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BEFORE THE STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION
Of the State of Arkansas

- Mr.
Mrs.
Ms.
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Tonda Wright, Claimant

State of Arkansas, Respondent

Dept. of Community Correction

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Claim No. 180294
Date Filed October 2, 2017
Amount of Claim \$ Unknown
Fund ADCC Salary Due

COMPLAINT

Tonda Wright, the above named Claimant, of P.O. Box 2293, Pine Bluff, Ark 71613 (817) 329-8055, County of Jefferson, represented by none, of n/a, says:

State agency involved: Arkansas Community Corrections. Amount sought: 6% Certification Increase

Month, day, year and place of incident or service: 2009 to 2017
Explanation: On August 7, 2017, I Tonda Wright received an email from my supervisor Charles Higgins advising me that it was discovered by ACC HR that I hadn't received my pay increase for my certification. On August 30, I emailed Tiffany Gatson with ACC and she confirmed that I didn't receive my 6% differential during the pay plan implementation in 2009. My question to you is why I didn't receive it? I'm requesting the agency please give me my back pay for their mistake because it was my fault. If I made a mistake the agency will hold me liable for my mistake. Therefore, I think the agency should be held liable for their mistake. If you guys can't pay all, I believe, I need receive something.

Please see the attached emails

As parts of this complaint, the claimant makes the statements, and answers the following questions, as indicated: (1) Has claim been presented to any state department or officer thereof? Yes, when? 8 30 2017 to whom? Social Wallace / Tiffany Gatson ACC HR, and that the following action was taken thereon: I was told to file a complaint with the State Claims Commission, and that \$ was paid thereon: (2) Has any third person or corporation an interest in this claim? No, if so, state name and address, and the nature thereof is as follows: n/a, and was acquired on: n/a, in the following manner:

THE UNDERSIGNED states on oath that he or she is familiar with the matters and things set forth in the above complaint, and that he or she verily believes that they are true. Tonda Wright (Print Claimant/Representative Name), Tonda Wright (Signature of Claimant/Representative)

SWORN TO and subscribed before me at Pine Bluff, Ark (City) (State)

(SEAL) V. GOODLOE MY COMMISSION # 12693662 this 28 day of September 2017 (Date) (Month) (Year) U. Goodloe (Notary Public) My Commission Expires: 04 29 2025 (Month) (Day) (Year)

BEFORE THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION

TONDA WRIGHT

CLAIMANT

V.

CLAIM NO. 180294

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF
COMMUNITY CORRECTION

RESPONDENT

ORDER

This claim was filed by Tonda Wright (the "Claimant") against the Arkansas Department of Community Correction (the "Respondent") for salary due. Claimant stated in her claim that she was seeking back salary from the Respondent.

The Respondent filed an answer on October 19, 2017, admitting liability in the amount of \$17,069.85.

As such, the Arkansas State Claims Commission (the "Claims Commission") unanimously allows this claim in the amount of \$17,069.85, as recommended by the Respondent, and, pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 19-10-215(b), hereby refers this claim to the General Assembly for review and appropriation.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION

Dexter Booth
Henry Kinslow, Co-Chair
Bill Lancaster
Sylvester Smith
Mica Strother, Co-Chair

DATE: November 1, 2017