

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

Nicholas Eli Manning v. Commissioner of Social Security

Manning · No. 2:25-cv-01495-JR · Decided April 9, 2026

SUMMARY

The United States District Court for the District of Oregon ordered an award of \$620.30 in attorney fees to Nicholas Eli Manning under the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412. The order provides that payment is subject to verification of qualifying debts under the Treasury Offset Program and specifies payment procedures involving Plaintiff's attorney. It was dated April 9, 2026, and signed by United States Magistrate Judge Jolie A. Russo.

OPINION

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF OREGON NICHOLAS ELI MANNING, 2:25-cv-01495-JR Plaintiff, vs. ORDER COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY, Defendant. It is hereby ORDERED that attorney fees in the amount of \$620.30 shall be awarded to Plaintiff pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412. Attorney fees will be paid to Plaintiff's attorney, dependent upon verification that Plaintiff has no debt which qualifies for offset against the awarded fees, pursuant to the Treasury Offset Program as discussed in *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 130 S.Ct.

2521 (2010). If Plaintiff has no such debt, then the fees shall be delivered via electronic funds transfer or by check made out to Plaintiff's attorney Kevin Kerr, and mailed to Plaintiff's attorney's office as follows: NW Disability benefits, LLC dba Kerr Robichaux & Carroll (TID 85-3999428), P.O. Box 14490, Portland, OR 97293. If Plaintiff has a debt, then any remaining funds after offset of the debt shall be made payable to Plaintiff and sent via electronic funds transfer or by check mailed to Plaintiff's attorney's office at the address stated above.

DATED this 9th day of April, 2026. /s/ Jolie A. Russo Jolie A. Russo United States Magistrate Judge Submitted by: Kevin Kerr, OSB #080934 kevin.kerr@GetSSD.com Kerr Robichaux & Carroll PO Box 14490 Portland, Oregon 97293 Phone: 503-255-9092 Fax: 503-255-9145 Attorney for Plaintiff