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I have nerve problems that I believe were caused when I worked at the IAAP in West Burlington, Iowa during the late 1960's. I understand there is a "payout" for the compensation of people that worked there. Believe me whatever it is the amount cannot be enough to compensate me for the nerve problems that I have experienced over the years. But on the other hand I would like to get the compensation, because I am entitled to it.

When I worked there I lived in Ottumwa, Iowa. And fellow workers would been seen on the streets, doing shopping around town and you could identify them along with me. Because we each had an orange complexion. I was highly allergic to the "powder" that we worked with..and therefore spent a lot of time in the "infirmary".

Please advise me as to how I can receive my benefits. I could surely use them as I am on a disability and believe me it does not stretch very far.

The last word that I heard and understood about this program was that the awards are set, and they have been approved, but the "funding" has not yet taken place. Is this still the case?

Sincerely