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D.W.,	:	
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PETITIONER,	:	ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION
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v.	:	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
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GLOUCESTER COUNTY BOARD	:	OAL DKT. NO. HMA 12266-2017
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OF SOCIAL SERVICES,	:	
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RESPONDENT.	:	

As Director of the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services, I have reviewed the record in this case, including the Exceptions filed by Petitioner, Initial Decision, the OAL case file and the documents filed below. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to file a Final Decision is February 12, 2018 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 December 27, 2017.

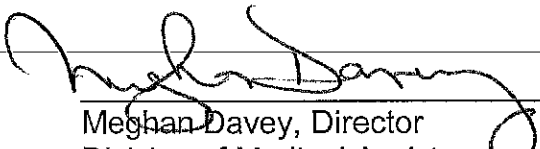
The matter arises regarding the termination of Petitioner's Medicaid benefits. The Gloucester County Board of Social Services (GCBSS) received an investigation referral alleging that Petitioner owned and operated Small Wonder Daycare. As a result the GCBSS began an investigation. Respondent requested that Petitioner provide verification of all income received by the daycare from January 2011 through April 2017, in order to determine Petitioner's eligibility for Medicaid. The deadline for Petitioner to provide the required documentation was May 28, 2017. Petitioner failed to provide the requested documentation by the deadline. As a result, her Medicaid benefits were terminated.

The Initial Decision held that Respondent properly terminated Petitioner's Medicaid eligibility due to her failure to provide the required documentation. Based on my review of the record, I concur with the Initial Decision. Petitioner may reapply for benefits.

THEREFORE, it is on this ^{1st} day of FEBRUARY 2018,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED.


Meghan Davey, Director
Division of Medical Assistance
and Health Services