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**United States District Court  
Southern District of Texas  
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John Wm. Black  
United States Magistrate Judge  
600 E. Harrison, 1<sup>st</sup> Fl  
Brownsville, Texas 78520

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**Michael N. Milby  
Clerk of Court**

**RE: EEOC v. Harlingen Family Dentistry, P.C.  
Civil Action No. B-02-163**

Dear Judge Black:

We are writing, as requested by your secretary Paula Tamayo, to inform the Court that the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission and Harlingen Family Dentistry have settled the above referenced Civil Action No. B-02-163. The signed settlement documents will be filed with the Court on or about the first week of October 2003.

The parties are thus requesting written notification from the Court regarding whether the parties must appear at the docket call set for September 30, 2003 at 1:30 p.m. and the jury selection and "final pretrial" hearing set for October 2, 2003, at 8:30 a.m. before Judge Andrew S. Hanen, as well as the "final pretrial and settlement conference" set for October 10, 2003, at 1:30 p.m. before Magistrate Judge John Wm. Black.

Ms. Tamayo agreed to notify Judge Hanen's clerk, Irma A. Soto, regarding this request. Thank you for your consideration and assistance.

Sincerely,

*Nemecio Lopez*  
Nemecio Lopez *w/ permission*  
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cc: Judge Andrew S. Hanen  
Irma Sota