

**STATE OF FLORIDA  
DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES**

**BRUCE ALLEN WILLIAMSON,**

**Petitioner,**

Final Order No. DMS – 14-0002

v.

**DOAH Case No. 13-4285  
OGC Case No. 13-27848**

**STATE OF FLORIDA,  
DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT  
SERVICES, DIVISION OF STATE  
GROUP INSURANCE,**

**Respondent.**

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**FINAL ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

On October 15, 2013, the Department of Management Services (Department) timely received a petition for formal administrative hearing from Petitioner, Bruce Allen Williamson (the Petitioner). The Petitioner challenged the Department's determination that his spouse was not enrolled in the state group health insurance plan and was ineligible for coverage until the occurrence of a qualifying status change event or an open enrollment period. This case was referred to the Division of Administrative Hearings (DOAH) on November 5, 2013.

On January 6, 2014, the Petitioner filed a notice of voluntary dismissal, with prejudice, withdrawing his challenge to the Department's decision.

On January 7, 2014, DOAH entered an order closing file and relinquishing jurisdiction to the Department.

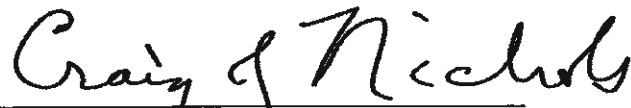
Based upon the foregoing, it is **ORDERED**:

1. The Petitioner's voluntary dismissal and the order closing file by DOAH are acknowledged and accepted.
2. The petition filed by Bruce Allen Williamson is dismissed.

3. Each party is solely responsible for its own costs and attorney fees.
4. The Department's decision that the Petitioner's spouse was not enrolled in the state group health insurance plan effective August 1, 2013 and was ineligible for coverage until the occurrence of a qualifying status change event or an open enrollment period is upheld.
5. This case is closed.
6. This final order shall become effective on the date of filing with the Agency Clerk of the Department of Management Services and is rendered at that time.

DONE AND ORDERED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2014, in Tallahassee, Leon County,

Florida.



**CRAIG J. NICHOLS**, Agency Secretary  
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**NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL**

Unless expressly waived by a party, such as in a stipulation or in other similar forms of settlement, any party substantially affected by this final order may seek judicial review by filing an original Notice of Appeal with the Agency Clerk of the Department of Management Services, and a copy, accompanied by filing fees prescribed by law, with the Clerk of the appropriate District Court of Appeal. The Notice of Appeal must be filed within thirty (30) days of rendition of this order, in accordance with Rule 9.110, Fla. R. App. P., and section 120.68, Florida Statutes.

Certificate of Clerk:

Filed in the office of the Clerk of the  
Department of Management Services  
on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2014.



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Michael Sivilla, Agency Clerk