

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
FORT WORTH DIVISION**

TEXAS et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA et al.,

Defendants.

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00779-O

ORDER

Before the Court are Plaintiffs’ Motion for Temporary Restraining Order (ECF No. 7), filed September 21, 2018; Defendants’ Response (ECF No. 16), filed September 26, 2018; and Plaintiffs’ Reply (ECF No. 19), filed September 27, 2018. Plaintiffs requested a temporary restraining order and subsequent injunction in order to avoid liability for the 2018 HIPF. *See* Pls.’ Mot. 1–2, ECF No. 7. In the motion, Plaintiffs state that “absent an injunction, payments made to the IRS on October 1, 2018 by Plaintiffs’ Medicaid and CHIP MCOs will create liability for Plaintiffs for the 2018 HIPF.” *Id.* at 1. In the reply, Plaintiffs further clarify that they seek a temporary restraining order and injunction before October 1, 2018, in order to avoid incurring liability for the 2018 HIPF. *See* Pls.’ Reply, ECF No. 19. The October 1 deadline for incurring HIPF liability has passed. Accordingly, the Court **DENIES** Plaintiffs’ Motion for Temporary Restraining Order as moot.

SO ORDERED on this **17th day of October, 2018.**



Reed O’Connor
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE