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

In the Matter of:

Joseph and Rose L. Gilliam,

18-AM-0139-AO-043

7-807950730A

Petitioners.

May 15, 2019

RULING AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL

On March 14, 2018, the Court ordered Petitioners to file documentary evidence, on or before April 13, 2018, in support of Petitioners' appeal. *Notice of Docketing, Order, and Stay of Referral*, dated March 14, 2018. Petitioners failed to comply with that Order. On December 19, 2018, Petitioners were issued a *Show Cause Order*, again directing Petitioners to file documentary evidence in support of their case on or before January 22, 2019. The *Show Cause Order* specifically stated that "<u>Failure to comply with this Order shall result in the immediate</u> entry of judgment in favor of the opposing party or in the imposition of such other sanctions as the Administrative Judge deems necessary or appropriate in this case. *See* 24 C.F.R. §26.4(d)."(emphasis in original). Petitioners again failed to comply with the Order to file documentary evidence in support of their case. Therefore, it is

ORDERED that Petitioners' appeal is hereby **DISMISSED**, *sua sponte*, and *without prejudice*. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that the *Stay of Referral* previously entered in this case on March 14, 2018, is hereby **VACATED**.

SO ORDERED,

hand

H. ALEXANDER MANUEL 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 garnishment cases, *See* 24 C.F.R. §17.81, 31 C.F.R. §285.11(f), 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.*