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

A.B.	:
PETITIONER,	ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION
V.	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
	: OAL DKT. NO. HMA 03541-22
UNION COUNTY BOARD OF	
SOCIAL SERVICES,	
RESPONDENTS.	

As 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 entire contents of the OAL case file. Neither party filed exceptions. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to file a Final Agency Decision is August 25, 2022 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 July 11, 2022.

This matter concerns the April 11, 2022 denial of Petitioner's Medicaid application due to the failure to provide requested verifications. Specifically, Petitioner did not provide

PHILIP D. MURPHY Governor

SHEILA Y. OLIVER Lt. Governor information concerning her MetLife Insurance policies and a letter from the Bank of Israel concerning a bond. The issue presented here is whether Petitioner provided the necessary verifications for Union county to make an eligibility determination. Petitioner presented no evidence and admitted the facts contained in the April 11, 2022 denial letter. Without the information requested, Union County was unable to complete its eligibility determination and the denial was appropriate.

THEREFORE, it is on this19th day of AUGUST 2022,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED.

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