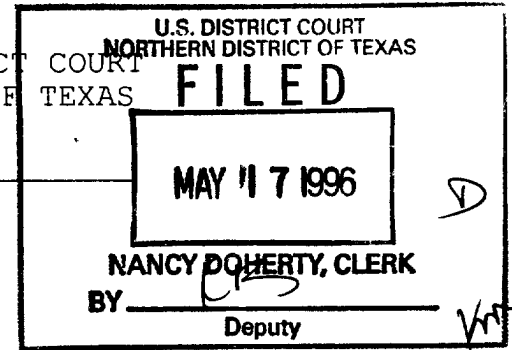


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION



R.A.J., et al.,

Plaintiffs

v.

DON GILBERT, et al.,

Defendants

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The Court has before it the R.A.J. Monitor's Report and Recommendation #29 (the "Report") under the March 24, 1992 Settlement Agreement, filed herewith. The Monitor recommends that all of the issues covered under Section III.C.2. of the Settlement Agreement be discharged from the jurisdiction of the Court.

Attached to the Report is a letter dated April 25, 1996, from Sarah L. Anderson, attorney for the Defendants, requesting dismissal of the issues outlined in paragraph III.C.2.a., c., and d. of the Settlement Agreement.¹ The Monitor represents that the material included with Ms. Anderson's letter contains the support for the Monitor's recommendation that the issues covered under Section III.C.2. be discharged from the Court's jurisdiction. The Monitor further represents that Ed

¹ Section III.C.2.b. had previously been recommended for discharge from the jurisdiction of the Court.

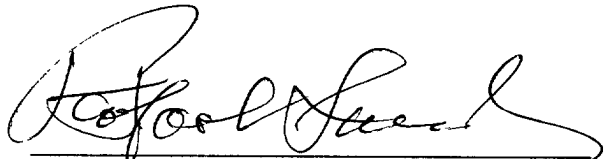
Cloutman III, attorney for the Plaintiffs, concurs with the Monitor's recommendation.

Sections III.C.2. a. through d. include the requirement to discharge patients within 180 days of the time of their recommended court discharge and other requirements aimed at improving the adequacy of care and treatment. The Monitor is satisfied that the backlog of patients on the 180-day list have been discharged appropriately and that the Defendants have demonstrated the capacity to maintain placements. In addition, training on the full treatment principles has taken place in the state schools. And, the requirements concerning the monitoring of placements of MDU clients in the community have also been met.

The Court accepts and adopts the R.A.J. Monitor's Report and Recommendation #29. Accordingly, all of the issues covered under Section III.C.2. of the Settlement Agreement are discharged from the jurisdiction of the Court.

SO ORDERED.

DATED: May 17, 1996.



BAREFOOT SANDERS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS