

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

Division of Administrative Law Appeals

Kristi Callaghan,
Petitioner,

No. CR-24-0644

Dated: January 3, 2025

v.

Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement
System,
Respondent.

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This is an appeal from a decision of the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement System (MTRS) denying petitioner Kristi Callaghan's application to purchase retirement credit for a period of work in a nonpublic school. *See* G.L. c. 32, § 4(1)(p).

A prior order recapped MTRS's reasoning as appearing in its decision letter. *See generally Siddle v. Massachusetts Teachers' Ret. Syst.*, No. CR-16-385, 2023 WL 11806177, at *3 (Contributory Ret. App. Bd. Aug. 2, 2023); *Woodward v. Massachusetts Teachers' Ret. Syst.*, No. CR-17-832, 2021 WL 12298087 (Contributory Ret. App. Bd. June 1, 2021). The order directed Ms. Callaghan to show cause why her appeal should not be dismissed for failure to state a claim. *See* 801 C.M.R. § 1.01(7)(g)(2). The order advised Ms. Callaghan that her failure to respond would result in dismissal of the appeal.

Ms. Callaghan has filed no response. It is therefore ORDERED that this appeal is DISMISSED.

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/s/ Yakov Malkiel
Yakov Malkiel
Administrative Magistrate