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Appellant Name and Address:



Appeal Decision: Dismissed Appeal Number: 2209529

Decision Date: 2/9/2023 **Hearing Date:** 01/26/2023

Hearing Officer: Thomas Doyle Record Open to: 2/9/23

Appearance for Appellant: Appearance for MassHealth:

Pro se Jaime Medeiros

Interpreter:

Celeste #218672



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APPEAL DECISION

Appeal Decision: Dismissed Issue: Verification of

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MassHealth's Rep.: Jaime Medeiros Appellant's Rep.: Pro se

Hearing Location: Remote (phone) Aid Pending: No

This hearing was conducted pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 118E, Chapter 30A, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. The issue on appeal involved verification of eligibility. All parties were contacted via telephone. The hearing convened, recording began and all parties and the Spanish interpreter were sworn. Documents 1 through 3 were marked as evidence.

At the hearing, appellant requested the record be left open to draft a letter, signed by him, self-attesting to his residency. During the record open period, appellant forwarded that letter to the MassHealth worker. After reviewing the letter, the MassHealth worker was satisfied that appellant had submitted sufficient proof of his residency.

As the issue of denial of benefits due to lack of proof of residency has been resolved, the appeal is dismissed.

Thomas Doyle Hearing Officer Board of Hearings

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