UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA ORLANDO DIVISION

HECTOR O. BELEN,

Plaintiff,

v. Case No: 6:18-cv-1586-Orl-41LRH

KINNERET, INC. and KINNERET II, INC.,

Defendants.

ORDER

THIS CAUSE is before the Court on the Renewed Joint Motion for Approval of Settlement and to Dismiss Case with Prejudice ("Motion," Doc. 25). United States Magistrate Judge Leslie R. Hoffman issued a Report and Recommendation (Doc. 26), recommending that the Motion be granted in part. Specifically, Judge Hoffman recommends striking the modification provision and approving the Settlement Agreement (Doc. 25-1) as amended. (*Id.* at 6–7).

After a *de novo* review of the record, and noting that the parties filed a Joint Notice of Non-Objection (Doc. 27), the Court agrees with the analysis in the Report and Recommendation. Therefore, it is **ORDERED** and **ADJUDGED** as follows:

- The Report and Recommendation (Doc. 26) is ADOPTED and CONFIRMED and made a part of this Order.
- 2. The modification provision (Doc. 25-1 ¶ 16), to the extent that it purports to allow the Settlement Agreement to be modified without Court approval, is **STRICKEN**.
- 3. The Renewed Joint Motion for Approval of Settlement and to Dismiss Case with Prejudice (Doc. 25) is **GRANTED in part**; the Settlement Agreement (Doc. 25-1),

as amended by this Court, is **APPROVED**; and this case is **DISMISSED** with **prejudice**.

4. The Clerk is directed to close this case.

DONE and **ORDERED** in Orlando, Florida on July 2, 2019.



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