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Date Mailed: January 3, 2019 MAHS Docket No.: 18-011638 Agency No.: Petitioner:

## SUPERVISING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Alice C. Elkin

## ORDER DENYING HEARING REQUEST WITHDRAWAL AND ORDER DISMISSING HEARING FOR FAILURE TO APPEAR

On January 2, 2019, Petitioner faxed to the Michigan Administrative Hearing System (MAHS) a letter indicating that she was unavailable for the hearing scheduled for Thursday, January 3, 2019 but was available on Tuesdays. MAHS subsequently contacted Petitioner to ask if she would like to participate in the January 3, 2019 hearing via 3-way telephone, but Petitioner indicated that she was no longer interested in a hearing. No written request to withdraw the hearing request was received by MAHS, and Petitioner did not participate in the scheduled January 3, 2019 hearing.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED** that the request for withdrawal is DENIED.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Petitioner's hearing scheduled on January 3, 2019 is dismissed due to the Petitioner's failure to appear.

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Alice C. Elkin Administrative Law Judge for Nick Lyon, Director Department of Health and Human Services

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**: A party may appeal this Order in circuit court within 30 days of the receipt date. A copy of the circuit court appeal must be filed with the Michigan Administrative Hearing System.

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