UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

Jeffrey Tucker, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated,

Civil Action No. 2:15-cv-00382-MHH

Plaintiff,

VS.

Baptist Health System, Inc., the Baptist Health System, Inc. Benefits Committee and John Does 1-20,

Defendants.

PLAINTIFF'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF <u>CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT</u>

Plaintiff Jeffrey Tucker ("Plaintiff") on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, by and through his attorneys, respectfully moves pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23(e) and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA") for an order granting preliminary approval of the proposed settlement of this class action. Specifically, Plaintiff moves the Court for an Order: (1) preliminarily approve the Class Action Settlement Agreement ("Settlement" or "Settlement Agreement"); (2) preliminarily certify the proposed Class pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 23(b)(1) and/or (b)(2); (3) approve the form and method of Class Notice; and (4) set a date and time for a hearing (the "Fairness Hearing") for the Court to consider whether to grant final approval of the Settlement, the payment of attorneys' fees and expenses and the payment of an Incentive Fee to the Named Plaintiff.

The grounds for this Motion are set forth in Plaintiff's Memorandum of Law and the supporting documents in the Declaration of Robert A. Izard, both filed herewith.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays that the Motion be granted and that he have such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Dated: August 26, 2016 Respectfully submitted,

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