

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

STEPHANIE LYNN STEIGERWALD,)	
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Plaintiff,)	CASE NO.: 1:17-CV-1516
)	
v.)	JUDGE JAMES S. GWIN
)	MAGISTRATE JUDGE DAVID RUIZ
NANCY A. BERRYHILL, ACTING)	
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,)	PLAINTIFF’S MOTION FOR
ET AL.)	CLASS CERTIFICATION
)	
Defendants.)	

Plaintiff Stephanie Steigerwald (“Plaintiff” or “Ms. Steigerwald”), by undersigned counsel, respectfully submits this Motion for Class Certification (the “Motion”) pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23. By this Motion, Plaintiff respectfully requests that this Court enter an order:

- (1) certifying this lawsuit as a class action pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23(b)(2) and/or 23(b)(3);
- (2) adopting the class definition provided in the Memorandum In Support accompanying this Motion; and
- (3) appointing Ms. Steigerwald as the representative of the class and the undersigned law firms as class counsel.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons explained more fully in the accompanying Memorandum, which is incorporated herein by reference, the Court should grant the Motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 15th day of May, 2018, a copy of the foregoing Motion for Class Certification and Memorandum in Support thereof was filed electronically. Notice of this filing will be sent to all parties by operation of the Court's electronic filing system. Parties may access this filing through the Court's system.

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