

STATE OF FLORIDA
DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

LORAIN C. NIEKOOP, on behalf
and as parent and natural
guardian of ELIJAH TURNER, a
minor,

Petitioner,

vs.

Case No. 11-4402N

FLORIDA BIRTH-RELATED
NEUROLOGICAL INJURY COMPENSATION
ASSOCIATION,

Respondent.

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FINAL ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION

This cause came on for consideration upon the Stipulation Pertaining to Lump Sum Payment for Bathroom and/or Handicap Modifications of Dwelling (Stipulation) filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on September 5, 2019, by Petitioner, Loraine Niekoop, and Respondent, Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Association.

Petitioner and Respondent have come to an agreement regarding a claim filed by Petitioner for bathroom and/or handicap modifications. They have agreed as follows:

Respondent agrees to pay Petitioner \$12,231.48 as a one-time only, lump sum payment for any and all bathroom and/or handicap modifications forever required for any residence.

Petitioner(s) agree(s) and accept(s) this one-time payment as a full and final payment towards bathroom and/or handicap modifications to his/her/their current house located at 1101 NW 149th TERRACE, MIAMI, FL 33168, and agrees that said payment precludes Petitioner's entitlement to any future payment from NICA for bathroom and/or handicap modifications for this house or any other house purchased, built or rented or lived in by Petitioner(s) in the future. Should Petitioner(s) elect to move or have any other modifications performed to his/her/their current home, or any other home purchased, built, rented or lived in by Petitioner(s), any future modifications will be solely at Petitioners' expense.

After due consideration of the interests of the parties, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, it is

ORDERED:

1. Petitioner and Respondent's Stipulation is approved.
2. The parties shall abide by the terms of the Stipulation.

DONE AND ORDERED this 10th day of September, 2019, in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.



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Administrative Law Judge
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