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Issue Date: 09 April 2012In the Matter of:

THERESA NEUSCHAFER Complainant

v. 2007 SOX 00042

PAREXEL INTERNATIONAL LLC. Respondent

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Before: Daniel F. Solomon, Administrative Law Judge

ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT DISMISSAL OF CLAIM

This case arises under the whistleblower provisions of Section 806 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 ("the Act" or "SOX"), 18 U.S.C. § 1514A, as amended. A hearing was set for March 6, 2012 in Washington. However, in a telephone conference February 17, 2012, the parties jointly advised that the case has settled and a hearing is unnecessary. I cancelled the hearing.

On April 4, 2012 I received a Stipulation of Dismissal. I hereby render the following findings:

- 1. The Agreement appears to effectuate the purposes and policies of SOX.
- 2. The parties have waived any further proceedings before the U.S. Department of Labor regarding the matters which are the subject of their agreement.
- 3. The instant order shall have the same force and effect as one made after a hearing on the merits.
- 4. Counsel represent that they have authority to release all pending claims within my jurisdiction.

5. No other collateral claims are affected.

Based on the foregoing, and in accordance with the parties' Agreement, it is ORDERED that:

- 1. The Agreement is **APPROVED**.
- 2. The complaint and appeal in this matter are **DISMISSED** with prejudice.

SO ORDERED

ADANIEL F. SOLOMON Administrative Law Judge