

In the United States Court of Federal Claims

No. 17-1958C
(Filed: June 5, 2020)

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 MDWISE MARKETPLACE, INC., *
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 Plaintiff, *
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 v. *
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 THE UNITED STATES, *
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 Defendant. *
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ORDER LIFTING STAY

The stay in this case is lifted. In the parties' May 12, 2020 joint status report, Defendant requested 45 days to consider its position in light of the Supreme Court's decision in Maine Community Health Options v. United States, 140 S. Ct. 1308 (2020). Plaintiff opposed this request, arguing that Maine Community Health was dispositive as to Defendant's liability in the instant case, and that the parties did not dispute the amount of damages owed under the formula set forth in Section 1342 of the Affordable Care Act.

Upon consideration of the parties' arguments, Defendant's request is **GRANTED**. The parties shall file a joint status report by **June 26, 2020**, proposing further proceedings. In the joint status report, Defendant shall represent whether it contests the amount of damages sought, and if so, shall state the basis for its disagreement.

Plaintiff may amend its complaint and Defendant's obligation to respond is suspended pending further order of the Court.

s/Mary Ellen Coster Williams
MARY ELLEN COSTER WILLIAMS
Judge