UNITED STATES OF AMERICA DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of:

21-AM-0204-AO-031

John R. Palan III

7-808190970B

Petitioner,

May 22, 2023

RULING AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL

On or about May 19, 2023, the Secretary filed the *Secretary's Motion to Dismiss* Petitioner's appeal on the grounds that the alleged debt in this case was discharged in bankruptcy by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Idaho on August 14, 2019. *Id.* For good cause shown, the *Secretary's Motion to Dismiss* is GRANTED. Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that Petitioner's appeal is hereby **DISMISSED**, *with prejudice*. The Stay of Referral to the U.S. Department of the Treasury previously entered in this case, SHALL REMAIN IN PLACE, INDEFINITELY.

SO ORDERED,

H. ALEXANDER MANUEL

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Administrative Judge

APPEAL NOTICE: You have the right to move for reconsideration of this case before the HUD Office of Hearings and Appeals within 20 days of the date of this ruling or decision; or, thereafter, to reopen this case. Ordinarily, such motions will not be granted unless you can demonstrate that you have new evidence to present that could not have been previously presented. You may also appeal this decision to the appropriate United States District Court. For wage garnishments cases, See 24 C.F.R. § 17.81, 31 C.F.R. § 285.119f), and 5 U.S.C. 701, *et seq.* For administrative offset cases, See 24 C.F.R. § 17.73(a), and 5 U.S.C. § 701, *et seq.*