

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Issue Date: 16 March 2017

CASE NO.: 2016-NTS-00007

In the Matter of:

MICKEDA S. BARNES
Complainant,

v.

RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC TRANSIT AUTHORITY,
Respondent.

**ORDER GRANTING COMPLAINANT'S MOTION TO DISMISS CLAIM WITH
PREJUDICE**

This proceeding arises from a complaint of discrimination filed pursuant to the employee protection provisions of the National Transit Systems Security Act ("NTSSA") of 2007, 6 U.S.C. §1142 (enacted as part of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 (the "9/11 Act"), Pub. L. 110-53, 121 Stat 266 (Aug. 3, 2007)). On January 11, 2017, I issued an Order Setting Discovery Deadlines and Hearing Date. The formal hearing was set to be held on March 27, 2017 in Providence, Rhode Island.

On March 1, 2017, Complainant filed a *Motion to Dismiss*, with Respondent's assent, requesting to dismiss the claim. In light of Complainant's motion, I find good cause to **GRANT** her request and dismiss her claim with prejudice. Therefore, the following **ORDER** shall enter:

1. This case is **DISMISSED** with prejudice.

SO ORDERED.

TIMOTHY J. McGRATH
Administrative Law Judge

Boston, Massachusetts