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THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

BEFORE

THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYEE APPEALS

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In the Matter of:

Joyce Chase, Employee

v.

) OEA Matter No. 1601-0323-10

) Date of Issuance: November 21, 2012

District Department of Transportation, Agency) Eric T. Robinson, Esq.) Senior Administrative Judge

Joyce Chase, Employee Glenn Dubin, Esq., Agency Representative

INITIAL DECISION

PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

On July 14, 2010, Joyce Chase ("Employee") submitted a petition for appeal in the above-captioned matter. I was assigned this matter on or around July 10, 2012. On November 20, 2012, after both parties failed to appear for a scheduled Prehearing Conference, Employee submitted a signed letter requesting that her petition for appeal be dismissed. The record is now closed.

JURISDICTION

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

<u>ISSUE</u>

Whether this matter should be dismissed.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

Since Employee voluntarily withdrew her petition for appeal, I find that Employee's petition for appeal should be dismissed.

<u>ORDER</u>

It is hereby ORDERED that the above-captioned petition for appeal be dismissed.

FOR THE OFFICE:

ERIC T. ROBINSON ESQ. Senior Administrative Judge