

STATE OF MICHIGAN
MICHIGAN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING SYSTEM
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF:

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Genesee County DHS

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Vicki L. Armstrong

DECISION AND ORDER

This matter is before the undersigned Administrative Law Judge by authority of MCL 400.9 and MCL 400.37 upon Claimant's request for a hearing filed on March 1, 2011. After due notice, a telephone hearing was held July 29, 2011. The law, MCL 24.278(2) provides that a disposition may be made of a contested case hearing by stipulation or agreed settlement.

At the hearing, the department explained that Claimant was in compliance with the Office of Child Support and the date of compliance had been entered into Bridges on June 28, 2011. However, for reasons the department could not explain, Bridges kept closing Claimant's FIP benefits, ignoring the repeated entry that she was in compliance. The department agreed to re-enter Claimant's compliance date and ensure that Claimant's FIP benefits were reinstated.

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 Claimant is no longer aggrieved by a department action.

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

The Administrative Law Judge, based on the agreed upon settlement, **ORDERS** that the department reinstate Claimant's FIP benefits back to the date of closure by entering her compliance date into Bridges. It is **SO ORDERED**.

