

**BEFORE THE MERIT EMPLOYEE RELATIONS BOARD
OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE**

VANESSA DELOACH,)	
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Employee/Grievant,)	
)	DOCKET 10-04-473
v.)	
)	
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL)	ORDER OF DISMISSAL
SERVICES,)	
)	
Employer/Respondent.)	

During a hearing before the full MERB on August 25, 2010, upon completion of the Board's receipt of evidence but prior to a determination on the merits, the Grievant, Vanessa Deloach, made an application to withdraw her grievance. *See attached partial transcript of hearing.* The Agency, the Department of Health and Social Services, did not oppose the Grievant's request.

Based on Ms. Deloach's voluntary withdraw of her appeal, the Board dismisses this matter with prejudice.

SO ORDERED, this 30th- day of August, 2010.



MARTHA AUSTIN, MERB CHAIRWOMAN

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 SOCIAL SERVICES,)
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 Employer.)

The Cannon Building
861 Silver Lake Blvd.
Dover, Delaware
Wednesday, August 25, 2010

BEFORE: MARTHA K. AUSTIN, Chairperson
PAUL R. HOUCK, Member
DR. JACQUELINE JENKINS, Member
JOHN SCHMUTZ, Member
VICTORIA CAIRNS, Member
MICHAEL TUPMAN, ESQUIRE
Counsel to the Board

DEBORAH L. MURRAY-SHEPPARD, Administrator

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1 MS. AUSTIN: Ms. Deloach, it's my understanding
2 you have an application to make?

3 MRS. DELOACH: I withdraw my grievance.

4 MS. AUSTIN: Okay. Mr. Slattery?

5 MR. SLATTERY: Thank you, Madam Chair. In light
6 of Ms. Deloach withdrawing her grievance, the agency
7 will proceed to submit a new request to the Office of
8 Management and Budget with regard to the temporary
9 promotion, in addition covering a retroactive pay period
10 from September 1, 2008 up through July 31, 2009. We
11 will do that with all deliberate speed, and we will
12 inform Ms. Deloach when the application has been made to
13 OMB and what the decision is.

14 MS. AUSTIN: Thank you very much. If there are
15 no other comments, this will conclude the hearing today.

16 (Concluded at 11:25 a.m.)

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CERTIFICATE

I, Lorena J. Hartnett, a Notary Public and Registered Professional Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing is an accurate and complete transcription of the proceeding held at the time and place stated herein, and that the said proceeding was recorded by me and then reduced to typewriting under my direction, and constitutes a true record of the testimony given by said witnesses.

I further certify that I am not a relative, employee, or attorney of any of the parties or a relative or employee of either counsel, and that I am in no way interested directly or indirectly in this action.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office on this 26th day of August 2010.

Lorena J. Hartnett
Registered Professional Reporter