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## THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

#### **BEFORE**

#### THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYEE APPEALS

In the Matter of:	)
	)
Lelia Proctor	) OEA Matter No. 2401-0110-04
Employee	)
, í	) Date of Issuance: May 12, 2005
v.	)
	) Sheryl Sears, Esq.
	) Administrative Judge
D.C. Public Schools	)
Agency	)

# Harriet Segar, Esq., Agency Representative

## INITIAL DECISION

#### INTRODUCTION AND FINDINGS OF FACT

Agency removed Employee, a Science Teacher, from her position at Bell Multicultural Senior High School by reduction in force effective on June 30, 2004. Employee filed an appeal with this Office on June 28, 2004. On April 1, 2005, this Judge issued an "Order Convening Pre-Hearing Conference and Setting Deadlines for Discovery and Pre-Hearing Statements."

On May 11, 2005, Employee appeared for the conference as ordered. Agency's representative, Attorney Segar, was also present. At the conference, Employee affirmed the representation of Attorney Segar that she has been reinstated to a teaching position by Agency. According to Employee, she suffered no break in service or financial loss as a result of Agency's actions. She said that she did not wish to pursue her appeal further.

### **IURISDICTION**

The Office has jurisdiction over this appeal pursuant to D.C. Official Code  $\S$  1-606.03 (2001).

# ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

Employee has voluntarily withdrawn her petition for appeal. Therefore, the petition will be dismissed with prejudice.

# **ORDER**

It is hereby ORDERED that the petition for appeal in this matter is dismissed with prejudice.

FOR THE OFFICE:

Sheryl Sears, Esq.

Administrative Judge