

CONSENT TO JOIN COLLECTIVE ACTION
Pursuant to Fair Labor Standards Act, 29 U.S.C. § 216(b)

1. I, the undersigned, agree to pursue my minimum wage and overtime claims arising out of work performed as an employee of the United States between October 1 and October 5, 2013 in the lawsuit captioned *Martin et al. v. United States*, No. 13-834C in the United States Court of Federal Claims.

2. I was designated as an “excepted employee.” I performed work for the United States between October 1 and October 5, 2013, but was not paid for that work on my regularly scheduled payday.

3. I understand that this lawsuit is brought under the Fair Labor Standards Act (“FLSA”), as amended, 29 U.S.C. §§ 201-219. To the best of my knowledge, as of October 1, 2013, I was classified as “non-exempt” under the FLSA.

4. I consent, agree and opt in to become a plaintiff and to be bound to any judgment by the Court or any settlement of this action.

5. I designate the law firm of Mehri & Skalet PLLC to represent me for all purposes in this action pursuant to the terms of the Retainer Agreement found at www.shutdownlawsuit.com.

6. I also designate the representative plaintiffs identified in the Notice as my agents to make decisions by majority vote on my behalf concerning the litigation, including as to any settlement agreements.

Date: _____
Signature

First Name M.I. Last Name

Home Street Address

City State Zip Code

Federal Agency Component¹ Job Location (City, State)

¹ The component is the major division of the agency for which you work. Examples are Department of Homeland Security (agency) and U.S. Customs and Border Protection (component) or Department of Justice (agency) and Bureau of Prisons (component).

Duty Assignment

Job Title

Personal Email Address²

Home Phone Number³

Cell Phone Number

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Social Security Number (last four digits only for identification)

² Do not provide your government email address. If you do not have a personal email address, please provide us with the email address of a trusted family member or friend.

³ If you have only a home phone or only a cell phone, please put the same phone number in each box