

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

In the Matter of:

Samantha L. Brown

Petitioner,

20-AM-0105-AO-021

7-210163510B

March 3, 2020

RULING AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL

On February 25, 2020, the Secretary filed the *Secretary's Motion to Dismiss*, seeking to dismiss this case on the grounds that the alleged debt in this case was discharged by *Order* of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Massachusetts on June 18, 2019. *Id.*, ¶ 2. Upon consideration of the foregoing, and without objection, the Secretary's motion is GRANTED. It is

ORDERED that Petitioner's appeal is hereby **DISMISSED**, *with prejudice*. The Stay of Referral to the U.S. Department of the Treasury entered in this case on December 11, 2019, is hereby **VACATED**.

SO ORDERED,



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 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.*