UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Issue Date: 08 May 2019

CASE NO.: 2018-STA-00023

In the Matter of:

BERNARD STEWART, Complainant,

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DOHRN TRANSFER COMPANY, INC., *Respondent*.

ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSING COMPLAINT

This proceeding arises from a complaint of discrimination filed under the employee protection provisions of Section 405 of the Surface Transportation Assistance Act ("STAA"), as amended, 49 U.S.C. § 31105 and the procedural regulations found at 29 C.F.R. Part 1978.

On April 15, 2019, the parties in the above captioned matter submitted a Confidential General Release & Waiver Agreement, in accordance with 29 C.F.R. §1978.111(d)(2), resolving this matter and seeking approval of the settlement. I have reviewed the terms of the parties' settlement agreement and determined it constitutes a fair, adequate, and reasonable settlement of the complaint.

Accordingly it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

- 1. The Settlement Agreement and Release are **APPROVED**; and
- 2. The Complaint is **DISMISSED** with prejudice.

SO ORDERED.

TIMOTHY J. McGRATH

Administrative Law Judge

Boston, Massachusetts