STATE OF FLORIDA DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

DENISE MORROW,

Petitioner,

Final Order No. <u>DMS – 16-0007</u>

v.

CASE NO.: 15-3763 15-31658

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

Respondent.

FINAL ORDER

THIS MATTER has come before the undersigned for the purpose of issuing a Final Order, in accordance with Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes. On October 16, 2015, Administrative Law Judge David M. Maloney issued a Recommended Order recommending that the Department enter a final order denying Petitioner's request to enroll in the State Group Insurance Program and affirming its denial of her Level II appeal. Neither party has filed exceptions to the Recommended Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

The Department of Management Services hereby adopts the Findings of Fact contained in the Recommended Order as its findings in this Final Order.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Department of Management Services hereby adopts the Conclusions of Law contained in the Recommended Order as its conclusions in this Final Order.

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED:

1. The Recommended Order issued in this case is adopted in its entirety and is incorporated herein by reference.

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2. Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in the Recommended Order and adopted by the Department of Management Services in this Final Order, the Petitioner's request to enroll in the State Group Insurance Program is **DENIED** and the denial of Petitioner's Level II appeal is **AFFIRMED**.

3. This final order shall become effective on the date of filing with the agency clerk of the Department of Management Services.

DONE and ORDERED on this <u>// th</u> day of February, 2016.

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NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

This order constitutes final agency action. Judicial review of this proceeding may be instituted by filing a notice of appeal with the filing fee prescribed by law in the District Court of Appeal, pursuant to Section 120.68, Florida Statutes, and a copy with the Agency Clerk of the Department of Management Services, 4050 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000. Such notice must be filed within thirty (30) calendar days of the date this order is filed in the official records of the Department of Management Services, as indicated in the Certificate of Clerk. Review proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.

Certificate of Clerk:

Filed in the Office of the Agency Clerk of the Department of Management Services on this <u>11+b</u> day of February, 2016.

Agency Clerk