

**STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION
OF FLORIDA**

YAKELIN BLANCO,

Petitioner,

vs.

DOAH Case No. 25-4938
SBA Case No. 2025-0326

STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION
OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

FINAL ORDER

The Petitioner, Yakelin Blanco, filed a Petition for Hearing (Petition) with the State Board of Administration of Florida (SBA) on September 4, 2025. Petitioner is currently enrolled in the Florida Retirement System Investment Plan. The SBA denied her request to be moved to the Florida Retirement System Pension Plan (Pension Plan) after she used her one-time second election to move from the Pension Plan to the Investment Plan. On September 12, 2025, the SBA referred the petition for hearing to the Division of Administrative Hearings (DOAH) to conduct an evidentiary hearing.

On September 22, 2025, Petitioner submitted a Notice of Voluntary Dismissal/Withdrawal of Appeal to SBA's counsel. Petitioner requested counsel's help in submitting the Notice of Voluntary Withdrawal to DOAH. The SBA thereafter provided Petitioner with a draft Notice of Filing Petitioner's Notice of Voluntary Dismissal/Withdrawal of Appeal, and Petitioner confirmed that she approved the filing.

The SBA filed the Notice of Filing Petitioner's Notice of Voluntary Dismissal/Withdrawal of Appeal on September 23, 2025. The Administrative Law Judge entered an Order Closing File and Relinquishing Jurisdiction on September 23, 2025.

Therefore, Petitioner's September 4, 2025, Petition for Hearing is hereby DISMISSED.

DONE AND ORDERED this 26th day of September, 2025, in Tallahassee, Florida.

**STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION
OF FLORIDA**

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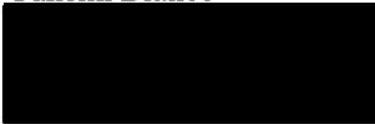
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Final Order was served this 26th day of September, 2025, by mail and electronic mail to the following:

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