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THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

BEFORE

THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYEE APPEALS

In the Matter of:)	
)	
JEAN BOULDEN)	OEA Matter No. 1601-0123-05
Employee)	
)	Date of Issuance: November 16, 2005
v.)	
)	Senior Administrative Judge
D.C. PUBLIC SCHOOLS)	Joseph E. Lim, Esq.
Agency)	
)	

Harriet Segar, Esq., Agency Representative
Rachel Hicks, Employee Representative

INITIAL DECISION

PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS OF FACT

On August 26, 2005, Employee filed a petition for appeal with this Office pursuant to D.C. Code Ann. § 1-606.3(a) (1999). The Employee grieved Agency's proposed termination of her employment due to a Reduction-in-Force (RIF). The matter was assigned to the undersigned judge on November 4, 2005. I scheduled a prehearing conference for November 28, 2005 and on November 16, 2005, Employee submitted a notice withdrawing her appeal with prejudice, explaining that she had retired. I closed the record.

JURISDICTION

The Office has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to D.C. Code Ann. § 1-606.3(a) (1999).

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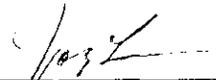
Whether this appeal should be dismissed.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

Since Employee has voluntarily withdrawn his appeal, Employee's petition for appeal is dismissed.

ORDER

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



JOSEPH E. LIM, ESQ.
Senior Administrative Judge