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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
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A.B.,

PETITIONER,

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 10426-16

DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

AND HEALTH SERVICES &

MIDDLESEX COUNTY BOARD OF

SOCIAL SERVICES.

RESPONDENTS.

As Director of the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services, I have reviewed the record in this case, including the OAL case file and the Initial Decision approving the Settlement Agreement reached by the parties. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to file a Final Decision is October 17, 2016, 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 August 31, 2016.

This matter arises from the Middlesex County Board of Social Services' (MCBSS) denial of Medicaid eligibility because Petitioner's failed to provide sufficient information with regard to his application. However, at the scheduled OAL hearing, the Petitioner acknowledged that his income exceeded the limits for New Jersey Family Care and agreed to apply through the marketplace.

The 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 CHO day of OCTOBER 2016,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision affirming the terms of the Settlement in this matter is hereby ADOPTED.

Meghan Dayey, Director Division of Medical Assistance

and Health Services