STATE OF MICHIGAN STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS AND RULES

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF:

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Claimant

Reg. No: 2010-30140

Issue No: 2000

Case No:

Load No: Hearing Date:

May 11, 2010

Berrien County DHS

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Ivona Rairigh

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This matter is before the undersigned Administrative Law Judge pursuant to MCL 400.9; and MCL 400.37 upon claimant's request for a hearing. After due notice, a telephone hearing was held on May 11, 2010. Claimant personally appeared and testified. Also participating in the hearing was departmental staff from Cass County DHS.

Claimant was receiving Medicaid (MA) in Cass County when her case came due for a review sometimes in the beginning of year 2009. Claimant was mailed a new application and a Verification Checklist at that time. Claimant's MA case was closed at the end of November, 2009, as Cass County DHS staff testified that she failed to return the information requested some 9-10 months earlier. Claimant requested a hearing on November 30, 2009, stating she wanted continued MA coverage for her daughter. Claimant then moved to Berrien County, re-applied for MA in January, 2010, and was approved for such benefits starting January 1, 2010. Hearing testimony from Berrien County manager indicates that the claimant did request retroactive MA on her January, 2010 MA application, and that she will therefore input MA coverage for

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December, 2009, as the claimant's child is MA-eligible. Claimant is satisfied with this resolution of her issue.

Therefore, it is not necessary for the Administrative Law Judge to decide the matter that was in dispute. Pursuant to MAC R 400.906 and 400.903, claimant's hearing request is HEREBY DISMISSED, because the claimant is no longer aggrieved by department's action. SO ORDERED.

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Ivona Rairigh Administrative Law Judge for Ismael Ahmed, Director Department of Human Services

Date Signed: <u>May 18, 2010</u>

Date Mailed: May 19, 2010

NOTICE: 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.

The Claimant may appeal the Decision and Order to Circuit Court within 30 days of the mailing 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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