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THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

BEFORE

THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYEE APPEALS

In the Matter of:)	
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PATRICIA L. LEE)	OEA Matter No. 1601-0044-02
Employee)	
)	Date of Issuance: May 1, 2006
v.)	
)	Senior Administrative Judge
METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT)	Joseph E. Lim, Esq.
Agency)	
)	

Thelma Brown, Esq., Agency Representative
Gina Lightfoot-Walker, Employee Representative

INITIAL DECISION

PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

On March 8, 2002, Employee filed a petition for appeal with this Office, challenging Agency's final decision to remove her for a July 6, 2001 criminal conviction in Fairfax County, Virginia for felony obtaining money under false pretenses. On February 9, 2002, the Deciding Official removed Employee.

This matter was assigned to me on September 16, 2003. During the course of several Status Conferences, the parties asked for more time to discuss possible settlement of the matter. On April 28, 2006, Agency indicated that the parties have settled and had signed the settlement agreement.

JURISDICTION

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

ISSUE

Whether this matter should be dismissed.

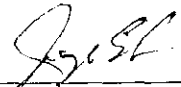
ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

Since the parties have settled the matter, Employee's petition for appeal is dismissed.

ORDER

It is hereby ORDERED that the petition in this matter is dismissed.

FOR THE OFFICE:



Joseph Edward Lim, Esq.
Senior Administrative Judge