

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
TAMPA DIVISION

IVEY SMITH,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No: 8:17-cv-668-T-36TGW

CIRCLE K STORES, INC.,

Defendant.

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**ORDER**

This cause comes before the Court upon the Report and Recommendation filed by Magistrate Judge Thomas G. Wilson on May 16, 2018 (Doc. 30). In the Report and Recommendation, Magistrate Judge Wilson recommends that the Court grant the parties' Joint Motion to Approve the Parties' Settlement (Doc. 28). All parties were furnished copies of the Report and Recommendation and were afforded the opportunity to file objections pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). No such objections were filed.

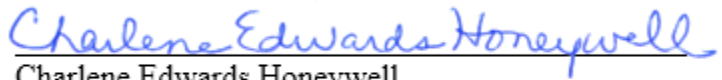
Upon consideration of the Report and Recommendation, and upon this Court's independent examination of the file, it is determined that the Report and Recommendation should be adopted. Accordingly, it is now

**ORDERED AND ADJUDGED:**

- (1) The Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge (Doc. 30) is adopted, confirmed, and approved in all respects and is made a part of this Order for all purposes, including appellate review.

- (2) The parties' Joint Motion to Approve the Parties' Settlement (Doc. 28) is **GRANTED**. The Settlement is **APPROVED**, as it constitutes a fair and reasonable resolution of a bona fide dispute.
- (3) This action is **DISMISSED**, with prejudice.
- (4) The Clerk is directed to terminate all pending motions and close this file.

**DONE AND ORDERED** in Tampa, Florida on June 5, 2018.

  
Charlene Edwards Honeywell  
United States District Judge

Copies to:  
The Honorable Thomas G. Wilson  
Counsel of Record