



STATE OF WISCONSIN  
Division of Hearings and Appeals

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In the Matter of

Office of the Inspector General, Petitioner

vs.

DECISION

Case #: [REDACTED]

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The Office of the Inspector General requested a hearing under 7 C.F.R. §273.16 requesting that a FoodShare (FS) Intentional Program Violation (IPV) determination be entered against [REDACTED] and that a 10 year disqualification penalty be imposed for receipt of duplicate FS benefits based on a fraudulent statement or representation. A hearing was held on February 27, 2014 without respondent as no contact was made with this office by the respondent to provide a telephone number to be reached at for hearing.

Prior to the administrative law judge issuing a Final Decision in this matter, the respondent signed a waiver and provided it to this office. This office hereby accepts the filing of the waiver. Therefore, the agency may impose the requested sanction.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, it is

**ORDERED**

That the respondent, [REDACTED] is hereby ineligible to participate in the FoodShare program for a period of 10 years, effective the first month following the date of receipt of this decision.

**APPEAL TO COURT**

You may appeal this decision to Circuit Court in the county where you live. Appeals must be served and filed with the appropriate court no more than 30 days after the date of this hearing decision (or 30 days after a denial of rehearing, if you ask for one).

For purposes of appeal to Circuit Court, the Petitioner in this matter is the Department of Health Services. After filing the appeal with the appropriate court, it must be served on the Secretary of that Department, either personally or by certified mail. The address of the Department is: 1 West Wilson Street, Room 651, Madison, WI 53703. A copy should also be sent to the Division of Hearings and Appeals, 5005 University Avenue, Suite 201, Madison, WI 53705-5400.

The appeal must also be served on the other "PARTIES IN INTEREST" named in this decision. The process for appeals to the Circuit Court is in Wis. Stat. §§ 227.52 and 225.53.

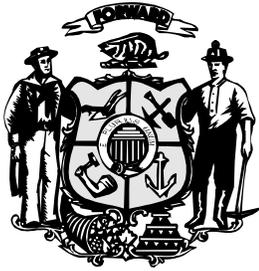
Given under my hand at the City of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, this 10th day of March, 2014

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\sKelly Cochrane  
Administrative Law Judge  
Division of Hearings and Appeals

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The preceding decision was sent to the following parties on March 10, 2014.

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