

BEFORE THE MERIT EMPLOYEE RELATIONS BOARD  
OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

JOSEPH REMY, ETAL )  
Appellant )  
v. )  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH and )  
SOCIAL SERVICES, )  
STATE OF DELAWARE )  
Agency )

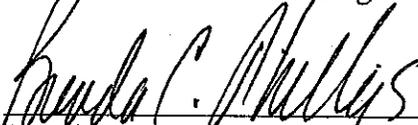
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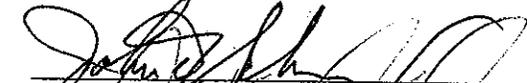
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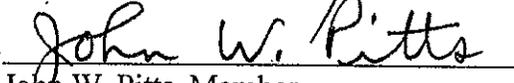
Before Brenda C. Phillips, Chairperson, John F. Schmutz, Dallas Green and John W. Pitts, Members, constituting a quorum of the Board pursuant to 29 Del. C. Section 5908(a).

And now, this 19th day of July, 2001, it appears to the Board that Joseph Remy, Etal, through a letter from their attorney, Roy S. Shiels (copy attached), wishes to withdraw their grievance before the Board and Ilona Kirshon, Deputy Attorney General for the Department of Health & Social Services, has no objection to this request.

**IT IS ORDERED** that the grievance appeal is withdrawn and this matter is **DISMISSED**.

  
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Brenda C. Phillips, Chairperson

  
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John F. Schmutz, Member

  
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John W. Pitts, Member

  
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Dallas Green, Member

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July 16, 2001

Ms. Brenda Phillips, Chairperson  
 Merit Employee Relations Board  
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Re: Romy v DHSE  
 (MERB Docket No. 00-02-231)

Dear Chairperson Phillips,

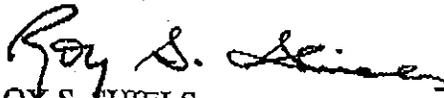
The above grievance, and several related grievances arising from the same factual circumstances (Advanced IT salaries at DHSS after a Maintenance Review) are presently scheduled to be heard by MERB in the afternoon of July 19, 2001. The propriety of procedures followed by the Agency are at issue.

The grievants have agreed to withdraw the presently pending grievance if the new State Personnel Director, Lisa Blunt-Bradley, will agree to personally review the relevant documentation relating to their advance salary requests. Director Blunt-Bradley has agreed to do so. Opposing counsel, Ms. Kirshon, is aware of these circumstances and is in agreement with the review by Director Blunt-Bradley of the relevant documents.

Accordingly, I am requesting that the grievance hearings scheduled for July 19, 2001 be discontinued. Hopefully, the personal review by Director Blunt-Bradley will allow the parties to conclude their disagreement concerning the advance salary requests at issue.

Trusting that this letter is sufficient to conclude the present scheduling of this matter, or that you will advise me if anything further is required, I am

Very truly yours,  
BROWN, SHIELS, BEAUREGARD & CHASANOV

  
ROY S. SHIELS

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cc: Michael M. Tischer, Esquire  
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