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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
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K.S.,

PETITIONER,

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 06889-17

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DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

AND HEALTH SERVICES AND

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 matter, consisting of the case file, the documents in evidence and the Initial Decision. No exceptions to the Initial Decision were filed. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to file a

Final Agency Decision is September 18, 2017 in accordance with an Order of

Extension. The Initial Decision was received on June 8, 2017.

I hereby ADOPT the Initial Decision affirming the termination of NJ

FamilyCare benefits. The undisputed evidence in the record indicates that

Petitioner's monthly income exceeds the maximum income limit for her child to

qualify for benefits through the Middlesex County Board of Social Services.

However, based upon my review of the record, it appears that he may be eligible

for another segment of NJ FamilyCare with a higher income level. For this

reason. I find that the case should be forwarded to the State vendor to determine

eligibility.1

THEREFORE, it is on this 200 day of August 2017,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision affirming the termination of Medicaid eligibility

based upon excess income is hereby ADOPTED as the Final Decision in this

matter, and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

That the Middlesex County Board of Social Services forward this case to

the State vendor to evaluate eligibility for other NJ FamilyCare plans with higher

income limits.

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and Health Services

¹ Eligibility determinations for the CHIP portion of NJ FamilyCare under Title 21 (income levels above 200% and up to 350% of the FPL) are made by the State Vendor, Xerox.