# STATE OF MICHIGAN STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS AND RULES

## ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF:

Claimant

Reg. No.: 2010-11434

Issue No.: 2013

Case No.: Load No.:

Hearing Date:

June 9, 2010

Oakland County DHS (2)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Michael J. Bennane

#### HEARING DECISION

This matter is before the undersigned Administrative Law Judge pursuant to MCL 400.9; MSA 16.409 and MCL 400.37; MSA 16.437 upon the Claimant's request for a hearing. After due notice a telephone hearing was held on June 9, 2010. The claimant personally appeared and testified.

#### **ISSUE**

Did the department properly close the claimant's, Medical Assistance (MA)?

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

The Administrative Law Judge, based on the competent, material and substantial evidence on the whole record, finds as material fact:

- On September 11, 2009, the department sent the claimant a notice that his/her MA would be cancelled due to excess income. (Department exhibit 1-2).
- 2. On September 21, 2009, the claimant filed a request for a hearing.

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Medical Assistance (MA) program is established by Title XIX of the Social Security

Act and is implemented by Title 42 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). The Department

of Human Services (formerly known as the Family Independence Agency) administers the MA

program pursuant to MCL 400.10, et seq., and MCL 400.105. Department policies are found in

the Program Administrative Manual (PAM), the Program Eligibility Manual (PEM) and the

Program Reference Manual (PRM).

At the hearing the undersigned reviewed the figures in the MA budget with the Claimant

and found them to be correct. The Claimant receives \$1,687.00 per month income and does not

qualify for MA. (RFT 242, p.1).

**DECISION AND ORDER** 

The Administrative Law Judge, based on the above findings of fact and conclusions of

law, AFFIRMS the Department's action in the instant case

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Michael J. Bennane

Administrative Law Judge

for Ismael Ahmed, Director

Department of Human Services

Date Signed: \_\_\_6/22/2010\_\_\_

Date Mailed: 6/22/2010

Administrative Hearings may order a rehearing or reconsideration on either its own motion or at the request of a party within 30 days of the mailing date of this Decision and Order. Administrative Hearings will not order a rehearing or reconsideration on the Department's motion where the final decision cannot be implemented within 90 days of the filing of the original request.

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The Claimant may appeal the Decision and Order to Circuit Court within 30 days of the receipt of the Decision and Order or, if a timely request for rehearing was made, within 30 days of the receipt date of the rehearing decision.

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