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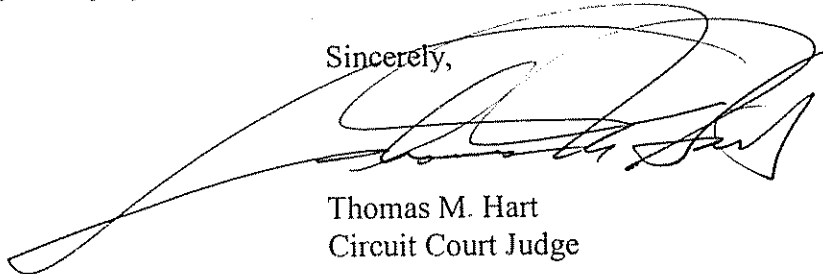
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Re: Edward H. and Ruth J. Nash v. State of Oregon et al
Marion County Circuit Court Case #06C16920

Dear Mr. Matheny and Ms. Hadlock:

This matter came before the court on Defendants' objection to Plaintiffs' Statement of Costs and Attorney Fees. No oral argument was requested and this court declines an award of attorney fees in that the State acted with a reasonable basis in law and fact. The costs of \$266.00 are awarded and Mr. Matheny shall prepare the appropriate Supplemental Judgment.

Sincerely,



Thomas M. Hart
Circuit Court Judge

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