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Date Mailed: May 21, 2019 MOAHR Docket No.: 19-003988

Agency No.: Petitioner:

SUPERVISING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Alice C. Elkin

ORDER DENYING HEARING REQUEST WITHDRAWAL AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL FOR FAILURE TO APPEAR

The undersigned supervising Administrative Law Judge reviewed the hearing request withdrawal signed and submitted by Petitioner to the Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules (MOAHR) on May 20, 2019. MOAHR scheduled a hearing on May 20, 2019 in response to Petitioner's hearing request, disputing actions by the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) concerning her Food Assistance Program Food Assistance Program (FAP) and Medicaid (MA) cases. The hearing request withdrawal Petitioner submitted to MOAHR identified only FAP as the program at issue. Because Petitioner did not withdraw her hearing request with respect to both programs, the withdrawal is not approved. Bridges Administrative Manual (BAM) 600 (October 2018), p. 31. Petitioner did not proceed with and participate in the scheduled May 20, 2019 hearing. Accordingly, she abandoned the hearing.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that, because the withdrawal did not address all programs raised in the hearing request, the request for withdrawal is **DENIED**;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, because Petitioner did not appear and participate in the hearing scheduled on May 20, 2019, Petitioner's hearing is **DISMISSED**.

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Alice C. Elkin

Supervising Administrative Law Judge for Robert Gordon, 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 Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules.

Petitioner Petitioner