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CASE NO. 2010-STA-63

In the Matter of:

MATTHEW LINDEMEIER, Complainant

v.

MCLANE MINNESOTA, Respondent

## DECISION AND ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSING WITH PREJUDICE

This case arises under Section 405, the employee protection provision of the Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1982, 49 U.S.C.A. § 31105 (West 2003), and the implementing regulations at 29 C.F.R. Part 1978 (2006). A hearing was held on April 19, 2011, in Minneapolis, Minnesota. There came a time during the hearing that the parties informed me that they reached an amicable settlement. On May 2, 2011, Paul O. Taylor, Esquire, submitted Complainant's Unopposed Motion to Approve Settlement and Dismiss with Prejudice.

I have read the Settlement Agreement and General Release signed by the parties and find that the settlement is fair, adequate and reasonable. I approve the settlement agreement as set forth and recommend dismissal, with prejudice.

SO ORDERED.

A MICHAEL P. LESNIAK Administrative Law Judge