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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
AND HEALTH SERVICES**

PENNSCARE FAMILY PHARMACY,

PETITIONER,

v.

DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE :

AND HEALTH SERVICES AND :

MEDICAID FRAUD DIVISION :

RESPONDENTS. :

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 16774-25

As Assistant Commissioner of the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services (DMAHS), I have reviewed the record in this case, including the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) case file and the Initial Decision approving the Settlement Agreement reached by the parties. No exceptions were filed in this matter. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to file a Final Agency Decision is August 17, 2026, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14B-10, which requires an Agency Head to adopt, reject, or modify the Initial Decision within 45 days of receipt. The Initial Decision was received

on June 30, 2026.

This matter concerns an investigation by the Office of the State Comptroller; Medicaid Fraud Division (MFD) into Petitioner's billing practices. Based on the investigation, DMAHS sought recovery of \$107,413.60 in overpayments. Petitioner appealed the determination, and the matter was transmitted to the OAL for a fair hearing. Thereafter, the parties agreed to a settlement and entered into a written agreement that resolves the contested matter.

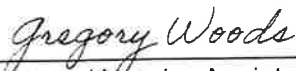
In the Initial Decision, dated June 30, 2026, the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) approved the Settlement Agreement because it was consistent with the law, fully disposed of all issues in controversy, and was voluntarily entered into by both parties in accordance with N.J.A.C. 1:1-19.1.

Based on my review of the record, I concur with the ALJ's findings and hereby ADOPT the Settlement Agreement.

THEREFORE, it is on this 14th day of AUGUST 2026,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision approving the Settlement Agreement in this matter is hereby ADOPTED.



Gregory Woods, Assistant Commissioner
Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services