

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS

In the Matter of:

**Lori A. Correia,**

Petitioner.

15-VH-0124-AO-026

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October 14, 2015

**ORDER GRANTING DISMISSAL**

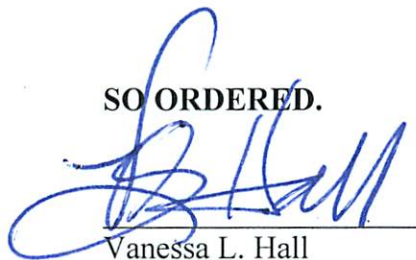
On October 9, 2015, the Secretary filed a *Motion to Dismiss*, along with supporting documentation, seeking “dismissal, without prejudice, its action to pursue collection of the subject debt via Administrative Offset because Petitioner filed a Chapter 7 bankruptcy petition in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Rhode Island on July 27, 2015.” (See *Motion to Dismiss*, Ex. A, Declaration of Brian Dillon.)

Upon due consideration, and for good cause shown, the *Motion to Dismiss* is **GRANTED**.

Pending the outcome of the Chapter 7 bankruptcy proceeding, the Secretary shall not seek to collect the claimed debt of Petitioner by means of administrative offset.

This matter of HUDOHA #15-VH-0124-AO-026 is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

**SO ORDERED.**



Vanessa L. Hall  
Administrative Judge