

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT
OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS

In the Matter of:

Donna Thornbury (Smith),

Petitioner.

Case No. 12-H-CH-AG113

Claim No. 20120733A

January 10, 2013

ORDER GRANTING DISMISSAL

On January 3, 2013, the Secretary filed a Motion to Dismiss informing the Court that “the Secretary has determined that Petitioner’s Chapter 7 bankruptcy case is pending and the automatic stay prevents collection.” Upon due consideration, and for good cause shown, the Motion to Dismiss is **GRANTED**.


However, the Secretary may retain the right to seek collection of the subject debt in the future if the debt is not discharged in bankruptcy. It is hereby

ORDERED that the Secretary shall not seek to collect, at this time, the claimed debt of Petitioner by means of administrative wage garnishment.

The Stay of Referral of this matter to the U.S. Department of the Treasury issued by this Court on December 29, 2011 shall remain in place **INDEFINITELY**.

This matter of HUDOHA #12-H-CH-AG113 is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**. It is

SO ORDERED.



Vanessa L. Hall
Administrative Judge