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MEGHAN DAVEY Director

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

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Petitioner.

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DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND HEALTH SERVICES,

Respondent.

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 01011-07

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

BARNERT HOSPITAL,

Petitioner,

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DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND HEALTH SERVICES.

Respondent.

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 01352-07

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

BARNERT HOSPITAL,	OAL DKT. NO. HMA 03176-07
Petitioner,	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
v.	
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE	
AND HEALTH SERVICES,	
Respondent.	
BARNERT HOSPITAL,	OAL DKT. NO. HMA 03605-07
Petitioner,	
v.	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE	
AND HEALTH SERVICES,	
Respondent.	
BARNERT HOSPITAL,	OAL DKT. NO. HMA 05551-07
Petitioner,	
V.	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE	
AND HEALTH SERVICES,	
Respondent.	

BARNERT HOSPITAL,	OAL DKT. NO. HMA 07643-07
Petitioner,	
v.	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE	
AND HEALTH SERVICES,	
Respondent.	
BARNERT HOSPITAL,	OAL DKT. NO. HMA 01402-08
Petitioner,	
v.	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE	
AND HEALTH SERVICES,	
Respondent.	
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BARNERT HOSPITAL,	OAL DKT. NO. HMA 13065-09
Petitioner,	
V.	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE	
AND HEALTH SERVICES,	
Respondent.	

As the Director of the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services, I have reviewed the record in this matter, consisting of the Initial Decision, the documents in evidence and the contents of the OAL case file. No exceptions were filed. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to file a Final Decision is April 1, 2019 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 February 14, 2019.

These matters arise from a series of appeals filed by Petitioner regarding disputed amounts of reimbursement paid to Petitioner by the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services. By letter dated January 25, 2019, the attorney for Petitioner advised the Administrative Law Judge that Petitioner requested that the above-captioned appeals be dismissed on the basis that the Appellate Division decision in Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital — Burlington v. DMAHS, 2017 N.J. Super. Unpub. LEXIS 2683, certif. denied 232 N.J. 392 (2018), is applicable to Petitioner. By Initial Decision dated February 14, 2019, the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) concluded that these matters are no longer contested cases before the Office of Administrative Law and ordered that the matters be dismissed. I concur with the ALJ's conclusion.

THEREFORE, it is on this $\mathcal{W}^{\mathcal{N}}$ day of MARCH 2019,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED and the above-captioned appeals are DISMISSED.

Meghan Davey, Director

Division of Medical Assistance

and Health Services