

met the statutory requirements for entitlement to compensation. § 300aa-13(a)(1)(B); § 300aa-11(c)(1)(D).

A special master may determine whether a petitioner is entitled to compensation based upon the record. A hearing is not required. § 300aa-13; Vaccine Rule 8(d). In light of respondent's concession and a review of the record, the undersigned finds that petitioner is entitled to compensation. This matter shall now proceed to the damages phase.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/Thomas L. Gowen

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Special Master