Paragraph 208 is amended to increase the total minimum balance the City of Newark is required to maintain with the Court Registry as set forth in Paragraph 208, from a total minimum balance of \$100,000.00, to a total minimum balance of \$125,000.00;

**SO ORDERED.**



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HONORABLE MADELINE COX ARLEO  
United States District Court