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

V.V.,

PETITIONER.

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

V.

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 03702-18

AND HEALTH SERVICES AND

NO HEALTH SERVICES AND

HUDSON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF

FAMILY SERVICES,

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RESPONDENTS.

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 August 3, 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 June 19, 2018.

This matter arises from Hudson County Department of Family Services' denial of Petitioner's Medicaid eligibility based on Petitioner's failure to provide required documentation.

The parties entered into a settlement on the record whereby Petitioner provided the required documentation and the Department agreed that she met the eligibility requirements for Medicaid as of July 1, 2018. By Initial Decision dated June 14, 2018, 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 day of AUGUST 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