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Issue Date: 19 April 2016

CASE NO.: 2015-STA-00060

*In the Matter of:* 

KENNETH CLARK,

Complainant,

vs.

SUNSET CARTAGE, INC., and FRED AMATO,

Respondents.

## ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT

This is a claim under the employee-protection provisions of the Surface Transportation Assistance Act, 49 U.S.C. § 31105 ("the Act").

The parties submit for approval, under 29 C.F.R. §1978.111, subsection (d)(2), their "Settlement Agreement and Release of Claims" (the "agreement"). The parties entered into the agreement after mediation of their claim with Department of Labor mediator Beth Slavet.

Having reviewed the agreement, the court finds the agreed settlement is equitable and adequate, and not procured by duress. The court approves the agreement.

SO ORDERED.

CHRISTOPHER LARSEN Administrative Law Judge