

STATE OF MICHIGAN
STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS AND RULES
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF:

[REDACTED]

Reg. No.: 2011-1265
Issue No.: 3003
Case No.: [REDACTED]
Load No.: [REDACTED]
Hearing Date: November 3, 2010
Macomb County DHS (20)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Lynn M. Ferris

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This matter is before the undersigned Administrative Law Judge upon pursuant to MCL 400. 9; MCL 400.37 upon claimant's request for a hearing. After due notice a telephone hearing was held on November 3, 2010 and claimant appeared at the hearing. The Department was represented by [REDACTED] ES.

Under Bridges Administrative Manual Item 600, clients have the right to contest any agency decision affecting eligibility or benefit levels whenever they believe the decision is illegal. The agency provides an Administrative Hearing to review the decision and determine if it is appropriate. Agency policy includes procedures to meet the minimal requirements for a fair hearing. Efforts to clarify and resolve the client's concerns start when the Agency receives a hearing request and continues through the day of the hearing.

In the present case claimant filed a request for hearing on September 23, 2010 protesting the computation of her food benefits as incorrect. During the hearing after the process of the computation of benefits was thoroughly explained to the Claimant the Claimant agreed that she understood the basis for the computation and no longer required further explanation or to proceed further with the hearing.

Since the Claimant is satisfied with the explanation given by the Department and otherwise understands the basis for the Department's computation of her food assistance, this Administrative Law Judge is not required to act further or make any determination of this matter as the issue has been resolved.

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Therefore this hearing is dismissed pursuant to MAC R 400.903(1). BAM 600.



Lynn M. Ferris
Administrative Law Judge
For Ismael Ahmed, Director
Department of Human Services

Date Signed: 11/09/2010

Date Mailed: 11/09/2010

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 60 days of the filing of the original request.

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 of the rehearing decision.

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