

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

**BEFORE**

**THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYEE APPEALS**

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In the Matter of:	)	
	)	OEA Matter No.: 2401-0246-10
SANDRA TOLSON,	)	
Employee	)	
	)	Date of Issuance: May 23, 2012
v.	)	
	)	
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	)	
PUBLIC SCHOOLS,	)	
Agency	)	Joseph E. Lim, Esq.
_____	)	Senior Administrative Judge
Sandra Tolson, Employee <i>pro se</i>		
Iris Barber, Esq., Agency Representative		

**INITIAL DECISION**

PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS OF FACT

On December 2, 2009, Employee filed a petition for appeal with this Office pursuant to D.C. Code Ann. § 1-606.3(a) (1999). The Employee appealed Agency's termination of her employment due to a Reduction-in-Force (RIF).

This matter was assigned to the undersigned judge on February 8, 2012. I ordered the submission of briefs by March 29, 2012. When Employee failed to comply, I issued a Show Cause Order on May 11, 2012. On March 22, 2012, Employee submitted a notice withdrawing her appeal. I closed the record.

JURISDICTION

The Office has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 1-606.03 (2001).

ISSUE

Whether this appeal should be dismissed.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

Since Employee has voluntarily withdrawn his appeal, Employee's petition for appeal is

dismissed.

ORDER

It is hereby ORDERED that the petition in this matter is dismissed with prejudice.

FOR THE OFFICE:

JOSEPH E. LIM, ESQ.  
Senior Administrative Judge