

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

Rickey Royal, Sandra Epperson,)
and Greg Hulcy, Individually and on)
behalf of all Putative class members,)

Plaintiffs,)

v.)

Case No. 5:14-cv-1410-F

Stoneridge, Inc., and Stoneridge Con-)
trol Devices, Inc., f/k/a Joseph Pollack)
Corp.,)

Defendants.)

ORDER

Before the Court is Plaintiffs’ Consented Motion for Attorneys’ Fees, Costs, and Incentive Awards and Brief in Support. In the motion, Class Counsel moves the Court for (1) an award of attorneys’ fees and costs of \$375,000; and, (2) incentive awards to the named Plaintiffs of \$5,000 each. The Court, having considered and determined the fairness and reasonableness of the award of attorneys’ fees and expenses requested, orders that Class Counsel’s motion is GRANTED.

The Court finds that Class Counsel’s fee request for \$375,000 is fair and reasonable, based upon the following factors: (1) the time and labor required, (2) the novelty and difficulty of the questions presented by the litigation, (3) the skill required to perform the legal service properly, (4) the preclusion of other employment by the attorneys due to acceptance of the case, (5) the customary fee, (6) whether the fee is fixed or contingent, (7) time limitations imposed by the client or the circumstances, (8) the amount in controversy and the

results obtained, (9) the experience, reputation and ability of the attorneys, (10) the undesirability of the case, (11) the nature and length of the professional relationship with the client, and (12) awards in similar cases. Moreover, Class Counsel's fee request is in line with the parties' agreement.

The Court further finds that named Plaintiffs Rickey Royal, Sandra Epperson, and Greg Hulcy have adequately participated and represented the members of the class in this action. Accordingly, the Court grants Plaintiffs' requests for incentive awards, and orders Defendants to pay Rickey Royal \$5,000; Sandra Epperson \$5,000; and Greg Hulcy \$5,000.

Dated this 30th day of January, 2018.


STEPHEN P. FRIOT
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE