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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
AND HEALTH SERVICES**

RUNNELS SPECIALIZED HOSPITAL, :

PETITIONER, :

v. :

DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE :

AND HEALTH SERVICES :

RESPONDENT. :

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

OAL DKT. No. HMA 01676-2023

As Assistant Commissioner of the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services (DMAHS), I have reviewed the record in this case, including the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) case file and the Initial Decision approving the Stipulation of Dismissal reached by the parties. No exceptions were filed in this matter. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to file a Final Agency Decision is February 20, 2024, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14B-10, which requires an Agency Head to adopt, reject, or modify the Initial Decision within 45 days of receipt. The Initial Decision was received on January 5, 2024.

This matter arises from a letter, dated December 10, 2021, wherein the Division of

Medical Assistance and Health Services (DMAHS) notified Petitioner that it was subject to recoupment of \$52,604.09 for failure to submit to the Department of Health (DOH) an Outbreak Response Plan Attestation, as required by P.L. 2020, c. 90. Petitioner presented documentation showing that the Outbreak Response Plan Attestation was submitted to DOH on October 19, 2020, which was confirmed by DMAHS. Accordingly, it was determined that Petitioner is not subject to recoupment, pursuant to the requirements of P.L. 2020, C. 90, and the parties stipulated to the dismissal of the present matter.

In the Initial Decision, dated January 5, 2024 the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) approved the Stipulation of Dismissal, determined that the present matter is no longer a contested matter, and concluded that the present matter should be dismissed.

Based on my review of the record, I concur with the ALJ's findings.

THEREFORE, it is on this 13th day of February 2024,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED.



Jennifer Langer Jacobs, Assistant Commissioner
Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services