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R.G.,

PETITIONER.

DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE :

AND HEALTH SERVICES AND

PASSAIC COUNTY BOARD OF

SOCIAL SERVICES.

RESPONDENTS.

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 17717-2017

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 April 26, 2018 in accordance with an Order of Extension

This matter arises from the termination of Petitioner's Medicaid benefits based on his income. The prior settlement had been rejected as it failed to address the issue of income and continued Petitioner's benefits under the fair hearing. On remand the parties entered

into a settlement whereby Petitioner's benefits terminated on February 28, 2018. current income will be evaluated and he will receive notification if he is currently eligible. By Initial Decision dated August 28, 2017, 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. 1:11-19.1.

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 Way of APRIL 2018,

ORDERED:

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

Meghan Davey, Director

Division of Medical Assistance

and Health Services