

In the United States Court of Federal Claims

No. 17-877C
(Filed: August 11, 2017)

COMMON GROUND HEALTHCARE *
COOPERATIVE, *
*
Plaintiff, *
*
v. *
*
THE UNITED STATES, *
*
Defendant. *

ORDER

The court conducted a telephonic status conference in the above-captioned case on August 11, 2017. As discussed during the status conference, the court **STAYS** proceedings only on the merits of plaintiff’s case—in other words, defendant’s response to plaintiff’s complaint and any dispositive motions—pending a decision by the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit (“Federal Circuit”) in Land of Lincoln Mutual Health Insurance Co. v. United States, No. 2017-1224, and/or Moda Health Plan, Inc. v. United States, No. 2017-1994.¹ Within **two weeks** of the Federal Circuit issuing such a decision, the parties shall file a joint status report containing a proposal for further proceedings.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Margaret M. Sweeney
MARGARET M. SWEENEY
Judge

¹ When appropriate, the parties may proceed on other matters, such as class certification.