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M.S.,

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PETITIONER,

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

V.

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

MONMOUTH COUNTY BOARD

OF SOCIAL SERVICES.

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 08583-22

RESPONDENTS.

As Assistant Commissioner for the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services, I have reviewed the record in this case, including the Initial Decision and the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) case file. No exceptions were filed in this matter. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to render a Final Agency Decision is April 27, 2023 in accordance with an Order of Extension. The Initial Decision was received on January 27, 2023.

This matter arises from Monmouth County Board of Social Services' (MCBSS) August 31, 2022 notice denying Petitioner's Medicaid application because the QIT was not properly funded. Based upon my review of the record and for the reasons set forth in the Initial Decision, I hereby ADOPT the findings and conclusions of the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) and FIND that the Monmouth County Board of Social Services improperly denied

Petitioner's application in this matter. Accordingly, the Initial Decision of the OAL is ADOPTED as the Final Agency Decision in this matter.

THEREFORE, it is on this 24th day of APRIL 2023, ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED.

Jennifer Langer Jacobs, Assistant Commissioner Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services