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DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
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Y.S.,

PETITIONER.

**ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION** 

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FINAL AGENCY DECISION

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 00836-20

UNITED HEALTHCARE,

RESPONDENT.

As the Assistant Commissioner for 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 March 23, 2020 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 5, 2020.

This matter arises from United Healthcare's December 10, 2019 denial of Petitioner's request for an in-patient hospital stay. By letter February 3, 2020, Petitioner advised the Administrative Law Judge that the matter had been resolved. By Initial Decision date February 7, 2020, the 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 day of MARCH 2020,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED.

Jennifer Langer Jacobs, Assistant Commissioner Division of Medical Assistance

and Health Services