

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

In re:	)	
	)	<b>AWG Docket No. 11-0336</b>
Jason Sapp	)	
	)	<b>Order Dismissing Case</b>
Petitioner	)	<b>Without Prejudice</b>

The Petitioner is Mr. Jason D. Sapp, also known as Jason Sapp (“Petitioner Sapp”).

The Respondent Agency is Rural Development, United States Department of Agriculture (“USDA Rural Development”). USDA Rural Development is represented by Ms. Mary E. Kimball.

A telephone hearing was scheduled for September 14, 2011. The hearing was not held, because Petitioner Sapp filed for Chapter 7 bankruptcy, on September 13, 2011, in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Middle District of Georgia (Macon), Case #: 11- 52914.

As a result of Mr. Sapp’s Chapter 7 bankruptcy filing, USDA Rural Development will not at this time pursue any type of collection on the debt owed to USDA. USDA Rural Development will recall the debt from Treasury and will monitor the bankruptcy to determine the outcome. If the debt is discharged in bankruptcy, USDA Rural Development will not pursue any collection effort; if the debt is not discharged in bankruptcy, USDA Rural Development may return the debt to Treasury for future collection efforts such as wage garnishment.

Accordingly, this case DISMISSED, without prejudice to Petitioner Sapp to request a hearing timely, should garnishment be noticed.

Copies of this Order Dismissing Case shall be served by the Hearing Clerk upon each of the parties. The Hearing Clerk shall also send courtesy copies to Petitioner Sapp’s bankruptcy attorney (see next page).

Done at Washington, D.C.  
this 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 2011

s/ Jill S. Clifton

Jill S. Clifton  
Administrative Law Judge

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