

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

In re:)
)
Lonnie Travis Johnson,) FCIA Docket No. 19-J-0096
)
Respondent.)

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**ORDER OF DISMISSAL
(WITHOUT PREJUDICE)**

Appearances:

Adria Greene, Esq., with the Office of the General Counsel, United States Department of Agriculture, Atlanta, GA, for the Complainant, Manager of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Risk Management Agency (“FCIC”)

J. Grant Ballard, Esq., of Ark Ag Law, PLLC, Clarendon, AR, for the Respondent, Lonnie Travis Johnson.

This is a proceeding under the Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. §§ 1501 – 1524); the regulations promulgated thereunder (7 C.F.R. §§ 400.451 – 400.458); and the Rules of Practice Governing Formal Adjudicatory Proceedings Instituted by the Secretary Under Various Statutes (7 C.F.R. §§ 1.130 – 1.151). The matter initiated on June 3, 2019, with a Complaint filed by the Manager of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, United States Department of Agriculture (“Complainant”), against Lonnie Travis Johnson.

On April 8, 2021, Complainant filed a “Withdrawal of Complaint” in the above-captioned docket.¹ Complainant states: “It is impractical for Complainant to proceed with the administrative hearing due to ongoing investigative, audit and/or law enforcement activities

¹ See Withdrawal of Complaint at 1 (“The Manager of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation . . . hereby voluntarily withdraws, without prejudice, the complaint instituted under the Federal Crop Insurance Act for the disqualification of Lonnie Travis Johnson.”).

related to the subject matter of the complaint.”²

Accordingly, Docket No. 19-J-0096, regarding Lonnie Travis Johnson, is hereby DISMISSED without prejudice.

Copies of this Order shall be served upon the parties and counsel by the Hearing Clerk.

Done at Washington, D.C.,
this 8th day of April 2021

Tierney Carlos /S/

Tierney Carlos
Administrative Law Judge

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² *Id.*