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

In the Matter of:

Robin Gray-Harris,

18-VH-0082-AG-044

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Petitioner.

January 31, 2018

ORDER GRANTING DISMISSAL

This matter is before the Office of Hearings and Appeals on a *Motion to Dismiss* filed by the Secretary, on January 30, 2018, seeking to dismiss, without prejudice, its action to pursue collection of the subject debt by means of administrative wage garnishment because "After reviewing Petitioner's financial information, HUD has determined that garnishment of Petitioner's wages, at this time, would cause Petitioner financial hardship."

Upon due consideration, and for good cause shown, this *Motion to Dismiss* is hereby **GRANTED**. However, HUD's right to seek collection of the subject debt via alternative means shall be reserved, e.g., administrative offset, and to resume administrative wage garnishment activities in the future should Petitioner's financial circumstances improve.

The stay of referral shall remain in place until it is determined whether Petitioner's financial circumstances have improved.

This matter of HUDOHA No. 18-VH-0082-AG-044 is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

SO ORDERED.

Vanessa L. Hall

Administrative Judge