

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**  
**BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE**

In re:	)	
	)	<b>AWG Docket No. 10-0226</b>
Delma Duran	)	
	)	
Petitioner	)	<b>Order Dismissing Case</b>

The hearing was scheduled for July 13, 2010, then rescheduled for September 28, 2010. Delma Duran, Petitioner (“Ms. Duran”) did not receive notice of the first scheduling, because her current address was not used. Rural Development, an agency of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), is the Respondent (“USDA Rural Development”) and is represented by Mary E. Kimball.

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Ms. Duran requested the hearing, asking for a monthly payment schedule and describing her financial struggle. USDA Rural Development prepared for filing and for Ms. Duran a Narrative with attached exhibits filed June 16, 2010; PLUS a Revised (August 23, 2010) Narrative with attached exhibits filed August 26, 2010, that detail the existence and amount of the debt as of August 22, 2010: \$803.39 with remaining potential fees of \$224.95. If Ms. Duran did not receive her copy, Ms. Duran is welcome to contact USDA Rural Development (contact information shown above) to obtain her copy of the Narrative and exhibits. The Narrative concludes:

*Due to the fact that Ms. Duran has paid a significant amount of the debt, it would not be cost effective to pursue the wage*

*garnishment; therefore, USDA RD is **cancelling** the remaining debt of \$803.39.*

Accordingly, this case is DISMISSED.

Copies of this Order Dismissing Case shall be served by the Hearing Clerk upon each of the parties.

Done at Washington, D.C.  
this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 2010

s/ Jill S. Clifton

Jill S. Clifton  
Administrative Law Judge

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