

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

In re: ) AWG Docket No. 10-0229  
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Roberta Kunz )  
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Petitioner )

**Order Terminating Garnishment Proceedings**

On August 3, 2010 at 11:00 AM Eastern local time, I held a teleconference with Mary E. Kimball, Accountant for the New Programs Initiatives Branch at USDA Rural Development in St. Louis, MO.

Ms. Kimball explained that in light of the fact that USDA Rural Development Petitioner has received all but \$1,765.36 of the debt Petitioner owed on the \$45,400.00 loan USDA Rural Development gave to finance the purchase of a house by Petitioner in 1999, it is willing to cancel the remaining debt and not garnish Petitioner's wages.

Accordingly, the pending administrative wage garnishment proceeding is terminated, and upon the remaining debt being received back from Treasury it shall be cancelled by USDA Rural Development.

Copies of this Order shall be served on the parties by the Hearing Clerk's Office.

Dated: August 3, 2010

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**Victor W. Palmer**  
Administrative Law Judge