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THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
BEFORE
THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYEE APPEALS

In the Matter of:	)	
	)	
EMPLOYEE,	)	OEA Matter No. 1601-0003-26
Employee	)	
	)	Date of Issuance: June 11, 2026
v.	)	
	)	Joseph E. Lim, Esq.
D.C. PUBLIC SCHOOLS,	)	Senior Administrative Judge
<u>Agency</u>	)	
John Cook, Esq., Employee Representative		
Angel Cox, Esq., Agency Representative		

INITIAL DECISION

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

Employee filed a petition with the Office of Employee Appeals (“OEA”) on October 9, 2025, appealing the decision of the D.C. Public Schools (“Agency”) to remove her from her position as an Educational Aide effective September 10, 2025, for failure of good behavior and dishonesty. In response to OEA’s October 9, 2025, request, Agency submitted its answer to the appeal on November 3, 2025. The matter was assigned to me on November 4, 2025. I held a December 1, 2025, Prehearing Conference. On June 4, 2026, Employee submitted a Stipulation of Dismissal with prejudice, indicating that the parties have settled the matter. The record is closed.

JURISDICTION

The Office has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to D.C. Official Code §1-606.03 (2001).

ISSUE

Should the petition be dismissed?

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION OF LAW

Since Employee has voluntarily dismissed her appeal, Employee's petition for appeal is dismissed.

ORDER

It is hereby ORDERED that this matter is DISMISSED with prejudice.

FOR THE OFFICE:

/s/ Joseph Lim

Joseph E. Lim, Esq.

Senior Administrative Judge