



**Office of Appeals
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
Washington, D.C. 20410-0001**

In the Matter of:

JESSICA R. BROWN,

Petitioner

HUDOA No. 10-M-NY-AWG41
Claim No. 780700362

RULING AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL

On February 2, 2010, the Secretary filed a motion to dismiss this action against Petitioner. The Secretary states that "HUD has determined that an Administrative Wage Garnishment will create a financial hardship for [Petitioner], therefore, HUD will not seek to collect this debt at the present time." Secretary's Motion to Dismiss ¶2, Exhibit A, Declaration of Brian Dillon, Director, Asset Recovery Division, HUD Financial Operations Center. Without objection, the Secretary's Motion to Dismiss is GRANTED. Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that this case is DISMISSED without prejudice.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "H. Alexander Manuel", is positioned above the printed name of the Administrative Judge.

H. Alexander Manuel
Administrative Judge

February 3, 2010